

## FLOWER BEARERS

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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

With deep gratitude, we wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for your comforting expressions of sympathy during the passing of our loved one. God bless each of you.

The family of Mr. Jimmy Lee Elmore



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## CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



## MR. JIMMY LEE ELMORE

February 4, 1946 - January 22, 2026

Friday, January 30, 2026  
1:30 p.m.

Shoal Creek Baptist Church  
2707 Shoal Creek Church Road  
Shelby, North Carolina

Rev. Dr. Michael Isaac, Pastor

## REMEMBERING HIS LIFE

**Mr. Jimmy Lee Elmore**, 79, passed away on Thursday, January 22, 2026, at Wendover Hospice House, Shelby, NC. Born in Shelby, NC, he was the son of the late Johnny Russell and Naomi Schenck and Cleveland and Ada Lou Elmore.

Jimmy was reared by his grandmother, Lather Melton in Shelby, NC. He attended school in Cleveland County and then transferred and graduated at Cardoza High School in Washington, DC. He worked for local textile companies such as DuPont and Hoechst Celanese before retiring. He enjoyed fixing televisions and eating good food. His favorite entrees to eat were chicken and steak. He liked going out to eat with his lunch buddy group, where they would laugh and have a good time. Jimmy also enjoyed watching Fred Sanford and westerns. He was a great fan of the Hornets and the Washington Redskins. His greatest passion was collecting watches, with Citizen and Swiss being his favorite brands.

Jimmy was a quiet man; a man who was a loving, strong support system to his family, and a man of God. He loved his family, hanging out with his grandchildren, and attending church services. He was a member of Shoal Creek Baptist Church where he served on the Men's Ministry and in the Couple's Ministry.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by brothers, Sherwood Marable and Devon Marable; brothers in law, RL Watson, Jr. and Samuel Eskridge; and sisters in law, Mattie Lathers and Adele Ruff.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife of 59 years, Virginia Elmore, of the home; son, Jimmy Elmore, Jr. (Barbara); daughter, Heidi Michelle Elmore; four grandchildren, Brandon Smith, Jeffrey Elmore, Jarel Elmore, and Courtney Elmore; great grandchildren, Braelynn Smith and Brandon Smith, Jr.; brother, Riley Watson (Flossie); sister in law, Helena Marable; and a host of relatives and friends.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

**Prelude**

**Processional**

**Officiating Minister**  
Rev. Dr. Michael Isaac

**Receiving of Friends**  
1:00 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

**Selection**

**Scripture Reading**

**Old Testament**  
Mr. Ben Dawkins

**New Testament**  
Rev. Frances Webber

**Prayer of Comfort**  
Rev. Michael Isaac

**Selection**

Shoal Creek Spiritual Choir

**Acknowledgements**

**Reading of Obituary**  
Silently

**Remarks** (2 Minutes)  
Mr. Edward Hardin

**Selection**

Shoal Creek Spiritual Choir

**Words of Comfort**  
.Rev. Dr. Michael Isaac

**Recessional Selection**  
Shoal Creek Spiritual Choir

**Interment**

Shoal Creek Baptist Church  
Cemetery  
Shelby, North Carolina



*Lasting  
Memories*

