



William "Al" Temple

February 8, 1966 - March 18, 2026

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Al Temple, who departed this life on March 18, 2026, at the age of 60.

Born on February 8, 1966, Al lived a life defined by strength, kindness, and unwavering love for his family. He was a proud veteran who served honorably in the 82nd Airborne, carrying that same courage and dedication throughout his life.

After his military service, Al built a career in maintenance, where he was known for his strong work ethic, reliability, and willingness to help others. No matter the task, he approached it with quiet determination and skill.

Above all, Al was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his loving wife, Leslie Temple; his children, Christopher (Allison) Temple, Forrest (Natosha) Temple, and Shauna (Daniel) Clements; and his cherished 10 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his special brother, Jim (Bonnie) Temple, along with a host of beloved nieces and nephews. Special friends include Richard (Annette) Cheeseman, Chad Abercrombie, and Lisa Braswell.

He was preceded in death by his father, James (Patricia) Temple, and his mother, Faye Finlay Temple.

Al had a passion for the outdoors and adventure. He enjoyed riding four-wheelers, motorcycles, and horses, finding peace and freedom in those moments. He also had a special love for animals, caring for them with a kind and compassionate heart.

He will be remembered for his warm heart, quiet strength, and the love he gave so freely. His legacy lives on in the lives of his family and all who were fortunate enough to know him.

A memorial service will be held at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 30, 2026, at Lathamville Baptist Church with Bro. Justin Joiner officiating. Adams Brown Service Funeral Home is assisting the family.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 30. 5:00 PM (CT)

Lathamville Baptist Church
17389 AL Hwy 68
Crossville, AL 35962

Tribute Wall

BT

“ Bonnie T. purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of William "Al" Temple.



Bonnie T. - March 30 at 10:30 AM

BT

“ Bonnie T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Al" Temple.

Bonnie T. - March 30 at 10:30 AM

PZ

“ Patricia Zelsdorf sent a virtual gift in memory of William "Al" Temple



Patricia Zelsdorf - March 26 at 08:57 AM

CO

“ Cindy Osborn lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Temple



Cindy Osborn - March 21 at 12:16 AM

KD

“ Kelly DiPietro lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Temple



Kelly DiPietro - March 20 at 09:42 PM

SH

“ Stacey Hanson lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Temple



Stacey Hanson - March 20 at 12:53 PM



“ Tonya Wright lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Temple



Tonya Wright - March 19 at 05:00 PM

KP

“ Kristy Pitts lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Temple



Kristy Pitts - March 19 at 02:58 PM