

Barry Russell West, 95, passed peacefully into the loving arms of his savior, Jesus Christ, at his home in Farmington, Arkansas on October 27, 2025. He was born on July 30, 1930, in Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

Barry graduated from the University of Arkansas with his Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering and went on to earn his Master's degree in Mechanical Engineering from Southern Methodist University. His career included working at Texas Instruments and Rosemount Uniloc where his designs included 4 patents. He joined the U.S. National Guard during the Korean War and achieved the rank of First Lieutenant.

After living in California for 20 years, Barry and his beloved wife, Sherron West, moved to Arkansas. They enjoyed spending their retirement in Farmington, where Barry designed and built their home. Barry and Sherron recently celebrated their 66th anniversary.

Two experimental aircraft were constructed by Barry at his home. He further combined his love of flying and building airplanes while serving as president of his local Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA).

Barry is survived by his wife, Sherron, of the home; daughter Robin Kostka (Kevin); son Russell; grandsons Andrew, Sam, Luke (Chelsey); 3 great-grandchildren: Kaiya, Kove and Isla; sister-in-law Joannye Crabb; niece Laura Fuger, and nephew Ken West. He was preceded in death by his brother, Kenneth West.

APPRECIATION

On behalf of the family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home
Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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Celebrating *THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF*



Barry Russell *West*

July 30, 1930 - October 27, 2025

*For I know the plans I have for you,
declares the Lord, plans for welfare and
not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.*

Jeremiah 29:11

TWENTY THIRD PSALM

The LORD is my Shepherd;
I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in
green pastures:
He leadeth me beside
the still waters.

He restoreth my soul:
He leadeth me in the paths
of righteousness for
His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the
valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil:
for Thou art with me:
Thy rod and Thy staff
they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table
before me in the presence
of mine enemies:
Thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and
mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life:
and I will dwell in the house
of the LORD forever.

CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF

Barry Russell West

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Friday, November 7, 2025 - 10:00 A.M.

Prairie Grove Christian Church

Prairie Grove, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude

Family Memories Video

Welcome

Scripture

Obituary

Vance Eubanks

“Christ Be Magnified”

Shared Family Memories

Words of Comfort

Vance Eubanks

Closing Prayer

“When The Saints Go Marching In”

Postlude Music

GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WITH MILITARY HONORS WILL FOLLOW
AT THE FAYETTEVILLE NATIONAL CEMETERY AT 11:30 A.M.

MILITARY HONORS

United States Army Honor Guard

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Fayetteville National Cemetery

Fayetteville, Arkansas

A great man is not great
because of the size of his wallet.
He is great because of
the size of his heart.

A great man is not great
because of his successes.
He is great because of the
successes of those he has
touched and taught .

A great man is not judged by the
love he receives for doing great
things. He is loved by others
because of all the great
things he did.

A great man is not considered
great because of the
life he lived but
he becomes great because he
lives life with such passion.

Today we say goodbye to a
great, great man.