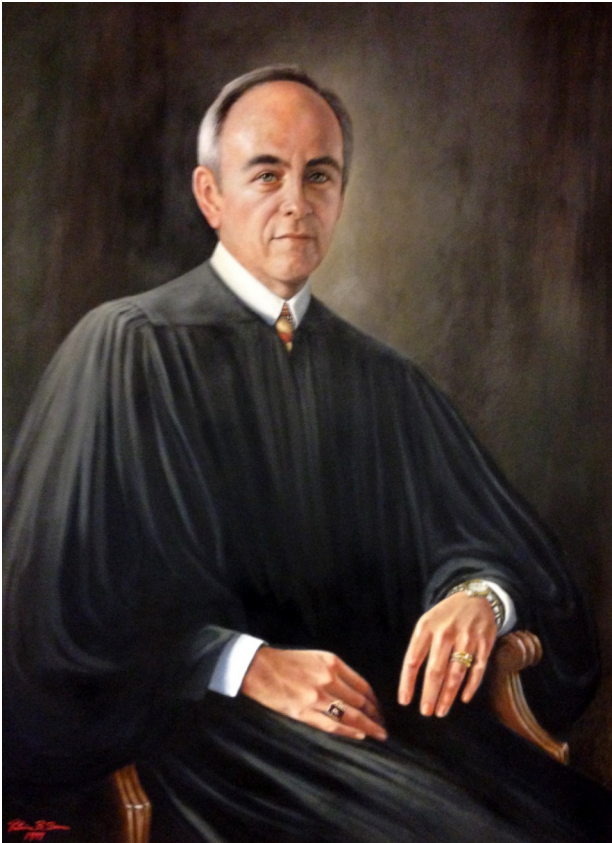


MARK KENNEDY

Associate Justice: 1989-1999

BORN: May 05, 1952; Greenville, Alabama

DIED: July 17, 2024; Montgomery, Alabama



***Portrait by PATRICE B. BOONE,
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Oil on canvas, circa 2000***

A native of Greenville, Alabama, Mark Kennedy, attended the public schools of Greenville. He graduated from Auburn University in 1973, and received a Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from Cumberland School of Law in 1977.

Kennedy served as a law clerk and staff attorney to Judge John P. DeCarlo of the Court of Criminal Appeals. In 1978, he was appointed judge of the District Court for Montgomery County, and was elected to that position in 1984. In 1988, Kennedy was elected to the Supreme Court of Alabama as an associate justice. He was re-elected in 1994. He retired from the court in 1999.

He served as Founding Chairman of the Children's Trust Fund for the State of Alabama, Founder and Chairman of the Board of the Corporate Foundation for Children, Founder of Alabama Lawyers for Children, and a number of other similar groups. He also served on the Board of Alabama Heart Association and the State of Alabama Judicial Inquiry Commission.

Kennedy married Peggy Sue Wallace, and they had two children

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