



Mr. Larry Mitchell O'Neal

September 16, 1960 - September 14, 2025

With heavy hearts and deep love, we announce the passing of Larry Mitchell O'Neal of Hartsville, South Carolina, who went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, September 14, 2025, just two days before his 65th birthday. He was 64 years old. The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home & Crematory are caring for the family.

A graveside funeral service to honor his life will be held at 2 o'clock on Saturday, September 20, 2025, in Magnolia Cemetery, with The Rev. Tom Gainey officiating. The family will celebrate his life immediately following the service at the home of his cousins, Ricky and Jeff Johnson, 3281 Oates Highway, Lamar, SC 29069.

Larry was born on Friday, September 16, 1960, to the late Dewey O'Neal and the late Geraldine Warren O'Neal. A dedicated electrician by trade, Larry brought light into every space he entered, both through his work and through his presence.

Larry loved fishing, baseball, and cheering on his Carolina Gamecocks. But above all, he loved his family— and he loved Jesus. He had one of the biggest hearts, always open to those around him. He never met a stranger and always made those around him laugh.

We rejoice knowing that Larry is now in Heaven, at peace and in the presence of his Savior. Though our hearts ache, we take comfort in the promise of eternal life and the hope that we will see him again. He is now rejoicing in glory, surrounded by perfect love.

He is survived by his loving fiancée, Synthia Chapman, and his children: Larry O'Neal, Heather O'Neal, Tiffany (Joshua) Hall, and Casey Barfield. He was a proud grandfather to Jazmyne Parnell, Jayzon Parnell, Nathaniel Brunson, Eliyah Brunson, Dylan Hall, Kaiden Hall, Joseph Barfield, Dustin Barfield, Emma Barfield, and a great-grandfather to one. He also leaves behind his only brother, Jerry O'Neal; aunts and uncles, Eloise Edens of North Charleston, SC, Shorty (Donna) O'Neal of Rock Hill, SC, Brenda Beasley of Hartsville, SC, Barbara Ann Byrd of Patrick, SC, Linda Bradshaw of Patrick, SC, Carolyn Funderburk of Patrick, SC; cousins, Jeff (Debbie) Johnson of Lamar, SC, Ricky (Marlene) Johnson of Hartsville, SC, Phyllis Edens of North Charleston, SC, Billy Edens of North Charleston, SC, Missy (Ron) Glancy of Hartsville, SC, Bud (Leeann) O'Neal of Hartsville, SC, Joey O'Neal of Hartsville, SC, and Valerie (Franklin) Reynolds of Hartsville, SC.

Cemetery Details

Magnolia Cemetery

140 South Cedar Lane
Hartsville, SC 29550
(843) 383-3004

Previous Events

Graveside

SEP 20. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AB

“ Heather and Tiffany sorry for your loss

Anna Blackwell - September 19, 2025 at 08:11 PM

JS

“ J.R. Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Mitchell O'Neal



J.R. Smith - September 19, 2025 at 07:22 AM

VJ

“ Von Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Mitchell O'Neal



Von Johnson - September 18, 2025 at 09:33 AM

TG

“ Tony Grant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Mitchell O'Neal



Tony Grant - September 18, 2025 at 08:36 AM

SS

“ So sorry to hear of Larry’s passing. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends! 🙏🙏🙏🙏



Sherry Beasley Stallings - September 18, 2025 at 03:06 AM

RD

“ So sorry for your loss Tiffany , Heather, Larry & Jerry. Prayers



Robin Darnell - September 17, 2025 at 12:20 AM

JW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Larry's family and friends. Im so thankful I got to see you and pray with you. You will be missed my cousin, my friend, my brother...

James Warren - September 16, 2025 at 10:51 PM

GC

“ Heather, Tiffany, and Little Larry....my heart is with you all during this time. I will forever cherish the memories that we all share literally from birth. I love you all!! RIP Uncle Larry!!

Gina Campbell - September 16, 2025 at 08:09 PM

GS

“ O’Neal family & friends you have and will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers. May God give you strength through this difficult time. Larry was a great friend & big part of our lives for over 40 years and very much loved by my children, myself and all who knew him. Sending much love & hugs!!



*Gloria Smith
Gina Campbell, Kaitlynn & Laelynn
Greg & Courtney Campbell, Christopher, Bethany, Brianna*

Gloria Smith - September 16, 2025 at 08:07 PM

LB

“ Larry Baker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Mitchell O’Neal



larry baker - September 16, 2025 at 08:02 PM

FJ

“ Fred Byrd Gibbs Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Mitchell O’Neal



Fred Byrd Gibbs Jr. - September 16, 2025 at 07:33 PM

KN

“ *Kathy Norris lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Larry Mitchell O'Neal*



Kathy Norris - September 16, 2025 at 05:37 PM