



## Joe L Davis

September 25, 1923 - October 15, 2014

Joe L. Davis, 91, of Wauchula, passed away on October 15, 2014 at Lakeland Regional Medical Center. Joe was born September 25, 1923 in Wauchula,

He was a Realtor and a citrus grove owner in Polk, Highlands, Hardee, and DeSoto Counties. He is a member of the Florida Citrus Hall of Fame, and the First Baptist Church of Wauchula. He served as Chairman of the Florida Citrus Commission twice after being appointed by Governor Graham in the 1970's and reappointed by Governor Chiles in the 1990's.

He is survived by his wife of 68 years, Patricia M. Davis; his son and daughter-in-law, Joe L. Davis, Jr. and Gloria C. Davis; three grandchildren, Laurel, Ashley, and Savannah; and two great-grandchildren, Cameron and Olivia.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at the First Baptist Church of Wauchula at 11:00 A.M. Visitation is Monday evening from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. at Robarts Garden Chapel. Lunch will be served after the funeral services in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Florida Baptist Children's Home, the American Cancer Society, or the Hardee YMCA.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Robarts Garden Chapel  
529 West Main Street  
Wauchula, FL 33873  
(863) 773-9773  
robartsfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<http://www.robartsfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

OCT **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Wauchula  
1570 West Main Street  
Wauchula, FL 33873  
(863) 773-4182  
<http://www.fbcwauchula.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Joe L Davis.



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October 20, 2014 at 09:00 AM



“ *Last time We saw Joe L. Sr. we and him were working out @ the Wauc YMCA we talked about hunting birds and his Arthuritis what a great guy and a pillar of the community . such a great person and a die hard Democrat. he will be sorely missed for sure. Ernie Ziglar said that.*

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**ernest ziglar** - October 19, 2014 at 09:51 PM



“ *Love's Tapestry* was purchased for the family of Joe L Davis.



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October 17, 2014 at 06:20 PM