



Spencer Eugene Adkins

June 5, 1938 - December 19, 2020

Spencer Eugene Adkins “Gene”, 82 of Danville, departed this life on Saturday, December 19, 2020 at Sovah Health- Danville after battling Covid-19 for the past month.

Gene was born in Ferrum, VA on June 5, 1938 a son of the late Spencer Edward Adkins and Belva Sloan Adkins.

Gene retired from Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company after 27 years of service. He was an avid bowler and enjoyed his yearly trips to Florida. He was a member of the Goodyear Retires Club, the Improved Order of Redman Poquoson Tribe # 124. He was of the Baptist faith.

On March 29, 1997 he married the love of his life, Brenda Salmon Adkins, who survives. They enjoyed many years of traveling the US, Mexico and the Caribbean.

Survivors also include two sons, Keith Adkins, Ronnie Adkins (Cindy), a step-son, Zachary Salmon (Vicki), a step-daughter, Tondya Hoyer, his beloved three sisters, Barbara Craig, Linda Hilliard (Wayne), Wanda Riddle; a special granddaughter, Jessica Reavis, four grandsons, three step-grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, one great-great grandchild and a special cousin, Mike Adkins (Sue).

In addition to his parents he was predeceased by two brothers-in-law, Harry A. Craig, Jr. and Mike Riddle.

A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, December 23, 2020 at 11:00 AM at the Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel conducted by the Rev. Billy Hedrick.

In lieu of flowers and food, the family suggests that memorial donations be made to God's Pit Crew or to a charity of your choice.

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is serving the Adkins family.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel

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Tribute Wall



“ We will all miss Eugene so much. I will always remember him happy and dancing at my wedding ! My thoughts and prayers are with his wife, kids, Barbara, Elizabeth, Wanda, Justin, Mike, Linda and many others in the family dealing with his loss. Love, Kris Gibson Cox (cousin)

Kris Cox - December 30, 2020 at 10:01 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Spencer Eugene Adkins.



December 24, 2020 at 09:19 AM



“ Brenda, So sorry for your loss. Your family is in my prayers. J. Tommy Spencer

Tommy Spencer - December 21, 2020 at 07:31 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy is extended to Adkins Family on the death of Gene. Our prayers and thoughts are with Brenda, Barbara, Linda and Wanda and the entire Adkins family. Wayne and Peggy Howerton



charles howerton - December 20, 2020 at 07:44 PM

DA

“ It's been a while since I have seen you two. I am so sorry to hear that Eugene has passed away. I have some really good memories that I hold dear in my heart. God bless you and know that he is no longer in pain.

Dovie Adkins - December 20, 2020 at 07:20 PM

MS

“ Brenda, so sorry for your loss. My condolences to you and your family at this trying time. God bless you and your family.

Mike Tate (hospital gift shop) - December 20, 2020 at 06:40 PM

JS

“ Brenda, I am so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Sincerely, Jackie and Dale smith.

jackie smith - December 20, 2020 at 06:26 PM

DT

“ Brenda. I am so sorry to see this. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Darlene Travis - December 20, 2020 at 04:54 PM

SA

“ I kept all the recorded phone messages. I had so much more to talk about with you. I cannot believe this has happened. You will be sorely missed.

SKA

Spencer Keith Adkins - December 20, 2020 at 03:26 PM

DA

You could come home to your Daddy's funeral. No one will bother you.

Dovie Adkins - December 20, 2020 at 07:23 PM

EM

“ *Brenda, I'm so sorry to hear this! My heart breaks for you & I feel your pain! May God wrap his loving arms around you! Love you.*
Elaine



Elaine McGee - December 20, 2020 at 01:54 AM

EM

“ *Elaine McGee lit a candle in memory of Spencer Eugene Adkins*



Elaine McGee - December 20, 2020 at 01:49 AM

KR

“ *Brenda, so sorry to hear of the passing of Gene. I'm sorry I'm so far away from you. God bless you and I love you.*

Kawania Reed - December 20, 2020 at 12:42 AM

AH

“ *So sorry, continued prayers for Brenda and all the family*



Anika Hodnett - December 19, 2020 at 10:42 PM

RP

“ So sorry for all of our lost with the passing of Spencer, he fault a long hard battle with Covid. Love you and will be missed by many.
Thomas & Rachel



Rachell Pattom - December 19, 2020 at 09:21 PM

LH

Brenda, we are so very sorry to hear of Eugene's passing. Our hearts breaks for you. May God wrap His loving arms around you and give you that peace which only He can provide. Savor those precious memories which the two of you created together over the years. They will sustain you. Kenny and LaVonne Haymore

LaVonne and Kenny Haymore - December 20, 2020 at 08:31 AM

SA

So sorry for your loss. May God give you and your family the strength to get through this difficult time. Shirley Averett

Shirley Averett - December 21, 2020 at 03:07 PM

RR

Wanda,Justin and Brenda, sorry about your loss of your brother may the Lord keep his loving arms around each of you.

Richard and Vickie Riddle - December 22, 2020 at 12:35 PM