



W.L. "Rooster" Burns

August 7, 1941 - June 5, 2020

William Luther Burns, 78, of Marietta, SC, widower of the late Jane McKinney Burns, passed away, on Friday, June 5, 2020 at McCall Hospice House. Born in Greenville County, he was a son of the late Perry Dolphus and Junnie Mae Kidd Burns. Mr. Burns served in the US Army, was an over the road Truck Driver for Wrangler Jeans, and was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church. He was Past Master of Ebenezer Lodge #101, and long time member of the Slater-Marietta Lions Club.

Surviving are two daughters: Kim Burns (Gary) and Amy Staton (Jimmy); one son: Tim Burns (Elisa); one sister: MaryAnn Jowers (Franklin); three grandchildren: Perry Burns, Lily Staton, and Jaydie Staton; and two great-grandchildren: Jayden Burns, and Jaxson Burns.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was predeceased by one brother: Lloyd Burns, and one grandson: Matthew Burns.

The family will receive friends Tuesday, June 9, 2020 from 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary.

Funeral Services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 9, 2020 in The Howze Mortuary Chapel. Burial will follow in Coleman Memorial Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Foundation Fighting Blindness, P.O. Box 45740, Baltimore, MD 21297.

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

Cemetery Details

Coleman Memorial Cemetery

1599 Geer Hwy
Travelers Rest, SC

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

JUN 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JO

“ *The W.L. Burns family, I was sorry to here about the passing of W.L., I served with him at the Marietta Lions Club. We had some good times. May God bless you.
A Friend, Jimmie Owings*

jimmie owings - June 09, 2020 at 08:02 PM

PS

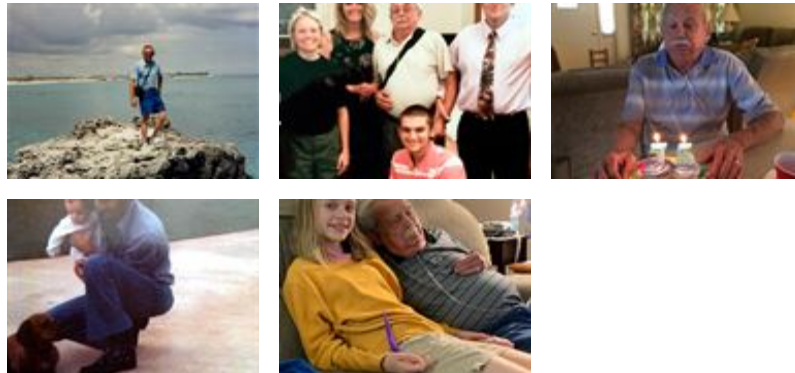
“ *Pauline Segar lit a candle in memory of W.L.
"Rooster" Burns*



Pauline Segar - June 07, 2020 at 11:52 PM



“ *81 files added to the album Life Tributes*



The Howze Mortuary - June 07, 2020 at 01:48 PM

DW

“ Danny And Linda Whitaker lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns



Danny and Linda Whitaker - June 07, 2020 at 10:34 AM

LR

“ Lisa Reece lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns



Lisa Reece - June 07, 2020 at 12:14 AM

TJ

“ My deepest sympathy to you and your family 🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️. May God Continue to Bless and Comfort You ❤️❤️🙏🙏🙏🌹🌹🌹🥺

Teresa Jones-Henry - June 06, 2020 at 09:45 PM

DJ

“ Debbie Jewell lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns



Debbie Jewell - June 06, 2020 at 09:20 PM

AA

“ *Family;
Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers at this time. Papa
will be missed by all who loved him. Nanny and Matty greeted him
with open arms!!
Love y'all
Annie and Charlie*

Annie Anderson - June 06, 2020 at 08:47 PM

TH

“ *WL was a very loving and caring man and I
will never forget the memories I have of him
especially his big bugs. Prayers for my bestie
and the family. I love you all.*



Tammy Harbert - June 06, 2020 at 05:23 PM

MS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family
and friends. Treasure your memories. Take
comfort in knowing he is so much better now
than he was and that you will see him again.
Love to all of you.*



Martha Staton - June 06, 2020 at 04:48 PM

JT

“ *Joyce Thorne lit a candle in memory of W.L.
"Rooster" Burns*



Joyce Thorne - June 06, 2020 at 04:38 PM

PM

“ *The Pattie Massoni Family RIP AMEN*



Pattie Massoni - June 06, 2020 at 04:23 PM

DB

“ *So thankful all the family memories, especially the races at Speedway Park.*

Danny & Tammie Burns - June 06, 2020 at 03:58 PM

DB

“ *Danny & Tammie Burns lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns*



Danny & Tammie Burns - June 06, 2020 at 03:54 PM

NB

“ *Nathan & Gaynell Bayne lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns*



Nathan & Gaynell Bayne - June 06, 2020 at 02:33 PM

PH

“ *Pamela Hamilton lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns*



pamela hamilton - June 06, 2020 at 01:09 PM

MH

“ *MARTHA HOLT lit a candle in memory of W.L. "Rooster" Burns*



MARTHA HOLT - June 06, 2020 at 01:08 PM