

THE Bulletin

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"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things become new."

John Bramlett Ministry, Inc.

My life changed forever on October, 23rd. The love of my life went home to be with Jesus. There are no words or thoughts to tell you how my heart breaks every day missing John. I know he would not want to come back because for 41 years he talked about sweet Jesus! Now John is with Him and is well and whole again. It is all of us left here that are missing this incredible man that filled our lives in such a large way. We appreciate all the generosity shown toward our family, and also the wonderful stories we are still hearing of the many acts of love and kindness that John did for so many. I do know for sure the Lord made him and immediately threw away the mold.

After much prayer, we believe that the Lord wants us to continue spreading the gospel through John Bramlett Ministries. The ministry will still provide John's tracts, our books, his documentary and I will soon begin speaking again. I am praying that God will continue to use me to share our story to many groups in many places. Our boys too are committed to being available when they can to speak and share our story. They have most recently been asked to speak at a church Super Bowl Sunday Morning. Another exciting thing that has happened is that after hearing all of the many stories about the Bull it was suggested that these wonderful words should be shared in a book for many to read to be encouraged and challenged to be bolder for Jesus. Paige Cothren has offered to take all the stories and put into book form. We want as many stories as you want to share. Everybody seems to have a Bull story, so we are asking that you take any story that you might share about John and send it to us. Many are excited about telling something about John. They can be funny, dear or just special to you. But whatever you do please don't put it off, we need your stories!

Please send them to us at: stories@bramlett.org

or to

Paige Cothren

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We hope to have this published very soon. This book will not only encourage people about a life well lived, but how only God can make the impossible happen. We are also in the process of looking into having John's story made into a feature film. Please be in prayer over this, we believe if God desires to use John's story in this capacity to reach more people for Jesus then it will happen. I hope this gives you just a glimpse of the many ways the ministry is continuing, we believe John's desire is for all to know Jesus' love and forgiveness, even more so now that his faith is sight. Please continue to support this ministry so that we can honor John's faithfulness by to continuing share his story of God's redemptive power in his life and to ultimately bring glory and honor to our Savior, Jesus Christ.

There have been many requests for a DVD of the funeral. It was special and this is because he was a special man. If you want one please call me at 901-412-6786 and leave your name, number, and request. If you want to make a contribution to the ministry to cover the mailing that would be appreciated. We will never be able to thank all of the many that sent contributions to many ministries and organizations in honor of Bull. There was even an athletic scholarship given in honor of Bull.

We have been asked about the Pop Andrews Golf Classic - we will be renaming the tournament this year and it will be known as "the Bull" is tentatively scheduled for the first Monday in June with a new venue. We will be sending more details soon.

The Bull always signed his cards to me "Love you with all my heart", and feel I that there is no better way to close this letter than to express my love for all of you and do the same. Please pray for our family during this Holiday Season.

Love you with all my heart

Nancy Bramlett

LETTERS

Hi, I'm Rebecca, the eldest grandchild, better known as Puddin and I know what you're thinking. Yes, I am the favorite. Poppy and I did have a close bond. He was my best friend. We both hate small talk, we both love bluegrass, the color red and making fun of nana. Every time people talk about my grandfather, I hear about his wild days as the meanest man in football or his soul winning days as a dynamic evangelist. I know a very different side. My poppy wore a pink hair bow to my tea parties, cried over Charlottes Web and Princess Diaries, helped me pick out a formal dress and attended every dance recital. He was kind, gentle, patient, loving and selfless. He showed me what a father, husband, and friend should be. I'm so grateful that he is now a free man and is no longer a slave to the cancer and troubles of this world. Psalm 107:13-14 Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress. He brought them out of darkness, and broke away their chains. I love you.

The Bull and Rebecca having tea. Notice the Bull's pink bow!

Mrs. Nancy Bramlett and Family,
This note is to let you know the
Highland Hundred

is making a donation to the James B McClendon, Highland Hundred Scholarship at the University of Memphis in your name to honor John. He was truly a fine

man who supported the University of Memphis as a player and fan. The entire Highland Hundred sends our words of support for you and the family.
Sincerely,
Tom Fristick
Class of 67
Past President
Highland Hundred

Dear Nancy,
What a true & wonderful verse. We know you are experiencing His comfort this very minute & that there is a void that only the Lord can fill. We were so sorry to hear of John's passing. She was such a wonderful, dynamic witness for the Lord & touched so many lives. We rejoice however that he is in glory with our Savior. We know that the days will be hard, but that God is ministering to your heart and soul right now. Allow him to carry you through this time & give you His amazing comfort & reassurance. One day you will have a glorious meeting, but Jesus will keep you till then. Prayerfully in Christ,
Don & Virginia
Phil 4:19

WE NEED YOUR STORIES!

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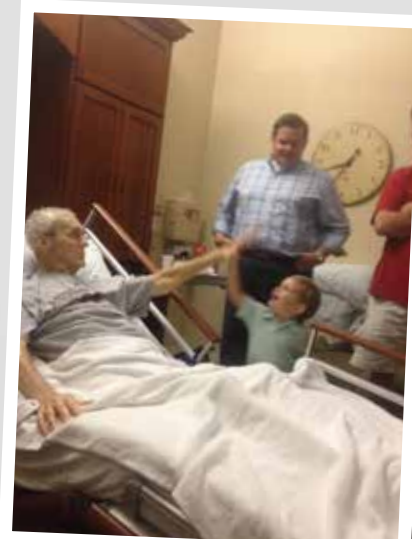
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Precious Nancy and Family,
Ed and I are praying for you all at this difficult & bittersweet time. We pray that you are experiencing His loving comfort, mercy and grace. God is faithful – His promises are true – and we can cling to the promise found in Joshua 1:5 "I will be with thee; I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee." May our dear Lord give you everything you need- when you need it. John Bramlett ("Bull") was a very special man – special to so many – but even more special to his "SWEET JESUS". Nancy John was His "faithful servant" & so are you! May God continue to use you, our faithful sister in Christ. Ed, and Barbara



Hudson Castellaw giving Bull a high five

I was so sorry to hear of John's passing. He visited my husband (George) in 1985 when we were at Baptist



Grayson Castellaw giving Bull a high five

Hospital and George was being treated for lung cancer. He died on June 8, 1985 and that visit from John and his witnessing to George made a real impact on him. I don't know how John found out about my husbands illness. I wasn't at the hospital when he visited but as soon as I got back he told me about John's visit and showed me the pamphlet he left. I still have it in my Bible. Again I'm so sorry for your loss.
In Christ
Anita



Dear Nancy,
I know you will get thousands of well wishes but none more sincere than ours. We loved John, and Bill felt so blessed to have been part of his ministry in the early films. The Sweet Jesus retreats were also highlights of our lives and such a sweet time to draw closer to our Lord. I loved the way the TV reporters gave you much credit for John's turn around years ago. You have both remained a stalwart witness for Jesus Christ. So it is His name we pray for your peace and solace at this difficult time – We'll meet again!
In Him & with our love,
Bill & Sherrill



No words can help you through these next days. The hole in your heart is vast. John loved the holidays and would have you celebrate his life, legacy and Lord in as happy a way as you can muster up. Know you are loved by many.
All our love,
Charlie& Pat



A very tender moment.
Mary Beth Crockett Turner singing to Bull



Family share time



Hunter Bramlett sharing about his Poppy



Jordan (JoJo) little Bull speaking at Poppy's memorial service



Daniel Crews, Dr. Ken Whitten, and Steve McCune singing at the Bull's memorial service

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*Glory to God in the highest, and on
earth peace, good will toward men.*

Luke 2: 14

*Merry Christmas
from our family to yours*

The Bramletts

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