



James Franklin Wade

April 28, 1963 - October 6, 2023

James Franklin Wade of Rossville, Georgia, age 60, passed away unexpectedly on Friday, October 6, 2023. Frank, or Frankie as his loved ones call him, is survived by his brother, Thomas Ray Wade, his mother, Linda Wade, his children, Geoffrey (Leanne), Jesse, and Hollianne, his grandchildren Ethan, Aubree, and Grayson, as well as his wife Hope, bonus child, Felicia (Ben) and bonus grandchild, Ella. Frank was born in Talladega, Alabama on April 28, 1963. As a true Alabaman he bled Crimson and was a fan of Alabama football. As a father, he took pride in his children's achievements and hard work. As a grandfather, he relished the opportunity to spoil his grandchildren when he could. In life, he was a stoic man until you got to know him. To know Frank Wade was to know kindness, compassion, humor, and true friendship. He will be missed by all those lucky enough to have known him. A celebration of life for Frank will be held on Wednesday, October 11, at 4:00 PM in the funeral home chapel. Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Homes Wallis ~ Stewart Chapel, Ringgold, Georgia.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT 11. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of James Franklin Wade.* ”



October 10, 2023 at 08:51 PM



“ *Lisa Sherrill lit a candle in memory of James Franklin Wade* ”



Lisa Sherrill - October 10, 2023 at 08:04 PM



“ *Frankie was such a quiet, kind person. But when you are lucky enough to know Hope and Frankie as long as I have, he opened up more. They had the love everyone was looking for. And I'm so glad I got to know him. He was such a kind, loving guy. My heart truly breaks. My prayers are with Hope, and his entire family. He will be missed. But never forgotten. 🥹💔🙏* ”

Lisa Sherrill - October 10, 2023 at 08:03 PM

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“ I regret I didn't live closer to Frankie to get to know him and family better! I feel we could have been better friends than we were if I had. I appreciate all he did in loving and providing/caring for my sister, Hope. Aside from all my Alabama jokes, he truly was a good ole Alabama boy through and through and everyone loved him for it!

This pic was the last time we were pleasantly together, kicking back, oblivious to his soon promotion to eternal life with his Savior! We were celebrating Hope and another sister's birthdays last February 26th. The last time I saw him. he looked me straight in the eyes and said, "I'm ready! I have peace about this!"

Looking forward to seeing Frankie again! May the God of all comfort hug this family closely in the coming weeks is my prayer.



Lee Lawrence - October 10, 2023 at 02:16 PM