



Mr. Wayne Lewis

July 17, 1934 - May 20, 2015

Graveside services for Mr. Wayne Lewis, 80, who died peacefully on May 20, 2015, will be held at 11 o'clock on Saturday, May 23, 2015 in Magnolia Cemetery with the Rev. Ken Hughes officiating. The family will receive friends on Friday from 5 until 7 p.m. at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home.

Earl Wayne Lewis, admired husband, brother, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, was born and raised in Robeson County, NC, a son of the late Earl Doss Lewis and Kathleen Williams Lewis. He was the youngest of three sons and grew up learning the value of hard work from his father, a tobacco farmer. After graduating high school, he enlisted in the Army and was stationed in both France and Germany during the Korean Conflict. After returning from his tour of duty, he settled down with his high school sweetheart, Dell. Their lifelong marriage was blessed with two daughters that brought him great joy. In order to better provide for his family, he began an 18 year career at Sonoco as a Truck Driver. An entrepreneur, he then established his own trucking business, which he managed for over 10 years. In his retirement he enjoyed fishing and boating with his grandchildren. He emphasized to them the importance of education, diligence, and being respectful and polite.

Surviving are his daughters, Tona (David) Tedder of Hartsville, SC, Sherry Melton of Cheraw, SC; grandchildren, Alexis Tedder (Jonathan) Winburn,

Deidre Tedder, Jackie Wade Melton, Jacob Wayne (Alison) Melton, Bryon Drake (Leslie) Melton; great-grandchildren, Nathan Winburn, Natalie Winburn, Lily Melton, Emalyn Melton, Clayton Melton, Josie Melton, Avery Melton, Hailee Melton, Baylee Melton. He was proceeded in death by his wife of 61 years, Dell Graham; his brothers Hal Lewis and Lavonde Lewis; and his son-in-law Jackie Melton.

The family would like to say a special thank you to Dr. Kenneth Evans, the staff at Carolina Family Practice, Jeanine Edwards, Nicole Wright, and Ricky Smith for the love and extraordinary care they provided Mr. Lewis without fail.

Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Association SC Chapter, 4124 Clemson Blvd. Suite L, Anderson, SC 29621.

Cemetery Details

Magnolia Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 22. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home
306 W. Home Ave.
Hartsville, SC 29550
(843) 332-6531
info@bpafuneralhome.com
<http://www.bpafuneralhome.com>

Service

MAY 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

Magnolia Cemetery
140 South Cedar Lane
Hartsville, SC 29550
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Tribute Wall



“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - May 22, 2015 at 03:05 PM

WA

Seemed like a great guy with an even greater life. God bless and comfort ... Wayne V. Lewis of Los Angeles.

Wayne V. Lewis of Los Angeles - December 12, 2015 at 06:20 PM

PV

“ *Pam Vereen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Pam Vereen - June 28, 2015 at 04:12 PM

Sharon
Floyd

“ *Sharon Floyd lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Sharon Floyd - May 23, 2015 at 07:31 AM



Sharon
Floyd

Tona, I am so sorry for the loss of both your parents. My hearts breaks for you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Sharon Dority Floyd

Sharon Floyd - May 23, 2015 at 07:32 AM



GG

Tona & Family I am so sorry! Keeping all in my Prayers!

Gail A. Gainey - May 23, 2015 at 01:41 PM



BT

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Larry and Barbara Tanner



Barbara Tanner - May 23, 2015 at 12:47 AM



FC

“ *FAITH HOLINESS CHURCH IS PRAYING FOR THIS FAMILY*

F H Church - May 23, 2015 at 12:42 AM



MF

“ *Michael Funderburk lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Michael Funderburk - May 22, 2015 at 10:48 PM



“ *Tona and Sherry and family, i am so very sorry about Earl Wayne. We send our deepest sympathies. Praying for peace, comfort and strength. We love you all. Love and blessings, Chery and Nick Romano, Jason, Kim, and Adam Purcell*

Cheryl Romano - May 22, 2015 at 10:02 PM



“ *Danny And Freida Collins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Danny and Freida Collins - May 22, 2015 at 06:35 PM



“ *53 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - May 22, 2015 at 02:31 PM

GB

“ *Genia Blackwell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Genia Blackwell - May 22, 2015 at 01:26 PM

GM

“ *Tona and Sherry: My heart breaks for the two of you. Losing both parents in such a short span of time has to be the most heart retching experience for you both. Ya'll are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. I miss seeing you, Tona Tedder. You will always be one of my favorite friends. Know that your Mom and Dad are celebrating being together once again. With love, Gayle McDonald*

Gayle McDonald - May 22, 2015 at 01:18 PM

GF

“ *Gay Froese lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



gay froese - May 22, 2015 at 10:11 AM

DJ

“ *Tona and family. So sorry for your loss. Prayers and hugs to you. God bless you all.*



Debbie Johnson - May 22, 2015 at 09:47 AM

WI

“ *WilmaYarborough lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



WilmaYarborough - May 22, 2015 at 09:34 AM

WI

From Byerly Hall.....Tona I am so sorry for your loss. I have known Mr. Lewis for years and thought highly of him. May God give you and your family peace and comfort as you face the days ahead. My thoughts are with you.....

WilmaYarborough - May 22, 2015 at 09:37 AM

WI

“ *WilmaYarborough lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



WilmaYarborough - May 22, 2015 at 09:34 AM

PV

“ *Pam Vereen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Pam Vereen - May 22, 2015 at 08:37 AM

KB

“ I am so sorry for the loss of your father , My prayers are with you Tona and your family at this sad sad time.
I pray God will give you strength and comfort and peace.



Karen Byrd - May 22, 2015 at 07:55 AM

MM

“ I'm so sorry for your lost. Prayers are with you and your family in times such as this. I also pray for strength in the days ahead. May God bless you and your family.

Monica McFarland - May 22, 2015 at 07:38 AM

JG

“ Jewel Walters Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis



Jewel Walters Gibson - May 22, 2015 at 06:32 AM

MH

“ Michael And Deborah Hayden lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis



Michael and Deborah Hayden - May 22, 2015 at 01:44 AM

KH

“ *Kayla Hayes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Kayla Hayes - May 21, 2015 at 11:14 PM

CJ

“ *Cindy Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



cindy jones - May 21, 2015 at 08:52 PM

KG

“ *Kent And Linda Watson Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Kent and Linda Watson Gainey - May 21, 2015 at 07:20 PM

PD

“ *Phyllis Elaine Driggers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Phyllis Elaine Driggers - May 21, 2015 at 06:37 PM

LK

“ *Tona and Family,*
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I will be praying for you that God will give you grace to face this difficult time. May the Lord meet your every need.
Sincerely,
Linda Knorr

Linda Knorr - May 21, 2015 at 04:48 PM

SH

“ *Susan Hodge lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Susan Hodge - May 21, 2015 at 04:32 PM

TJ

“ *TERRY, SHERRY & SHANNON JOHNSON lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



TERRY, SHERRY & SHANNON JOHNSON - May 21, 2015 at 01:46 PM

CP

“ *Crystal Hendrix Perdue lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Crystal Hendrix Perdue - May 21, 2015 at 12:59 PM

CP

Thinking & praying for you & your family! May the Lord comfort each of you!

Crystal Hendrix Perdue - May 21, 2015 at 01:00 PM

JG

Love and prayers for you and your family. Love you lots.

Judy Greene - May 22, 2015 at 08:37 AM

LJ

“ *LIBBY JOHNSON lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



LIBBY JOHNSON - May 21, 2015 at 12:36 PM

LJ

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. KEEPING YOU IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS. DALE & LIBBY JOHNSON.

LIBBY JOHNSON - May 21, 2015 at 12:40 PM

MB

“ *Mary Braswell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Mary Braswell - May 21, 2015 at 09:39 AM

JC

“ *Jeri And Jim Cox lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Jeri and Jim Cox - May 21, 2015 at 07:33 AM

IF

“ *Manuel and Ivy Flowers*

Ivy Flowers - May 21, 2015 at 06:49 AM

GR

“ *Gene Roscoe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Gene Roscoe - May 20, 2015 at 07:43 PM

KR

“ *Kathryn Roscoe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis*



Kathryn Roscoe - May 20, 2015 at 07:39 PM

CS

“ Charles And Lavonde Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis



Charles and Lavonde Smith - May 20, 2015 at 03:10 PM

TJ

“ Tona & Sherry,
My heart breaks for you two having such loss so close together. Those who know you, know what dedicated, loving girls you were to your parents. You should both be very proud of the care and love you gave them. You will certainly be rewarded for your kind and loving hearts. Please know your families are in my heart, thoughts and prayers.



Teri Johnson - May 20, 2015 at 01:54 PM

DW

“ Dee Welsh lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wayne Lewis



Dee Welsh - May 20, 2015 at 01:49 PM