



## Junius M. Downing

September 7, 1936 - December 26, 2020

Junius Martin Downing, 84, of Cross City, Florida passed away December 26, 2020.

Mr. Downing was born September 7, 1936 to the late Junius and Olif Downing in Shamrock, Florida. He was a life long resident of Dixie County, a member of Lydia Baptist Church, and enjoyed doing genealogy.

Mr. Downing is survived by his wife of 61 years Jo Allie Downing, his son Junius Loren Downing of Cross City, his daughter Lauren Kennedy (Michael) of Tallahassee, FL, his sister Diana Chappel of Cross City, his grandchildren Cole Downing (Kandice), Tyler Downing, Wyatt Downing, and Laurie Jo Downing, five great-grandchildren, and other extended family members.

Funeral services for Mr. Downing will be held 2:00 PM Wednesday, December 30, 2020 at Lydia Baptist Church in Cross City, with Pastor David Downing and Pastor Cole Downing officiating. Interment will follow at New Prospect Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Tuesday evening from 6 – 8 PM.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at

[rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com](http://rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Summerville / New Prospect Cemetery

220 SE 571 Street  
Old Town, FL 32680

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City  
16984 SE Hwy 19  
PO Box 1208  
Cross City, FL 32628

## Service

DEC **30**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Lydia Baptist Church  
PO Box 610  
Cross City, FL 32628

# Tribute Wall



“ Rick Gooding Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Junius M. Downing



Rick Gooding Funeral Homes - December 30, 2020 at 04:11 PM



“ Rick Gooding Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Junius M. Downing



Rick Gooding Funeral Homes - December 29, 2020 at 05:30 PM

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So sorry to hear of Junius's passing. He is with our Lord now and we will see him again someday.

Peggy and Mark Kunkle - December 29, 2020 at 09:43 PM



“ Junius M. Downing

October 08, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Junius M. Downing*

January 30, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *RENE FUTCH HOFFMAN lit a candle in memory of Junius M. Downing*



**RENE FUTCH HOFFMAN** - December 29, 2020 at 08:17 PM



“ *I treasure the times Junius spent helping me with our family history. I always thought I would get to Florida to meet my second cousin in person. But it is not to be. I thank him for his interest in our history and efforts to help all who asked questions about our family. His family is in my heart and prayers. Gone too soon. Bless him and you.*

**Susie Atkinson Ganch** - December 29, 2020 at 07:23 PM



“ *85 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Rick Gooding Funeral Homes** - December 29, 2020 at 04:54 PM