



## Mr. Larry William Bladell

June 26, 1942 - June 20, 2023

It is with deep sorrow that Mrs. Cynthia Lynn Segars Bladel and her family announce the death of her beloved husband, Mr. Larry William Bladel, 80.

Larry William Bladel, a cherished resident of Hartsville, SC, and a proud native of Toledo, OH, was called home on June 20, 2023. The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home & Crematory are caring for the family.

A funeral service to honor his life will be held at 10 o'clock on Saturday, June 24, 2023, in The Chapel of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home, with The Rev. William D. "Bill" Oldland officiating. The family will receive friends immediately following the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his honor to: Children's Cancer Research or St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Larry was born on June 26, 1942, and his journey of life touched the hearts of all who had the privilege of knowing him. He was a devoted husband, loving father, doting grandfather, and a dedicated serviceman.

Larry's unwavering love and commitment were evident throughout his 50-year

marriage to his beloved wife, Cynthia Segars Bladel, a true partnership that stood the test of time. Together, they built a life brimming with love, laughter, and cherished memories. Larry was a pillar of strength for his family, providing guidance and support with a gentle and caring spirit.

Larry's devotion extended to his children, Michael Todd Watford, Nicole Williamson (Rex), Brian Bladel, and Christopher Bladel (Gloria). His love knew no bounds, and he took great pride in watching them grow into remarkable individuals. Larry's heart held a special place for his late daughter, Cherrie Watford, whose memory will forever be treasured.

As a grandfather, Larry delighted in the laughter and joy brought by Joshua Alvarez, Ryan Alvarez, Christian Alvarez (Lailani), Joseph Bladel, Lindsey Bladel, Trey Summer, Shane Summer, and great-grandchildren Victoria Eckman, Peyton Sumner, and Kyla Sumner. Larry also enjoyed spending time with his faithful furry companion, Buster. His love for them was immeasurable, and he cherished every moment spent together, creating lasting bonds that will endure through the generations.

Larry's commitment to serving his country was evident during his time in the United States Navy. He valiantly served in naval aviation during the Vietnam War, embodying bravery and dedication to his fellow servicemen and his nation. Larry's contributions to his country will be forever remembered and honored.

After his military service, Larry enjoyed a fulfilling career in Nuclear Energy, where he displayed unwavering professionalism and dedication until his retirement. His work ethic and commitment were admired by colleagues, and set an example for those around him.

Larry William Bladel's life was a testament to the power of love, family, and

service. He leaves behind a legacy of kindness, strength, and unwavering devotion. While his presence will be deeply missed, the impact he made on the lives of those who knew him will be cherished eternally. May his soul find eternal peace, and may we honor his memory by cherishing the values he held dear. Let us draw strength from the example he set, continuing his legacy of love and compassion in our own lives.

In this time of loss, let us remember Larry with gratitude for the beautiful moments he shared with us and hold his memory close to our hearts. May his family and friends find solace in the love and support they share during this difficult time.

Today, we say goodbye to a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and friend. Larry, may you find rest in the arms of eternity in our Lord's kingdom, knowing that your spirit lives on in the hearts of all those whose lives you touched. Farewell, dear friend. You will be deeply missed, but your light will forever guide us on our own journeys. Services will be held at Brown Pennington Funeral Home.

## Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Funeral Service

JUN **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel  
306 W Home Ave  
Hartsville, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



**Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home** - June 23, 2023 at 06:19 PM



“ *Gail Hunter Crosby lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



**gail Hunter Crosby** - February 04, 2024 at 07:35 PM



“ *Cindy I am so sorry to see that Larry passed away. My heart goes out to you and my prayers are with you and the family. Always enjoyed talking to you and Larry when you were in the office. [H&R Block].*



**Linda Tolson** - June 28, 2023 at 10:12 PM

DH

“ *Cindy-I am so sorry for your loss-May you be surrounded by love and strength*



Delores Hickey - June 24, 2023 at 11:57 AM

DS

“ *Dennis Sellards lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



Dennis Sellards - June 23, 2023 at 08:09 PM



“ *50 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - June 23, 2023 at 06:17 PM

SD

“ *Shirlene Dixon sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



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**Shirlene Dixon** - June 23, 2023 at 05:50 AM



“ *Karen Beedy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



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**Karen Beedy** - June 23, 2023 at 05:05 AM

MG

“ *Mary & Calvin Gray lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



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**Mary & Calvin Gray** - June 23, 2023 at 01:48 AM

DR

“ *Devin Raines lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell*



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**Devin Raines** - June 23, 2023 at 01:12 AM

CH

“ Carol Harris-Campbell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell



Carol Harris-Campbell - June 22, 2023 at 08:34 PM

RH

“ Rick Harrold lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell



Rick Harrold - June 22, 2023 at 05:38 PM

LP

“ Linda Parker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell



Linda Parker - June 22, 2023 at 05:35 PM



“ I already miss my crazy brother in law. We had a lot of fun over the past 50+ years. You were a good friend, husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather and dog lover. Buster is totally lost w/o you. Love you brother & know I will see you again one day.



Marsha Odom - June 22, 2023 at 11:24 AM

CL

“ *Cindy and family: Gerald and I are praying for you all. May God comfort you and help you through all of this. I know Larry and Jim are getting together and looking upon all of you with love! They have a lot of catching up to do. Sending love and prayers!* ”



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**Cathy and Gerald Lynch** - June 21, 2023 at 10:53 PM

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“ *Judy Edwards Elgin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry William Bladell* ”



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**Judy Edwards Elgin** - June 21, 2023 at 10:50 PM

GW

“ *Cindy, I am so sorry for your loss. Larry was a great guy. Lots of good memories.* 🙏❤️ ”



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**Gloria Wase White** - June 21, 2023 at 09:04 PM