

# EPHESIANS 3:14-20

WHEN I THINK OF ALL THIS, I FALL TO MY KNEES AND PRAY TO THE FATHER, THE CREATOR OF EVERYTHING IN HEAVEN AND ON EARTH. I PRAY THAT FROM HIS GLORIOUS, UNLIMITED RESOURCES HE WILL EMPOWER YOU WITH INNER STRENGTH THROUGH HIS SPIRIT. THEN CHRIST WILL MAKE HIS HOME IN YOUR HEARTS AS YOU TRUST IN HIM. YOUR ROOTS WILL GROW DOWN INTO GOD'S LOVE AND KEEP YOU STRONG. AND MAY YOU HAVE THE POWER TO UNDERSTAND, AS ALL GOD'S PEOPLE SHOULD, HOW WIDE, HOW LONG, HOW HIGH, AND HOW DEEP HIS LOVE IS. MAY YOU EXPERIENCE THE LOVE OF CHRIST, THOUGH IT IS TOO GREAT TO UNDERSTAND FULLY. THEN YOU WILL BE MADE COMPLETE WITH ALL THE FULLNESS OF LIFE AND POWER THAT COMES FROM GOD. NOW ALL GLORY TO GOD, WHO IS ABLE, THROUGH HIS MIGHTY POWER AT WORK WITHIN US, TO ACCOMPLISH INFINITELY MORE THAN WE MIGHT ASK OR THINK.



## IN LOVING MEMORY

1939

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# ALFRED MATHEW PARR

*In Loving Memory  
of  
Mathew Parr*

*Service*

*Thursday, January 22, 2026*

*2:00 p.m.*

*Bethel Cemetery  
Scroggins, Texas*

*Officiating*

*Rev. Larry Glossup*

*Special Music*

*"Lead Me Home"*

*"Amazing Grace"*

*"How Beautiful Heaven Must Be"*

*Pallbearers*

*Dan Benson, Barry Rogers, Randy Sparks  
Ronnie Sparks, Len Sparks, Doug Bolin*

*Mr. Alfred Mathew Parr of Scroggins passed away peacefully on January 17, 2026 at the age of 87. He was born in the Blodgett community in Titus County on January 10, 1939 to the late James A. Parr and Jennie L. Simpson Parr.*

*Mathew served in the U.S. Army, including a tour of duty in South Korea during the Cold War. He will be remembered by most folks for the many years he was the Dr. Pepper salesman for the surrounding area.*

*Mathew ultimately retired from the Coca-Cola Bottling Company. He was a member of New Hope Baptist Church in Scroggins. Mathew would spend his free time fishing, hunting, and going to garage sales. He also enjoyed playing Santa for the neighborhood children.*

*Mr. Parr was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Mozella Parr; his sons, Shannon Parr and Jimmie Parr.*

*Mathew is survived by his daughter Becky Anderson and husband Keith of Scroggins; son, Bruce Parr of Scroggins; brother Alvin Parr and wife Joyce of New Boston; sister Amelia Benson and husband Buster of Winnsboro; granddaughters Robin Anderson and husband Rowan Lehr of Garland, Callan Gearner and husband Ryan of College Station; and great-grandson Nathanael David Gearner. He is also survived by numerous in-laws, nieces and nephews, and a host of friends and extended family members.*