



Lawrence Alvin Wilson

February 26, 1946 - July 19, 2023

Lawrence Alvin Wilson, age 77, of Rock Cave, the Gaines Community, went to his heavenly home on Wednesday, July 19, 2023. He was born February 26, 1946, in Upshur County, a son of the late Bacel Edward and Waunita Kathleen Lane Wilson. He was united in marriage on November 18, 1964, to Tressie May Peck Wilson, who survives. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters: Tammy Shingleton and Vickie and husband Thomas McClain; one son, Alvin and wife Robin Wilson. Lawrence will be missed dearly by his grandchildren; Randy Shingleton, Leah and husband Tony Chidester and Justin Wilson. Lawrence was so proud of his grandchildren and great grandchildren; Owen, Tanner and Jase Chidester, Barrett and Brantley Wilson and Cason Burnside (Shingleton); sisters: Margaret Anderson, Karen and husband Gordon Baum, Pamela and husband Dallas Herndon; one brother, Timothy Wilson and companion Kelly Fisher; several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his beloved grandson, Jacob Wade McClain and his brother-in-law Loren Anderson.

Lawrence spent his life providing for his family. He was a kind man, who didn't know a stranger, a friend to many. In his free time, you could find him tinkering in his garage. There was nothing he couldn't fix or rebuild. Throughout his life he acquired a collection of many unique things; hit and miss motors, old farm tractors, and quite a collection of antiques. He built many friendships with those he traded with, bought from, or sold to. For many years Lawrence had a home-made ice cream maker that ran by a hit and miss motor. He enjoyed making ice cream for his family, friends, and community. Lawrence has left his family and friends with many fond memories, and he will be greatly missed by all. The family is honoring his wishes for cremation and a private family graveside service will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall

CW

“ *Craig and I have many fond memories of Lawrence. We are sending our love, hugs, and prayers to Tressie and family.* ”



Craig Wilson - July 22, 2023 at 03:53 PM

MH

“ *To All: Buster and I were saddened to hear of Lawrence's passing. He was a very kind man and loved his family deeply. Lawrence and Buster shared many years of good memories----our thoughts and prayers are with you all.* ”



Mary and Buster Hyre - July 22, 2023 at 02:44 PM

KB

“ *Kenny Cathy Bonner lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Alvin Wilson* ”



Kenny Cathy Bonner - July 22, 2023 at 08:55 AM

TH

“ *Tammy Huffman lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Alvin Wilson* ”



Tammy Huffman - July 22, 2023 at 07:48 AM

DP

“ *So sorry for your loss hugs and prayers for everyone* ”



Delmis / Patty - July 22, 2023 at 06:43 AM

KP

“ Dear Vickie, Tammy and Family, sending thoughts and prayers during this time. May you all find solace, peace and love in our Heavenly Father.

Karen Persinger - July 22, 2023 at 03:36 AM

DS

“ Sending our Love and Prayers to the family.
Shane and Donna Small



Donna Small - July 21, 2023 at 10:44 PM

DS

“ Love and Prayers to the family.
Aunt Mary



Donna Small - July 21, 2023 at 10:41 PM

JC

“ Hugs & prayers for the Wilson Family..
Steve, Jackie, Hannah & Grace Carpenter



Jackie Bennett- Carpenter - July 21, 2023 at 08:07 PM

MM

“ Jeff and I are Keeping you all in our prayers. Love to you all ❤️🙏🙏

Melanie Mercer - July 21, 2023 at 07:32 PM

PM

“ Sending prayers of comfort to the family 🙏

Paige Marsh-Penwell - July 21, 2023 at 06:41 PM

RT

“ So sorry for your family's loss. Hugs and prayers to you all.

Ruth and Roger Tolliver - July 21, 2023 at 05:45 PM

TF

“ My heart breaks for your family. I loved Red to pieces. I remember when he and Dad danced with each other at the wedding. That was funny. I know was happy when he came by to see him. Prayers you find peace at this time. Love to you all!!

Terry Jo "Aunt Toe" & Family - July 21, 2023 at 05:39 PM

AN

“ Thoughts and prayers. Annette, Jason and Luke Hyre

Annette - July 21, 2023 at 05:10 PM

BJ

“ Love and prayers to the Wilson family. Rusty, Betsy & Chris



Betsy jackson - July 21, 2023 at 04:58 PM

KC

“ Karen , Gordon , Margaret and all of the family ,our thoughts and many prayers for your sudden loss ! Love Karen C-B



Karen C-B - July 21, 2023 at 04:58 PM