



## Kenneth M. Vaughan

April 5, 1931 - November 17, 2024

Kenneth Mack Vaughan of Old Town, Florida passed away November 17, 2024.

He was born on Easter Sunday 4/5/1931 in Echo, AL. Raised in the community of New Hope, Florida he was the first son of Walton Weston Vaughan and Mary Laird Vaughan. He graduated from Ponce de Leon Florida High School, earned a bachelor degree from Troy State Teachers College, and received a Masters of Music Education from Florida State University. He retired from the Florida Department of Corrections as the Director of Education at the Cross City Correctional Institute having assisted over 2,000 individuals in earning their general education degrees. He was a member of the Cross City Church of Christ and a founding member of Cross City Ecumenical Ministries Food Distribution Ministry. He was a resident of Old Town, FL for 30 years and a dedicated Masonic Lodge No. 268 in Cross City, Florida. He enjoyed fishing in his spare time and occasionally when he did not have spare time.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 54 years Lacy Smith Vaughan. He is survived by his son Walton Stephen Vaughan, his daughter Virginia Ann Vaughan, his grandchildren Nancy Elwynne Vaughan, Stephen Council Vaughan, MaryAnn Alise Jeffery, and his great grandchildren Cooper Graham Jeffery, Callan Grant Jeffery, Council Rowan Vaughan, and Nova Elinore

Vaughan.

Funeral services for Mr. Vaughan will be held 6:00 PM EST Friday, December 6, 2024 at the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with Pastor Don Brooker officiating. Interment will follow 1:00 PM CST Saturday, December 7, 2024 at the Mt. Ida Congregational Methodist Church in Westville, Florida.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of 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)

# Previous Events

## Service

DEC 6. 6:00 PM (ET)

Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City  
16984 SE Hwy 19  
Cross City, FL 32628  
(352) 498-5400

# Tribute Wall



“ Rick Gooding Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Kenneth M. Vaughan



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**Rick Gooding Funeral Homes** - December 06, 2024 at 10:57 PM

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“ To the Vaughan family:  
Our deepest condolences on your loss of brother Kenneth. I had the pleasure of working with him many years ago. He was a true educator. Always help people strive to improve their lives . His dedication to correctional education was second to none.he will be missed by the local community.  
May God bless the family.  
Jimmie, Rachel and Zach Hill  
Joe, maddie and vivi grae Giles iii  
Charles Emery and LeAnn Hill

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**Jimmie hill** - December 04, 2024 at 05:42 PM