



## Mitchell Durrall May

September 24, 1939 - October 27, 2025

Mitchell Durrall May, age 86, of Forrest City, Arkansas, passed away peacefully at his home on October 27, 2025, surrounded by his loving family.

Born on September 24, 1939, in Forrest City, Mitchell was a lifelong resident of the family homeplace he cherished. He proudly served his country in Vietnam as a member of HHC 2/327 IBDE in the 101st Airborne Division- the famed "Screaming Eagles" paratroopers. During his service, he saw action in Cam Ranh Bay, Van Rang, and Anke, where he demonstrated courage, loyalty, and dedication to his fellow soldiers and his nation.

Mitchell is survived by his devoted wife, Sybil May; his son, Phillip May, and wife Sammi May; his daughter, Marjorie Mitchell, and husband Michael Mitchell; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his sister, Phyllis May Nance Lamb.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John Redden May and Elven Voss May of Forrest City; his brothers, Rayburn May and Marshall May; and his sister, Charlene Rushing.

Mitchell was a loving husband, father, brother, and friend whose kindness, laughter, quick wit and steady presence touched everyone who knew him. He was an avid hunter, loved baseball, and was happiest when surrounded by family. His laughter, stories, and unwavering love will be deeply missed but

never forgotten.

A celebration of Mitchell's life will be held on Thursday, October 30th, and Oak Hill Church Of God in Forrest City, with visitation at 1:00 p.m., service at 2:00 p.m., and burial to follow at Hughes Cemetery. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the online registry. The family invites friends and loved ones to join them in honoring his memory and service.

# Cemetery Details

## Hughes Cemetery

Barrow Hill Road  
Forrest City, AR

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Oak Hill Church of God  
97 Oak Hill Rd  
Forrest City, AR 72335  
(870) 633-7331

## Funeral Service

OCT 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

Oak Hill Church of God  
97 Oak Hill Rd  
Forrest City, AR 72335  
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## Interment

OCT 30 (CT)

Hughes Cemetery  
Barrow Hill Road  
Forrest City, AR



# Tribute Wall



“ *Wendell and Wilma purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mitchell Durrall May.*



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**Wendell and Wilma** - October 29, 2025 at 10:06 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Mitchell Durrall May.*



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October 28, 2025 at 10:27 PM



“ *Margo McElroy lit a candle in memory of Mitchell May*



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**Margo McElroy** - October 28, 2025 at 06:47 PM



“ *Sybil I am so sorry. Praying for you all.*

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**Margo McElroy** - October 28, 2025 at 06:46 PM

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“ So very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you Sybil and your family.



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**Penny Martin** - October 28, 2025 at 03:38 PM