



Leon Wiles

September 29, 1941 - February 27, 2024

Walter Leon Wiles, 82, of 2385 Kerns Church Road, Sutherlin, VA went home to be with his Lord on Tuesday, February 27, 2024 after a courageous battle with cancer.

Leon was born in Danville, VA on September 29, 1941, and was one of three children born to the late Thomas Wiles and Mary Blankenship Wiles. He was predeceased by his parents as well as his beloved brother, Carroll Wayne Wiles; and his beloved sister, Lelia Ann W. Owens.

Leon met his wife Connie Hines Wiles at a young age, and they got married on August 17, 1963. Together they raised two children, Teresa Wiles Ricketts (Bryan) and Walter Robert Wiles (Tracey).

On their farm they were blessed to watch their family grow to include nine grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

He spent all of his life in the Sutherlin Community of Pittsylvania County where he retired from Dan River Mills after 45 years of service and then went on to enjoy several years working for Cloverdale Lumber. He gave his all to each job he had, but will be remembered most for the way he spent his life tending to the things he loved the most: his family, his friends, and his farm. He will be greatly missed, not only by his family but by the community as a

whole.

A graveside service will be conducted on Friday, March 1, 2024 at 1:00 P.M. at the Wiles Family Farm Cemetery with the Mr. Lee Ricketts officiating.

The family will receive friends on Thursday evening from 6:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. at the Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel and at other times the family will be at the residence, 2385 Kerns Church Road, Sutherlin, VA 24594.

In lieu of flowers the family suggest memorial donations to St. Jude's Children's Hospital at 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

The family would like to give express a special thank you to Melissa with Commonwealth Hospice for all her love and care given to Leon during this time.

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

Cemetery Details

Wiles Family Farm Cemetery

2385 Kerns Church Road
Sutherlin, VA 24594

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 29. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel
703 North Main Street
Danville, VA 24540
(434) 793-5511
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Graveside

MAR 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

Wiles Family Farm Cemetery
2385 Kerns Church Road
Sutherlin, VA 24594

Tribute Wall



“ Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Leon Wiles



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - February 28, 2024 at 03:37 PM

RJ

“ Leon was one of the greatest men I knew growing up. He was like another father to me at times, especially when he and Mr White allowed me to work in the tobacco fields at a fairly young teen. My prayers go out to the family and friends of this great man. Connie, I LOVE YOU ALL 🥰❤️❤️🌹🌹🙏🙏🙏🙏❤️❤�

Ray Barbour Jr - February 29, 2024 at 12:03 AM

LP

“ Connie so sad to hear of Leon passing prayers to you and family..Earl and Linda Prevette



Linda Prevette - February 28, 2024 at 07:29 PM

NW

“ Sorry for you loss. Leon will be greatly missed by everyone. Thoughts and prayers to all.



Nancy Wiles - February 28, 2024 at 02:55 PM

TR

“ Leon was like family. And my favorite memories are how you could always tell how he felt by the way he wore is cap. We will see you again soon Leon.

Teresa Haynes Romero - February 28, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ 51 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - February 28, 2024 at 02:26 PM

NW

“ Sorry to hear of Leon's passing. You're in our thoughts and prayers.



Nancy & Tommy Watson - February 28, 2024 at 01:57 PM

RA

“ Have known Leon most of my life ..He use to come to my Dad,s store.. Thought the world of him ..Fly high brother and God bless you r family.In Christ love ,,Polar Bear,,Ronnie Anderson



Ronnie Anderson - February 28, 2024 at 01:16 PM

TF

“ The Cook Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Leon Wiles.



The Cook Family - February 28, 2024 at 01:16 PM

TB

“ Connie,
So sorry to here of the passing of Leon. May God give you comfort in the coming days asn always.
God Bless
Tom and Penny Blair



Tom Blair - February 28, 2024 at 01:14 PM