

Pallbearers and Floral Bearers
Family and Friends



Final Tribute

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them." **Revelation 14:13**

Acknowledgements

The family of

Mr. Ben Wells, Jr.

gratefully acknowledges every expression of love, sympathy, and kindness shown during this time of bereavement. Your prayers, visits, calls, cards, flowers, and acts of compassion have been a source of comfort and strength. May God richly bless each of you for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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Home of Distinctively Finer
Funeral Service

**Homegoing Celebration
In Loving Memory Of**

Mr. Ben Wells, Jr.

Sunrise
April 26, 1952

Sunset
June 14, 2026



"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."
II Timothy 4:7

Friday June 19, 2026
1:00 PM

Unionville AME Church
Mayesville, SC 29104

Dr. Carl. R. Wells, Eulogist
Reverend Jerome McCray, Pastor Officiating

Life Reflections

Mr. Ben Wells, Jr., age 74, of Columbia, South Carolina, entered into eternal rest on Sunday, June 14, 2026. Born on April 26, 1952, in Mayesville, South Carolina, he was the son of the late Ben Wells, Sr., and the late Sue Mae Wells. He was also preceded in death by his brother, Charlie Wells.

Ben was blessed with many talents and was known as a gifted athlete. His athletic ability earned him admission to South Carolina State University, where he played baseball. He was an intelligent man who valued education and proudly attended South Carolina State University. He also honorably served his country as a member of the United States Air Force.

Those who knew Ben best knew him to be a man of remarkable intelligence and a wonderful sense of humor. Once you got to know him, you quickly discovered his love for laughter and his ability to bring joy to those around him. In his later years, one of his greatest pleasures was spending time with his brothers, Milton and Melvin, both of whom lived near him in Columbia. Their fellowship and companionship brought him much happiness.

Cherishing his memory are his devoted sister, Eva Jones (Calvin) of Mayesville, South Carolina; brothers, Milton Wells (Mary) of Columbia, South Carolina, Melvin Wells (Denise) of Columbia, South Carolina, Clayton Wells (Tammy) of Columbia, South Carolina, Carl Wells (Wanda) of Newberry, South Carolina, Frederick Wells (Dylana) of Mayesville, South Carolina, and Michael Wells of Charlotte, North Carolina; together with a host of loving nieces, nephews, other relatives, and dear friends.

Though he has departed this earthly life, the memories he shared, the laughter he brought, and the love he gave will remain forever in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

“Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord... that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them.” — Revelation 14:13

Order of Service

Reverend Jerome McCray, Presiding
Pastor, Unionville AME Church
Mayesville, SC 29104

Musical Prelude Soft Music

Processional Clergy and Family

Opening Hymn *What A Friend We Have In Jesus*

Prayer of Comfort Reverend Jerome McCray

Old Testament Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

New Testament John 14:1-6

Reflections:

Church / Community Earl Jefferson

Family Milton Wells

Solo Reverend Carl R. Wells

Words of Comfort Dr. Carl R. Wells, *Brother*

Prayer of Strength Reverend Jerome McCray

Recessional Medley of Songs



Committal, Benediction, Interment
Unionville AME Church Cemetery