



Larry James Williams

May 15, 1940 - November 13, 2015

Larry James Williams "Papa Louie", 75, of Travelers Rest, passed away Friday, November 13 at his home.

Born in Travelers Rest, he was the son of Melvin Odell Williams and Mary Terry Williams. He was retired from Greenville County Schools.

He is survived by his daughters: Meri Gilreath (Ansel), Melissa Rathbone (Chris), and Diane Shrock (Ron); two sisters: Waveleen Surrett (James), and Marilyn Truett (Gary); one brother Morris Williams (Pat); and three grandchildren: Ansley Gilreath, Dylan Rathbone, and Lena Laws

Along with his parents he was predeceased by his wife of 50 years Judith Williams, and one brother: Sylvian Williams.

The family will receive friends Wednesday from 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary. Memorial service will follow at 7:30 p.m. in The Howze Mortuary Chapel.

The family will be at 2203 Tigerville Rd. Travelers Rest.

In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to Cross Plains Baptist Church, 1305 Chinquapin Road Travelers Rest, SC 29690

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.thehowzemortuary.com

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

Cemetery Details

Private Burial

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 18. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369
Travelers Rest, SC

Service

NOV 18. 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel
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Travelers Rest, SC

Tribute Wall

AA

“ *Missy and Family,
Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers at this time.
Papa was a special man and will be missed by all who knew him!
Love
Annie and Charlie Anderson*

Annie Anderson - November 22, 2015 at 03:29 PM

JT

“ *Larry will be missed. He was very friendly and I'm glad I got to know him. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. God Bless! Jean Tyson Bi-lo Cashier*

jean tyson - November 19, 2015 at 03:14 PM

KS

“ *Meri,
Just learned about your father's passing. Please know I'm keeping you and your family in my thoughts and sending my condolence.*

Karen Salyer

Karen Salyer - November 18, 2015 at 04:24 PM

DT

“ *So sorry to read about your father Meri. We are out of town but will keep you all in our prayers in this sad time.
May our Heavenly Father keep you in His arms and give you comfort.*



Doris & Dean Tankersley - November 18, 2015 at 09:08 AM

CW

“ *Cindy Williams lit a candle in memory of Larry James Williams*



Cindy Williams - November 17, 2015 at 07:17 PM

GW

“ *Gladys Human Wilkes lit a candle in memory of Larry James Williams*



Gladys Human Wilkes - November 17, 2015 at 05:41 PM

GW

So sorry for your loss. I remember Larry for his smile and how he loved to make others smile. Aunt Mary and Uncle Melvin have another family member with them now, and they are rejoicing. May God Bless. Gladys Human Wilkes & Kenny Wilkes

Gladys Human Wilkes - November 17, 2015 at 05:43 PM

SW

“ *Sue Howard & Tammy Walker lit a candle in memory of Larry James Williams*



Sue Howard & Tammy Walker - November 17, 2015 at 10:02 AM

TF

“ PaPa Louie was my bus driver for many years. He was the most carrying bus driver that I ever road with. You will be missed PaPa Louie.



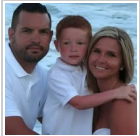
Tommy Freeman - November 17, 2015 at 08:38 AM

LC

“ I remember Larry & Judy running the store there at Mtn. View for many years. Great people. Had lovely little daughters . Now they all growed up and have families . Even tho I haven't seen Larry in years. I'm sure his family will miss him dearly. I have good memories of Larry and Judy. May god be with the family during this sad time and peace in their hearts. Libby Owens Cantrell



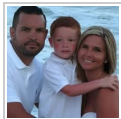
libby cantrell - November 16, 2015 at 11:08 PM



“ Becky Wood lit a candle in memory of Larry James Williams



Becky Wood - November 16, 2015 at 09:53 PM



May you find comfort in your Faith in God..

Becky Wood - November 16, 2015 at 09:54 PM

RM

“ Sorry for Loss! You are in our thoughts and prayers at this time! If there is anything we can do for the family please let us know.
Rufus & Kim Morgan

Rufus & Kim Morgan - November 16, 2015 at 06:34 PM

MH

“ Some of my favorite memories are the times we spent together. Helping you and you teaching me many things. I love you Uncle Larry and will miss you always.
Matthew Hinton



Matthew Hinton - November 16, 2015 at 06:18 PM

DR

“ Denise Richardson lit a candle in memory of Larry James Williams



Denise Richardson - November 16, 2015 at 06:15 PM

SP

“ Stanley & Vckie Pressley lit a candle in memory of Larry James Williams



Stanley & Vckie Pressley - November 16, 2015 at 04:55 PM

SP

So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and Prayers for your Family.

Stanley & Vickie Pressley - November 16, 2015 at 05:00 PM

DE

“ *Just wanted to let you know that we are thinking about you in your in your time of sorrow. Just remember you will see him again in heaven. I know what you all are going threw I just lost my father last year. We will be praying for you in the days ahead.*
Love you,
Danny and Diane Evatt



diane evatt - November 16, 2015 at 04:02 PM

NB

“ *Meri,*
We did not know your Dad, but I feel that he must have been an amazing Dad.I am sure that the person you are today is a great reflection of the man he was. I know you pain is so great and you miss him. Rest assured that he is dancing and singing glory to the lord in his heavenly home. We are praying for you and your family.
Steve and Nancy Barnwell

Nancy Barnwell - November 16, 2015 at 03:51 PM