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C. Michael Adams, Jr., is an estate planning attorney in Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. Adams began providing tax and accounting advice to clients in 1990 as a tax accountant and was a Certified Public Accountant until going inactive in 2020. He has practiced law since 1998, primarily in the areas of estate planning, taxation, wills and trusts, and probate administration. Mr. Adams is one of 7 attorneys in Memphis who are certified as specializing in Estate Planning by the National Association of Estate Planners and Councils.

He routinely advises clients on matters of estate tax and income tax planning, asset protection, fraud protection, special needs trusts, probate avoidance, and probate and trust administration. He is a frequent lecturer on these topics to legal, accounting and financial professionals in greater Memphis area and has been featured in The Memphis Business Journal and The Memphis Daily News discussing estate planning. He has also served as an adjunct professor at the University of Memphis School of Law.

Recently, Mike was one of our valued sponsors for the 2026 NAIFA Memphis / West TN Pickleball tournament, which raised a record amount of money for our charity, Camp Good Grief. The numbers are still being tallied, but Mike's participation over the last two years has been a very important part of the fundraising effort.