



## Billy Lester

July 5, 1942 - December 12, 2015

William “Billy” Baylous Lester, 73, of 10160 Franklin Turnpike, Dry Fork, VA, died on Saturday, December 12, 2015 at his residence after being in declining health for several years.

Mr. Lester was born in Pittsylvania County, VA on July 5, 1942, son of the late Arthur James Lester and the late Ella Wilkerson Lester. He spent all his life in the Pittsylvania County area where he worked as an iron worker at C.P. Buckner Steel until his retirement as a supervisor after 42 years of service. He was of the Baptist faith.

On April 30, 1993 he married Ronda Powell Lester who survives of the residence.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Lester is survived by seven children, James Lester and wife Michelle of Heartsville, S.C., Crystal Adcock and husband Jason of Rustburg, VA, Erica Reece and husband Michael of Concord, NC, Jackie Lester of Danville, VA, Steven Wilmoth and wife Johnnie of Ringgold, VA, Jennifer Minter of Axton, VA and Bethanie Owen of the residence; sisters, Annette Crosby of Sutherlin, VA, Linda Tadlock and Gayle Pell of TN; mother, Aileen Lester of TN; and fourteen grandchildren.

He was predeceased by two brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel with the Reverend Billy Hedrick and the Reverend Kenneth Hammock officiating. Interment will be held at a later date.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. prior to the service at the funeral home and at other times will be at the residence, 10160 Franklin Turnpike, Dry Fork VA 24549.

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Lester family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 15. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel  
703 North Main Street  
Danville, VA 24540  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

DH

“ I am so sorry to learn of your loss. May your many shared family memories bring you comfort. The scriptures remind us that Almighty God is close to those who grieve; "...He saves those who are crushed in spirit." (Psalm 34:18) My sincerest condolences to all of you.

Dana H. - March 06, 2016 at 09:18 AM

KA

“ Kathey Abernathy lit a candle in memory of Billy Lester



kathey abernathy - December 15, 2015 at 10:18 AM

KA

so sorry for your loss, you have been in my thoughts and prayers

kathey abernathy - December 15, 2015 at 10:18 AM

NC

“ So sorry to hear of the death of Billy. Rhonda and your family are in our prayers. May God Bless you and comfort you during this sad time. Love Danny and Nadine.

Nadine Carpenter - December 14, 2015 at 02:59 PM

DR

“ Rhonda,I am so sorry to hear about Billy. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Dola Raines - December 13, 2015 at 09:39 AM