



## Rosco "Fil" Turman

April 9, 1943 - February 23, 2023

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

Rosco Filmore "Fil" Turman, Jr. of Coldwater, MS was born April 9, 1943 in Houston, MS, the second of five children born to Christine Hill and Rosco Filmore Turman, Sr. Following a brief illness, he passed away on February 23, 2023 at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Charles "Chuck" and Gosta Turman of Byhalia, MS.

Fil's family moved from MS to Memphis, TN around 1952. Following graduation from Kingsbury High School in Memphis, Fil served in the United States Air Force. Always a hard worker, Fil worked in a variety of trades, eventually retiring from Coors Brewing Company after thirty years of service. Fil was outgoing and friendly and always ready to help others by sharing the gifts of the vast knowledge and life skills he had acquired throughout his life. Fil led a balanced life, playing as hard as he worked. He enjoyed being active and engaged with family, friends, and community. He was on a bowling league for over twenty-five years and on the Coors BBQ Cooking Team for over five years. He was a Thirty-Second Degree Mason and lifetime member of the Bartlett, TN Lodge.

Lovingly known as "Popsie" by the children and young people he loved, taught, and mentored, Fil found great joy in sharing with them about sports

and life in general. An avid hunter and fisherman – especially trout fishing – Fil taught and encouraged young people in those sports. He also coached Youth Baseball for a number of years. So many looked to Fil as a father figure; his wisdom, generosity, and presence will be missed by all.

Fil was preceded in death by his parents, and his wife of fifty-two years, Carole Keys Turman.

He is survived by his son, Chuck, and daughter-in-law, Gosta of Byhalia, MS; granddaughters, Jade Grissom of Byhalia, MS; Lindsay Crowell of Hernando, MS; great-granddaughter, Vella Virginia Crowell of Hernando, MS; great-grandsons, Rylan Grissom and Walker Harville of Byhalia, MS; and Henry Jay Crowell of Hernando, MS; sisters, Anne Lee and her husband Norris of Memphis, TN; Glenda Scott of Hernando, MS; and Peggy Dajnowski of Cordova, TN; brother, Wayne, and his wife, Gene, of Barton, MS.

The family will receive relatives and friends on Saturday, March 4, 2023 from 11:00 am until the time of the funeral service at 1:00 pm at Coleman Funeral Home, 6815 Parkview Hts. Blvd., Olive Branch, MS. Interment will follow at Greenleaf Cemetery in Coldwater, MS.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial gifts be sent to Make-A-Wish Foundation, [www.wish.org/midsouth](http://www.wish.org/midsouth), believing that Fil would be pleased to know that memorializing his life resulted in bringing joy to children.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenleaf Cemetery

Coldwater, MS 38618

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 4. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford created a Tribute Video in memory of Rosco "Fil" Turman



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**Coleman Funeral Home** - March 02, 2023 at 03:24 PM

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*Just heard about your loss. God bless you*

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**Agey@aol.com** - October 11, 2023 at 12:28 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Rosco "Fil" Turman.

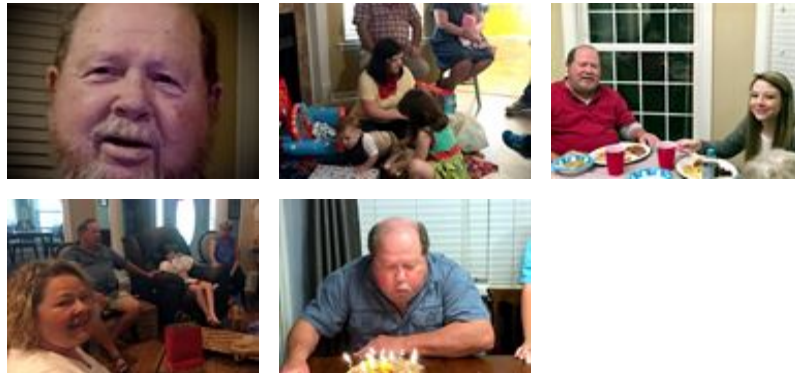


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March 03, 2023 at 08:49 AM



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**Coleman Funeral Home** - March 02, 2023 at 03:07 PM



“ Pops!

*What an true honor to share this journey here on earth with you. Wow we have been threw so much together i was just a mere child when i first meet you, Chuck & i was in the 5th grade. You thought me so much over the years. You was always so loving & kind such a big heart always making sure everyone around you was Feed & having a good time. As the Bible reminds us in James 4:14 “Why you do not even know what will happen tomorrow . What is your life? You are mist that appears for a little while and then vanishes”*

*Pops i know you are rejoicing in Heaven & again THANK YOU for all the Precious Memories you allowed me to share with you & Family.*

*I Love you Pop!*

*Until we meet again*



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**john a williams** - February 27, 2023 at 10:44 AM

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*What a beautiful obituary for a very special man.  
Fil has a very special place in the hearts of our family.  
Rest in peace, Fil, in the loving arms of Jesus*

**Gail & Buddy Loflin** - February 27, 2023 at 02:11 PM

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*Our thoughts and prayers are for each of you at this time. Fil loved his family so much you could feel it when you were with him.*

**Johnny and Treassa Wilbanks** - February 27, 2023 at 04:10 PM