



## Hugh Lee "Fargo" Robinson

December 16, 1950 - March 15, 2025

Hugh Lee "Fargo" Robinson, 74, of Sweetwater, peacefully went to Heaven on Saturday, March 15, 2025. Fargo had spent the last 56 years as a devoted on-air radio personality for the same company, WDEH. His hard work, love and support from his community, led him to receiving a proclamation of "Fargo Day in Sweetwater" on June 12, 2012.

Fargo had always tried to serve the Lord as best he could. He became a minister himself and would travel to spread the word of the gospel whenever possible. He had just recently retired after losing his loving wife. He was struggling with his own health but was determined to get well and go back out traveling the country to minister. He didn't get the opportunity, but God did see every step that Fargo took in preparation.

Fargo was married to his wife, Wilma, for 23 years before she passed away this past January. They truly loved one another, and they did not have to stay separated for long.

Fargo was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse Robinson and Gladys Ellison Robinson; wife Wilma Broglin Robinson; daughter Lora Tuck; son James "Jimmy" Baker; brother Ralph Robinson; sister Betty Jean Thomas and brother in law; Mitchell Ray Kendall.

Fargo is survived by his two daughters Kathy Thweatt of Martin, TN; Lillie Alkhashti Cox (Todd); grandchildren Kayla Johnson, Christopher Alkhasti, Houston "Little Hugh" Alkhashti, Chase Thweatt, and Chelsea Thweatt. Also left to cherish his memory are his sisters Evelyn Kuykendall of Sweetwater;

Jane Wattanbarger (Glenn) of Niota; and Carol Cook (Clyde) of Old Fort; brother-in-laws Carl Thomas of Madisonville; and Lukie Larry Broglin of Sweetwater; many nieces, nephews, cousins and close friends that will miss him dearly.

Receiving of friends will be on Saturday March 22, 2025, at Sweetwater Memory Chapel from 5:00 PM-7:00 PM. Funeral services will immediately follow at 7:00 PM with Rev. Larry Broglin officiating. Burial will be on Sunday March 23, 2025 at Sweetwater Memorial Park at 2:00 PM.

Sweetwater Memory Chapel is honored to serve the Robinson Family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 22. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Sweetwater Memory Chapel  
P.O. Box 201  
1838 Highway 11 North  
Sweetwater, TN 37874  
(423) 337-7773  
<https://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com>

## Funeral Service

MAR 22. 7:00 PM (ET)

Sweetwater Memory Chapel  
P.O. Box 201  
1838 Highway 11 North  
Sweetwater, TN 37874  
(423) 337-7773  
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## Burial

MAR 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

Sweetwater Memorial Park  
1838 Hwy 11 N  
Sweetwater, TN 37874

# Tribute Wall



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Hugh Lee "Fargo" Robinson.



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March 20, 2025 at 01:52 PM



“ Always enjoyed talking to Fargo when I took tapes to WDEH for daily program. Bettye Sloan, retired Monroe County Extension Agent

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**Bettye Sloan** - March 19, 2025 at 03:54 PM



“ I worked with Fargo for 15 years doing play by play football and basketball. He was always top notch and professional and a prince of a man. I thank God for him.  
-Jack Pennington

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**Jack Pennington** - March 18, 2025 at 05:43 PM



“ I met him at long John's silver and I remember he would always take care of the kids he would always give them icy pops. He was amazing man with a big heart and lots of jokes. I'm gonna miss him

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**Selina Archer** - March 18, 2025 at 04:38 PM