



## Alvin Daniel Willis

December 29, 1935 - December 27, 2014

Alvin Daniel Willis, 78, husband of the late Hattie Lou McCarson Willis, passed away on Saturday, December 27, 2014 at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

Born in Greenville County, he was the son of the late William Cooper and Ethel Shelton Willis. Alvin was a veteran of the US Army and retired from Nestle Corporation after 25 years of service. He was a member of the Wild Turkey Federation and was a skilled turkey call maker. He was an active member of Enoree Baptist Church and the Ingram Willis Sunday School Class.

Surviving are his daughter: Tracy Willis Garrett and husband Bryan; sister: Hazel Spencer; grandsons: Bryan Willis Garrett and Brandon Greene; great-grandson: Bryce Greene; special niece: Cheryl Ann Gragg and special sister-in-law: Virginia Willis.

Along with his wife, Alvin was predeceased by 5 brothers and 2 sisters.

Funeral service will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. at Enoree Baptist Church.

Visitation will be held Wednesday afternoon from 1:30 until 2:45 p.m. at

Enoree Baptist Church.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

The family will be at the home of his daughter.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at  
[thehowzemortuary@yahoo.com](mailto:thehowzemortuary@yahoo.com).

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest is in charge of the arrangements. (864)  
834-8051.

# Cemetery Details

## Enoree Baptist Church Cemetery

881 Tigerville Road  
Travelers Rest, SC 29690  
(864) 834-8051

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 31. 1:30 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Enoree Baptist Church  
881 Tigerville Rd.  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Service

DEC 31. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Enoree Baptist Church  
881 Tigerville Rd.  
Travelers Rest, SC

# Tribute Wall

DS

“ Sorry to learn of the passing of Alvin. He was a loving Christian man. Enjoyed listening to him sing. A gifted wood worker. Many wonderful memories of Alvin during our time at Enoree Baptist Church. Prayers for each family member.

*Rev. & Mrs. David (Nancy) Smith*

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**David & Nancy Smith** - December 30, 2014 at 07:53 PM

JF

“ Dear Tracy and family,  
We were so sad to hear of Alvin's passing. We know he is in a better place and has been healed. Our loss is Heaven's gain! You are in our thoughts and prayers. May our Heavenly Father richly bless and comfort you. We love you!

*Sincerely,  
Hazel W. Spencer  
George & Joyce Fisher*

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**Joyce Fisher** - December 30, 2014 at 09:35 AM

PL

“ Judy and I are praying for you all. I know Alvin will be greatly missed.

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**Pastor Tim Lee** - December 30, 2014 at 09:09 AM

CB

“ *I attend Enoree with Alvin and so enjoyed hearing him sing....  
Thought of him when I heard this song.... He will be greatly missed  
at Enoree, but he is shoutin' in heaven and singing with the angels.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you, Tracy, and all your family.*

*Go rest high on that mountain  
Son, your work on earth is done.  
Go to heaven a-shoutin'  
Love for the Father and the Son.*

*Oh, how we cried the day you left us  
We gathered round your grave to grieve.  
I wish I could see the angels faces  
When they hear your sweet voice sing.*

*Go rest high on that mountain  
Son, your work on earth is done.  
Go to heaven a-shoutin'  
Love for the Father and the Son.*

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**Carol Batson** - December 30, 2014 at 06:57 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for  
the family of Alvin Daniel Willis.*



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December 29, 2014 at 03:21 PM

DC

“ Alvin was a fine outstanding man, personal friend and singing buddy. We sang in quartets and sat together in the choir singing tenor at Enoree Baptist Church. Glad I went to see him in the hospital and prayed with him. We will sing together again one day in heaven.

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**Donnie Crews** - December 28, 2014 at 10:02 PM



“ May God be with each family member and friend, providing grace, mercy, love and strength for each hour, day and challenge ahead. Heaven's choir now has a new member. Earth's loss is Heaven's gain. We, as Christians, can look forward to seeing Alvin again awaiting us on Heaven's bright shore. Love and prayers, Mrs. Ruth Ellen Bates Mitchell, Tonya Sabrina Mitchell & Mr. Brian Lee Pace.



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**Tonya Mitchell** - December 28, 2014 at 09:57 PM

WG

“ My papa Alvin was the best papa ever he taught me how to fish and catch crabs in a net I will miss him so much I loved my papa so much I will miss him so much

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**will garrett** - December 28, 2014 at 03:57 PM