



## Charles Elbert Prince

February 22, 1936 - December 9, 2023

Loris...

Charles Elbert Prince, age 87, passed away Saturday, December 9, 2023. Mr. Prince was born in Conway, SC a son of the late Fletcher Elbert Prince and the late Beulah Cox Prince. He graduated from Furman University and attended the Southeastern Theological Seminary, but eventually decided not to enter into the ministry. Because of his love for children, however, he found his calling and began a career in social work. Mr. Prince truly saw his work with children as a ministry. He once said, "it isn't an academic degree that makes a social worker, it is the truthful concern for other people within his own nature." He worked in Horry County, SC as a social worker before moving to Elizabethtown, NC in 1973 to become the Social Services Director for the Bladen County Department of Social Services. He served in this capacity for 20 years before retiring. Mr. Prince also loved his family dearly and will be remembered as a devoted and loving husband and father.

Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Armenta W. Prince of Loris; and one son, Keith Elbert Prince of Loris.

The family will receive friends Thursday, December 14, 2023 from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Thursday, December 14, 2023 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel with Rev. Larry Allen officiating.

Entombment will follow at the Hillcrest Mausoleum in Conway.

Please sign an online guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544  
Conway, SC 29526  
(843) 347-4909  
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 14. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel  
1011 Highway 9 Business East  
Loris, SC 29569  
(843) 756-9273  
[info@goldfinchfuneralhome.com](mailto:info@goldfinchfuneralhome.com)  
<https://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

DEC 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel  
1011 Highway 9 Business East  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Armenta and Keith, my sincere love and sympathy is extended to you at this time. So sorry I cannot attend services for Charles. Will hold you close in my heart and prayers in the days ahead. With Love and Sympathy, Jean Prince Parker*

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**Jean P Parker** - December 13, 2023 at 01:44 PM