

William "Al" Kissiah

November 19, 1957 - May 4, 2026

William Alfred "Al" Kissiah, 68, of Anderson, South Carolina, passed away peacefully on Monday, May 4, 2026, surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Hartsville, South Carolina, he was the son of the late Coyt Kissiah and Francis Skipper Kissiah. Al was a devoted servant of God who loved his faith, his family, and his many friends. He was an ordained bishop in the South Carolina Church of God and faithfully preached in churches throughout the Upstate, including Williamston Church of God, Lifespring Church of God, Slater Church of God, and North Greenwood Church of God. His ministry touched countless lives, and he will be remembered for his unwavering dedication and compassionate spirit.

In addition to his ministry, Al was an avid fisherman who found great joy in the outdoors. He especially cherished the many fishing adventures he shared with his longtime friend of over 20 years, Ted Childress.

He is survived by his loving wife, Marie Miles Kissiah; his children, Heather Robinson and Bill Kissiah; his grandchildren, Hannah Turner (Jeremy), Dakota Young, William Georgia, Jasmine and Carson; and his great-grandchildren, Ben Turner; and his brother, Malcom Kissiah (Sharon). He also leaves behind a host of extended family members and dear friends who will miss him greatly.

A service to celebrate his life will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday, May 9, 2026, at Trinity Springs Church of God. The family will receive friends from 1:00 until 2:00 PM prior to the service at the church. At other times, the family will be at the home.

Al's legacy of faith, love, and kindness will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

The Directors of Kistler Hardee Funeral Home are honored to be serving the Kissiah Family.

Tribute Wall

LM

“ So sorry to hear this. He was a good person. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Lisa Garris Munn - May 10 at 04:29 PM

SG

“ I remember when Al's Daddy was the Pastor of Dovesville Church of God. Al was just a teenager. He was always a nice guy. He had great parents . Prayers for his family. 🙏



Sonya Garris Gandy - May 10 at 03:28 PM

CF

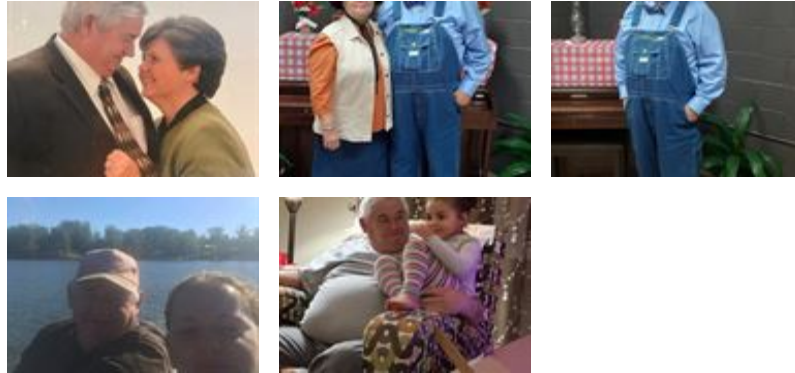
“ Campbell-Brown family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of William "Al" Kissiah.



Campbell-Brown family - May 08 at 10:34 AM



“ 100 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Kistler-Hardee Funeral Home - May 07 at 10:06 AM



“ Dear Sis Marie and Family, Jeff and I are so sorry to hear of Al's passing. It was always good to see him whether, it was on the lake fishing or at the produce stand. His faith has now become sight and he is completely healed. Know you all have many wonderful memories to hold on to. Praying for God to give you strength in the days ahead. Love and Prayers.



Jeff and Donna Johnson - May 06 at 10:41 AM



“ Libby Riddley lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Kissiah



Libby Riddley - May 05 at 08:59 PM

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“ Edwin And Linda Taylor lit a candle in memory of William "Al" Kissiah



Edwin and Linda Taylor - May 05 at 03:27 PM

LR

Pastor Kissish was a true man of God. He preached at PCOGin 2025. Pastor you are heal 🙏🙏

Libby Riddley - May 05 at 08:56 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William "Al" Kissiah.



May 05 at 02:43 PM

YF

“ Your front desk family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of William "Al" Kissiah.



Your front desk family - May 04 at 05:51 PM

CM

“ We loved Brother Al!He would always encourage and leave you smiling!He was a faithful servant of God!He will be missed by many people.We are praying for you Sister Marie and your family.

Charles McConnell - May 04 at 05:49 PM

MH

My condolences to Al's family. He was truly a Blessing to my life and and a Blessing to so many. May The Lord Comfort and Bless His Family with Peace

Michael N Hanley - May 04 at 07:01 PM

MM

“ such a fun guy to be around! He loved Jesus, his family and friends well! Praying for Maria and the Family! Love and prayers Wakter & Michelle

Michelle Mitchum - May 04 at 05:10 PM

LE

Pastor Al was a great friend and a beloved Pastor. Ed & Linda.

Linda and Ed - May 04 at 07:22 PM

GO

“ Marie, Malcolm, I am sorry to hear about Al, a wonderful and true friend. You are in my thoughts and prayers as you prepare for his homegoing. Love and prayers



Grady ONeal - May 04 at 04:30 PM

LK

“ *Al was one of the kindest men I ever met he had a smile always on his face I love hearing him share the word of God always bless by the word's he spoke and his faith in his Lord.he will forever be missed but I will see you again one day praying for his precious wife and family*



Linda King - May 04 at 04:27 PM