



## Larry Childers

August 30, 1943 - August 4, 2011

Mr. Larry Preston Childers, Sr., age 67 of 203 Lamberth Drive, died unexpected at his residence early Thursday morning.

Mr. Childers was born on August 30, 1943 in Pikeville, Ky. He was predeceased by his father, Vaughn Denver Childers who was killed in action in World War II. He was raised by his grandparents, Brice and Oral Jane Childers, who are deceased.

He had lived in Danville since 1953. He was employed by Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company until his retirement in 1993. He was a avid farmer and reader. He was a member of the American Legion, Dan River Post 1097. He was of the Baptist faith. He served in the U.S. Air Force. On May 15, 1965, he married, Martha Terry Childers, who survives.

In addition to his wife of the residence, he is survived one daughter, Vonda C. Worley and husband, Jeff of Danville, one son, Larry ?Preston? Childers, II and wife, Laura of Danville, five grandchildren, Heather Worley, Jake Worley, Savannah Childers, Joey Lind and Jason Lind, one sister, Shirley Webb and husband, Gene of Richmond, one brother, Richard Childers and wife, Amy of Richmond and a number of nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by two sisters, Thelma Robinson and Theda Webb.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 am., Saturday, August 6, 2011 from Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel with the Reverend Roger ?Butch? Robinson and Reverend Robert Hardy officiating. Interment will follow in Danville Memorial Gardens with Military Honors to be performed by the U.S. Army and the American Legion, Dan River Post 1097, Honor Guard.

The family will receive friends on Friday evening, August 5, 2011 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm at the funeral home and other times at the residence, 203 Lamberth Drive.

The family suggest that donations may be made to the charity of your choice.

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Childers family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 5. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel  
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# Tribute Wall

RG

“ you have our deepest sympathy, may it comfort you to know you have family who care and are praying for you at this time of loss.

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**Roselyn Bickford Griffin** - August 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Mrs. Childers, Vonda and Preston:

*Please accept my deepest sympathy. My prayer is that the Lord will keep His hand on each of you as you cope with this sudden loss. One of the greatest blessings of teaching is knowing special families like yours. Hugs to each of you, especially "my" Preston.*

*Terri Clark*

*(Blairs Jr. High 1980-1989)*

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**Terri Clark** - August 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

HO

“ To Preston and Laura,

*Sorry for your loss,thought a lot of your Dad.Thought of him as a friend.*

*Sincerely,*

*Harold + Family*

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**Harold Oxley** - August 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ *Imagine the great joy his heavenly family had when they saw his face among them. What a song of love was song as his parents once again held him close.*

*kxma*

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**Nina Sue Hopson Childers** - August 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *MARTHA AND FAMILY,*

*MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. I WILL COME TO VISIT MY NEXT TRIP TO DANVILLE.*

*LOVE,*

*BONNIE WARREN LASSITER*

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**Bonnie W. Lassiter** - August 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NK

“ *You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Joe and Larry are with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ having a grand time.*

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**Norma Knight** - August 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *So sorry for your loss, been a very long time since I got to see him but we have very fond memories of when we were in school and we hung out at your house. I will be thinking and praying for all of you, Martha, Vonda & Preston hoping in the days to come your memories will bring you all comfort.*

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**Martha Astin Fox** - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *Will never forget all the fun we had growing up as cousins, how you helped build the confidence of a unconfident teenager, and all the kindness and respect you have shown to my Dad that was near you and also to my Momma. I will also remember the man of integrity that you were. God Bless and be with your family. Always, Sandy*

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**Sandy Bowling Check** - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ Martha, Vonda & Preston. I am so sorry about Larry. He was a great neighbor and friend for so many years. Just know that he is in heaven now still watching over all of you just like he always did. Treasure all the memories and know you will be together again one day. He loved his family so much. He will truly be missed by all that knew him. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Nancy

Nancy Pyrtle Hill - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FG

“ Martha, Vonda, Preston and family, We are so sorry for your loss. He will be missed. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Frances and Lee Glasgow

Frances and Lee Glasgow - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

VI

“ May the Lord be with you all at this time of sorrow. Larry was a good friend to all that knew him. May he rest in peace.

Vicki&JimMontgomery - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ I'm so sorry to hear about "Lum". He will truly be missed at the Childers Family Reunion.

Sue Smallwood - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Very sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you.

Johnny Hines

johnny hines - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I am sorry about Larry passing away--he was a distant cousin of mine, on the Adkins side of the family. I have hear my daddy talking so much about Uncle Floyd Adkins and his family living away from Ky. Remember when my grandpa past away in 1959--his grandmother was there at the funeral, Aunt Laura Adkins--i just want the family to know that we are sorry about Larry--Rest in Peace, we will be praying for the family-keep them in our thoughts, and prayers.

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**Maggie and Inard Anderson** - August 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ **REST IN PEACE LARRY!!!!!!!!!!**

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**AL MEDLIN** - August 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM