



Joseph Blake Vinson

February 18, 1948 - January 14, 2026

Joseph Blake Vinson, 77 years old, died January 14, 2026, at his home at Waukeelah Plantation Farm. He was born February 18, 1948, in Clearwater, Florida. He homesteaded Waukeelah Plantation Farm in 1986 and was the owner and remarkable steward to his beloved place for the rest of his life. Absolutely was his favorite place to be.

He is survived by his wife, Kim Elizabeth Ervin, who married October 19, 1996. He is also survived by his son James Neely Chason, Neely's wife Whitney, and their son Benjamin Neely; and his son Josh Walters, Josh's wife Amanda, and their daughters— Joe's nieces—Evelyn, Penelope, and Willow. He is also survived by his sisters Lauralie Roylance and Francis Bradford; nieces Lauralie Bradford, Rosalie Pareja, and Annalie Bradford; nephew Dylan Bradford; and brother-in-law James Mann Ervin Jr., his wife Cassandra, and their daughters Jennifer Stafford, her husband Patrick and their children Otis and Loretta, and Katie, her husband Matt and their daughter Rubi James. Joe is predeceased by his son Joe Blake Vinson, who died September 17, 2005.

All who knew Joe loved him. He loved to hunt, fish, golf, and discuss Gator football, among a sundry of other subjects. He especially loved telling stories about life and how much he loved it.

You are welcome to our home at 799 Waukeelah Plantation Road, Monticello, Florida 32344, on Saturday, February 14, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. until... to share memories, stories, and say goodbye in whatever way feels whole to you, with

music playing throughout the afternoon.

Joe loved everyone.

See ya there.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

Waukeelah Plantation Farm
799 Waukeelah Plantation Rd
Monticello, FL 32344

Make sure if you put the address in your GPS you put "Rd" or you'll go to the wrong location.