



## Rev. Patrick Davis

October 30, 1940 - March 3, 2015

Rev. Patrick L. Davis, 74, of Martinsville went home to the Lord Tuesday, March 3, 2015, at IU Health Morgan Hospital. He is a native of Morgan County and one of Doc Merritts Boys. He was beloved and well known throughout central Indiana for his kindness, generosity and gentle spirit. Rev. Davis was a gifted singer, songwriter and musician and performed with such greats as Bobby Helms, Ferlin Husky, Jeannie C. Riley and many other accomplished artists. He is a lifetime member of the Country Music Association, the Nashville Song Writer Association, the Country Gospel Music Association and an inductee into the Rockabilly Hall of Fame, along with legends Elvis Presley, Jerry Lee Lewis and Johnny Cash. As the pastor of Gateway Tabernacle in Martinsville, Rev. Davis was a Bishop of the International Independent Churches Fellowship, Inc. and a member of the Sounds in the Wilderness gospel band. He is the son of the late Elmer Davis and Helen Ward Davis. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Daisy M. Davis of Martinsville, his brother, David L. Davis of Lake City, Florida, 8 children: Don Davis (Diane) of Indianapolis; Tammy Davis (Lloyd) of Indianapolis; Marty Davis (Cindy) of Wichita Falls, Texas; Patty Clouse (Rick) of Tullahoma, Tennessee; Beth Clifton of Indianapolis; Ron Forrester (Mali) of Union, Kentucky; Eva Marie Rutar of Martinsville and Lisa Anderson (Shawn), also of Martinsville, along with 23 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandchildren. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by 3 brothers: Phil, Stanley and Fred Davis as well as 2 sisters: Donna Miller and Elena

Costin. Visitation will be from 5:00 to 8:00 pm on Friday, March 6, at Hoosier Harvest Church, 4085 Leonard Road, Martinsville. Son-in-law, Pastor Rick Clouse of Living Water Pentecostal Church in Manchester, TN will officiate funeral services at 2:00 pm on Saturday, March 7, also at Hoosier Harvest Church, with visitation one hour prior. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Costin Funeral Chapel of Martinsville.

# Tribute Wall



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**Feldhaus-Gowen-Smith Memorial Chapel** - December 09, 2025 at 11:06 AM