



Thomas Glen Shoemake Sr

October 31, 1934 - August 11, 2025

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Thomas Glenn Shoemake Sr., who was born on October 31, 1934, in Perry County, Mississippi, and passed away on August 11, 2025.

Thomas was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 68 years, Dubois Russell Shoemake; his parents, Robert Wesley and Annie Elizabeth Shoemake; his sisters, Valda Ray Brown and Frankie White; and his twin sister, Bobbie Jean, who passed shortly after birth.

He is lovingly remembered by his two sons, Thomas Glen Shoemake Jr. and Keith Russell Shoemake; his grandson, Philipp Shoemake, and his wife Heidi; his granddaughter, Melia Boykin, and her husband Tommy; and his great-grandchildren, Gavin Lee and Aisley Spell. He is also survived by his sisters, Elaine Mills and Ruth Bradley; his sister-in-law, Ava Spell, and her husband Charles; along with many cherished nieces and nephews.

In his later years, Thomas found great joy in collecting and restoring antique cars and riding around his property on his side-by-side. He also worked at the Mississippi Job Corps Center, where he deeply valued his relationships with both staff and students.

A man of unwavering faith and devotion to God, Thomas leaves behind a

legacy of love, kindness, and spiritual strength that will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

Visitation will be held 5pm-8:30pm on Tuesday, August 12, 2025, at Springs of Praise in Crystal Springs. The service will be 10am on Wednesday, August 13, 2025 at Springs of Praise with burial at Pilgrims Rest Cemetery. Stringer Family Funeral Home in Crystal Springs is handling arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Pilgrams Rest Cemetery

3121 Didlake Road
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

Springs of Praise
26114 Hwy 27
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Funeral Service

AUG 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



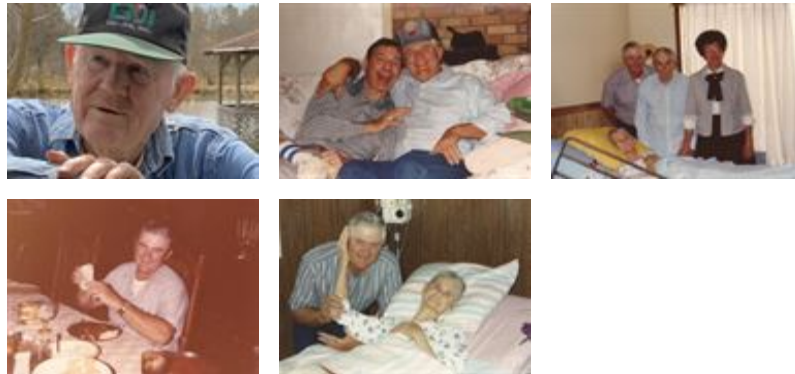
“ *Stringer Family Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas Glen Shoemake Sr*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - August 12, 2025 at 01:51 PM



“ *149 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - August 12, 2025 at 01:03 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Thomas Glen Shoemake Sr.*



August 12, 2025 at 12:12 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Thomas Glen Shoemake Sr.

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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Thomas Glen Shoemake Sr.



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