



## Flemon "Lafett" Hendrix

December 2, 1939 - August 27, 2024

Flemon "Lafett" Hendrix of the West Point community of Somerville, Alabama passed away

Tuesday, August 27, 2024 at his residence. Lafett was born December 2, 1939 to Quentin

Lafett Hendrix and Pearl Avas Henderson Hendrix. He was 84 years old. He and wife,

Brenda Cornett Hendrix, have shared over 64 years of married life and together created a

loving family of which he was extremely proud. He was a member of West Point Baptist

Church where he served as Deacon. Lafett was a graduate of the University of Alabama

where he earned a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering. He was employed by and

retired from NASA. He worked on the Apollo, Apollo Space Telescope Mount, SpaceLab

programs and also served as the Chief Engineer for the Science and Applications Project

Office. While working there his contributions were recognized by receiving the coveted

"Silver Snoopy" Award.

In his leisure time Lafett worked as a hobby farmer. He loved his farm and spent many hours with his International Tractors taking care of the land. Also, as a University of Alabama graduate, he supported everything connected with his alma mater. Family members Lafett leaves behind to cherish their memories include his wife, Brenda Cornett Hendrix; sons and daughters in law, Travis Lafett and Stephanie Hendrix and Phillip Kyle and Sarah Hendrix; daughter, Cynthia Denise Hendrix; grandchildren, Nicholas Hendrix, Lauren Williams (Trent), and Charli Hendrix, Mackenzie Hendrix and Kyler Hendrix; and great grandchild, Cordelia Maevis Williams. Preceding Lafett in death include his mother, Pearl Avas Hendrix; and father, Quentin Lafett Hendrix. Services for Lafett will be Friday, August 30, 2024 at Brindlee Mountain Chapel in Morgan City, AL. The family will greet friends and guests at a visitation beginning at 12:00 noon until the funeral service starts at 2:00 p.m. Brother David Mangum will officiate. Burial will take place in the West Point Cemetery, Somerville, Morgan County, AL. Pallbearers escorting Lafett to his final resting place will be Travis Hendrix, Phillip Hendrix, Nicholas Hendrix, Kyler Hendrix, Glen Black, and Michael Walker. Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel directing

# Cemetery Details

## West Point Cemetery

903 West Point Rd  
Somerville, AL 35175

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 30.** 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Brindlee Mountain Chapel Funeral Home  
3552 Highway 231  
Lacey's Spring, AL 35754  
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# Tribute Wall



“ So sorry for your loss. My prayer are with you.



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**Jerrilyne Huffman** - August 29, 2024 at 10:44 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Flemon "Lafett" Hendrix.



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August 29, 2024 at 10:32 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Flemon "Lafett" Hendrix.



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