



Max Pate

January 24, 1941 - January 7, 2025

Max Earl Pate, age 83, of Pinson, AL, passed away on January 7, 2025. He was preceded in his passing by his parents Rex and Ruth Pate of Susan Moore, AL.

Max was born in Susan Moore and graduated from Susan Moore High School in 1959. Max was a member of First Baptist Church in Pinson for 30 years and Ridgecrest Baptist Church for 25 years. Max married the love of his life, Betty Baker, on February 3, 1961 and was married for 63 years. Max and Betty moved to Birmingham in 1968. Max worked for Thompson Tractor for 36 years where he found his love for tractors and his ability to rebuild them. He co-authored a history book of his birthplace, The Moore Family of Susan Moore, Alabama.

Max is survived by his wife Betty, sons Dave and Mark (Angie), Brother Conrad Pate of Muscle Shoals, grandson Alex Pate, and several nieces and nephews. Max was a great father, grandfather, husband and friend to many.

Max was known to go out of his way to help someone in need. He was a true patriot for his country.

Funeral service will be held Thursday January 9th at 12:00 at First Baptist Church of Pinson. Visitation at 11:00. Burial will be at Jefferson Memorial

Gardens Trussville following the service.

The family has requested any donations in Max's memory be made to the group of men from Pinson First Baptist Church known as James 1:27 that volunteer their time to help others. These men built Max's access ramp to the house. Donations can also be made to Gideons International.

The family would like to express their heartfelt gratitude to Affinity Hospice Birmingham for wonderful caregivers.

Cemetery Details

Jefferson Memorial Gardens

1591 Gadsden Hwy
Birmingham, AL 35235

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Pinson
4036 Spring Street
Pinson, AL 35126

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Max Pate.*



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Max Pate.

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“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Max Pate.*



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