



## Mr. L. Urbane Breland

April 5, 1919 - February 12, 2018

Mr. L. Urbane Breland, 98, passed away on February 12, 2018, at his home in Mathiston. Mr. Urbane was born on April 5, 1919, in Choctaw County, the son of the late Lester and Ruby McClain Breland. He served in the United States Army during World War II, where he served in the Anti-Air Craft Division, where he was a Gunner. Mr. Urbane was a Beef Cattle Farmer and served as a Park Ranger for the National Park Service for 30 years. Mr. Urbane was an outdoorsman and an avid turkey hunter, having once killed two turkeys with one shot. He was an expert sharpshooter with accuracy and time. He was a member of Fellowship Baptist Church in Choctaw County where he served as a Deacon and Sunday School Teacher. He was also a member of the V.F.W. in Maben. He married Ella Mae Coggins Breland on October 7, 1962, in Mathiston, and she preceded him in death on November 16, 2015. In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by a son: Wilbur Huffman, Jr., 2 sisters: Charlene Dabbs and Eunice Pinnix, and 2 brothers: Morrell and Grady Breland.

Funeral services will be Friday, February 16, 2018, at 2:00 P.M. at Fellowship Baptist Church in Choctaw County with Reverend Wade Stevens officiating and assisted by Reverend Benny Jones and Reverend Ralph Cain. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery in West Point. Calvert Funeral Home of West Point is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include three Daughters, Maggie Jones (Cecil), Addie Fondren (Max), and Lesa Wilson (Scott); Son, Robert Huffman (Ronda) all of Mathiston; 16 Grandchildren, 26 Great-Grandchildren, and 11 Great-Great-Grandchildren and a Daughter-In-Law: Sheila Huffman of Mathiston, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be his Grandsons: Reverend Benny Jones, Sammy Jones, Mark Jones, Greg Fondren, Kim Jones, Jeff Huffman, Clint Huffman, Daniel Huffman, Chad Fondren, Brad Huffman, Drew Huffman, and Jake Wilson.

Memorials may be made to Fellowship Baptist Church Cemetery Fund, 2333 Old Trace Road, Mathiston, MS 39752 or to The Alzheimer's Foundation, 196 Charmant Drive, Suite 4, Ridgeland, MS 39157 ([alz.org](http://alz.org)).

Visitation will be Friday 12:30-2:00 P.M. at Fellowship Baptist Church in Choctaw County.

Friends may leave an online condolence at [www.calvertfuneralhome.com](http://www.calvertfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sam & Ellie Fondren lit a candle in memory of Mr. L. Urbane Breland*



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**Sam & Ellie Fondren** - February 14, 2018 at 08:09 PM

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*Thank y'all so much! It was good to see you today!*


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**Lesa Wilson** - February 16, 2018 at 05:52 PM

 Edna Blasingame

“ *Edna Blasingame lit a candle in memory of Mr. L. Urbane Breland*



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**Edna Blasingame** - February 14, 2018 at 07:20 PM

 Edna Blasingame

*Love you Mr. B. I sure will miss you. I loved hearing you tell me about your life on the days you could remember your past. I know you are happy now and you are spending Valentine's Day with the love of your life. GO REST HIGH ON THAT MOUNTAIN MY DEAR SWEET FRIEND.*

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**Edna Blasingame** - February 14, 2018 at 07:22 PM

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*Thank you, Edna!*

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**Lesa Wilson** - February 16, 2018 at 05:54 PM