



# Mr. Billie Gene Pettaway

MAR 6, 1951 - JUL 2, 2015



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**K**inston - Mr. Billy Pettaway, 64, passed on Thursday, July 2, 2015 at Lenoir Memorial Hospital, Kinston, NC. The celebration of his life will be held on Saturday, July 11, 2015 at 1:00pm at Smith's Chapel Church, 413 Old Beulaville Road, Pink Hill, NC. There will be a visitation held on Friday, July 10, 2015 from 6:00pm until 8:00pm in the Nannie D. Loftin Memorial Chapel at Loftin Memorial-J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home, 106 N. East Street, Kinston, NC.

He was born in Lenoir County, NC to William Pettaway and Sadie Jones Pettaway.

Professional, sympathetic, dignified, compassionate care and service entrusted to Loftin Memorial-J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home.



## Events


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### Visitation


 **Friday**, July 10, 2015


 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

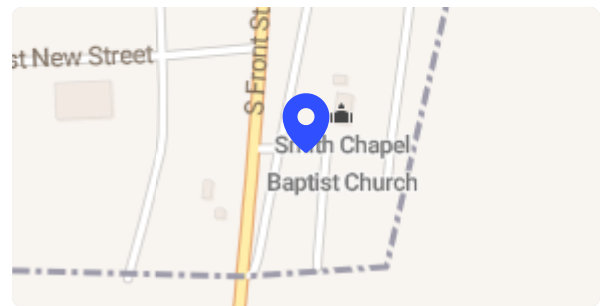
 **Legacy Cremation Care, LLC**  
106 N. East Street, Kinston NC 28501

### Service

 **Saturday**, July 11, 2015

 1:00 PM ET

 **Smith's Chapel Church**  
413 Old Beulaville Road, Pink Hill NC 28572





# Tribute Wall

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IG

**Ida J Gooding** posted:

you will be truly missed Billy, you and that smile. May you rest peace my friend.

July 11 at 4:29 AM

MH

**Margaret Humphrey** lit a candle in honor of Billie.



July 7 at 10:26 AM

MH

**Margaret Humphrey** July 7 at 10:28 AM

Cousin Blu, you will be missed. Rip.

JY

**James Yarrell** lit a candle in honor of Billie.



July 7 at 5:18 AM

BG

**Billie Earl Gooding** lit a candle in honor of Billie.

Billy was a true friend. We played ball together at Woodington High & LCC. Classmates for many years. I'm truly going to miss him. Sleep on BLUE. Your friend Billie E. Gooding



July 4 at 6:22 PM

EF

**Eva Jones's Family** posted:

Thanks for the love!!!!!!!!!!

July 4 at 3:40 PM



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**Melvin Waters** posted:

Farewell to a Champion  
On that night in '69 with seconds left to play  
He caught the tip from Robert L.  
and put the game away  
The championship was ours  
after years of toil and sweat  
Billy Pettaway was the hero  
as his team cut down the net  
Now on heaven's shore perhaps  
Robert and Billy talk  
About the game that winter's night  
as on streets of gold they walk  
Who are we to judge  
for the living or the dead?  
A champion has passed on from us  
that's all that should be said  
Pastor Melvin Waters  
Longhorn Scorekeeper  
Class of 1970

July 3 at 8:23 AM



**Loujeania Williams Baker** July 3 at 6:07 PM

Well said Brother Melvin. Rest in Peace, Billie Gene



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Billie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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