



## Majors P. Pickens

May 20, 1928 - April 22, 2024

Majors P. Pickens, age 95, left this earth for his eternal home on April 22, 2024. Majors was born May 20, 1928, to Robert & Grace (Majors) Pickens. He was raised on a farm west of Searcy on Panther Creek. He graduated from Searcy High School in 1947. He was drafted into the army in 1951 and served in Korea in 1952. Soon after returning from his military service, he met Virginia House at a church camp meeting. They were married 55 years and raised two daughters.

Majors retired in 1993 after working 46 years at First National Bank where his attention to detail and his honest character served the bank well.

Majors was a lifetime member of Searcy Church of the Nazarene where he served many years as church treasurer and a member of the church board.

He is preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Virginia; his only brother, Gerald Pickens; five sisters-in-laws; and four brothers-in-laws. He is survived by two daughters, Leisa (Ronnie) Davis of Mountain View, AR; Ginger Brookshire of Searcy; three grandsons, Clayton (Sarah) Davis of Conway, Reece (Dana) Davis of Mountain View, and Brandon Moss of St. Louis, MO; one granddaughter, Virginia "Ginny" (Caleb) Walker of Casper, WY; three great granddaughters and one great grandson.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Searcy Church of the Nazarene, 112 Ridgeview Place, Searcy, AR 72143, or to Western Sizzlin for lunches for veterans, 3210 East Race St., Searcy, AR 72143.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, April 25, 2024, from 6:00pm – 8:00pm, at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy. Funeral services will be conducted on Friday, April 26, 2024, at 11:00am, at Powell Funeral Home. Interment will follow in White County Memorial Gardens.

Funeral services will be livestreamed by Powell Funeral Home.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. [www.powellfuneralhome.net](http://www.powellfuneralhome.net)

# Cemetery Details

## White County Memorial Gardens

Eastline Road  
Searcy, AR 72143

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)  
2602 W. Beebe-Capps Expy  
Searcy, AR 72143  
(501) 268-7220  
searcy@powellfuneralhome.net  
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## Funeral Service

APR **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Interment

APR 26 (CT)

White County Memorial Gardens  
Eastline Road  
Searcy, AR 72143

# Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Majors P. Pickens



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - April 25, 2024 at 10:41 AM

BW

“ Sincere condolences to the family. Maj and Virginia were dear friends to my parents.  
Betty Shell Williams

Betty Shell Williams - April 26, 2024 at 12:31 AM

GS

“ George & Susan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Majors P. Pickens.

George & Susan - April 25, 2024 at 12:00 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Majors P. Pickens.



April 25, 2024 at 12:00 PM

AD

“ Thinking of you during this sad time, I had the opportunity to get acquainted with Majors at the bank and have always called him my friend. He was a kind man and gentlemen and always had a smile for everyone. He and your mother was a special couple. Prayers for comfort.



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**Anita Duncan** - April 24, 2024 at 10:11 PM

SC

“ Susan and James Clinton purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Majors P. Pickens.



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**Susan and James Clinton** - April 24, 2024 at 04:20 PM

LH

“ I have known Majors all my life, And his wonderful mother and father. I knew him when he and Virginia were married. I know they are welcoming him to Heaven with open arms. My condolences to his daughters and I know he will be very much missed.

*LaVerne Bennett Hofmann - Bellflower, California  
(sister of Elwanda Taylor)*

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**LaVerne Bennett Hofmann** - April 23, 2024 at 05:07 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Majors P. Pickens.



April 23, 2024 at 01:49 PM



“ Always enjoyed seeing him eating breakfast at country kitchen & saw him eating at western sizzlin as well. May God's love comfort all that knew & loved him. Thank you again for your service you will be missed

Keri/country kitchen kensett - April 23, 2024 at 12:57 PM



“ Worked with him for many many years. He was loved and highly respected by us all. Prayers for each of his sweet daughters and their families.  
Pam (Brown) Liles

Pam Brown Liles - April 23, 2024 at 12:03 PM



“ Love and Prayers to the Pickens family 🙏🙏



Jackie Speak - April 23, 2024 at 10:40 AM

VH

“Majors was always so happy. I am certain that Virginia is welcoming him in Heaven. Prayers for Leisa and Ginger. He was a wonderful person and a good Christian.

Veda Holloway - April 23, 2024 at 09:11 AM

AW

“I worked with Majors for 25 years (until his retirement) at First National Bank. He was loved by all of us at FNB. I will keep Leisa and Ginger in my prayers along with the rest of the family. He will be missed.



Angie Wortham - April 23, 2024 at 09:07 AM

SY

“Majors was my dear friend and mentor during my 10 years working at First National Bank. He was so kind to me and everyone who knew him. He and I shared so many great talks and laughs together on the days it was our day to stay late at work. Such wonderful memories. We kept in touch over the years and I feel so blessed that he has been a part of my life. I will miss you, Majors. May you rest in the peace of God's love.



Stephanie Yarbrough - April 22, 2024 at 07:43 PM