



Darrell D. Wilson

February 2, 1958 - October 27, 2018

Darrell D. Wilson, age 60, of Rensselaer passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, October 27, 2018, after completing a semi delivery in Youngstown, Ohio. Darrell was born on February 2, 1958, in Tompkinsville, Kentucky, the son of Comer and Bonnie (Gass) Wilson. He attended school in Gamaliel, Kentucky.

On November 16, 1991, in Rensselaer, Indiana Darrell married Karen K. Swartz who survives.

He was an over-the-road truck driver, being self employed for more than forty years. Darrell was a member of both the Trinity United Methodist Church in Rensselaer and the New Liberty General Baptist Church in Gamaliel, Kentucky.

An outdoor enthusiast, Darrell enjoyed caring for his livestock and driving his Farmall tractor. He loved watching old westerns, being at home with his family and being a fan of the Indianapolis Colts. Darrell was a devoted husband and father whose greatest joy was found in being with his sons and his family.

Surviving with his loving wife Karen are three sons, Jon Wilson of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Jacob Wilson of Rensselaer, Indiana and Justin Wilson of West Lafayette, Indiana, his sister, Shirley McLeary, and three brothers, Larry (Yolanda) Wilson, Harold (Mary) Wilson and Denzil (Marielle) Wilson. Darrell was preceded in death by his parents, Comer and Bonnie Wilson, two sisters and five brothers.

Friends will be received at the Jackson Funeral Chapel in Rensselaer on

Wednesday, October 31, 2018, from 2:00 to 8:00 P.M. CDT. Funeral services for Darrell will be held at 10:30 A.M. CDT on Thursday, November 1, 2018, at the Jackson Funeral Chapel in Rensselaer with Pastor John Hostetter officiating. Burial will follow at Memory Gardens Cemetery, Rensselaer, Indiana. Memorials are suggested by the family to the Education Fund at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Rensselaer or to the New Liberty General Baptist Church, 7241 Bugtussle Road, Gamaliel, KY 42140.

Cemetery Details

Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

Memory Gardens
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5125
info@jacksonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **31**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
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Funeral Service

NOV **1**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
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Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Jackson Funeral Chapels - October 30, 2018 at 08:14 PM

SL

Such a wonderful Uncle he was to me, taken from us way to soon. I will always cherish the memories we had to gather. I don't think I've ever seen him without a smile on his face. He done a very good the time he spent here on Earth. He sent his 3 loving sons to Purdue college. Had a wonderful wife and home. Darrell you will always have a special place in my heart. Your with you mom and dad ,brother now and many others. I know the heavens gate was wide open for you. May you rest in peace, you sure will be missed Darrell D Wilson.. We will meet again.. Heaven Gain...

Sherrilyn McLeary Long - October 31, 2018 at 11:49 AM

 Cindy
Martin

“ *Karen, Jon, Jacob and Justin*
I am stunned to hear of Darrell's passing. Your hearts must be breaking. I am so sorry for your loss. Karen, I remember meeting Darrell for the first time at the picnic your mom held in her back yard. He won over all your family with his laughter and kindness. As the boys came along he proudly carried them over so he could show me how well they could throw/catch a ball. My prayers that the wonderful memories he made with all of you carry you in the days ahead.
Hugs and love,
Cindy Martin

Cindy Martin - November 02, 2018 at 01:47 AM

KC

“ *Ken & Sandra Culp lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson*



Ken & Sandra Culp - October 31, 2018 at 09:15 PM

KE

Our hearts and prayers go out to you, Karen, and the boys. He had to be and outstanding guy for having such a wonderful family. Kenny & Sandra Culp

Ken - October 31, 2018 at 09:31 PM

SH

“ Karen and family. We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Darrell. You must be devastated. There are no words that will relieve your pain. Just know that he is in such a peaceful, beautiful place and this is where you will all be together again, forever. You all will be in our thoughts and prayers.....Bill and Sherry Holbrook



Sherry Holbrook - October 31, 2018 at 12:55 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Darrell D. Wilson.



October 31, 2018 at 11:34 AM



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October 31, 2018 at 11:23 AM

MB

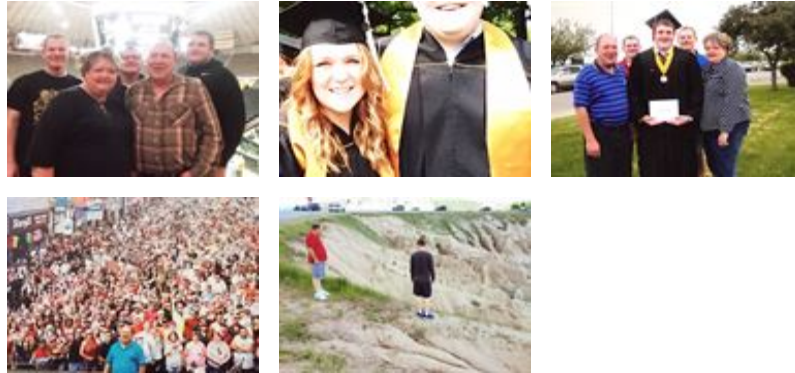
“ Myles Beeching lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Myles Beeching - October 31, 2018 at 09:14 AM



“ 72 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - October 31, 2018 at 09:03 AM

RP

“ *Karen, Jon, Jacob and Justin,
Our sincere sympathies, for your loss!
Praying that God wraps his arms around all of
you and gives you comfort during this difficult
time! Ron will miss the visits on the phone
with Darrell! Such a nice and friendly person.*



Ron & Lib Prohosky - October 30, 2018 at 06:52 PM

JD

“ *Karen and family you are in my thoughts and prayers during this
difficult time.
Sincerely,
Jennifer List Duffey*

Jennifer Duffey - October 30, 2018 at 01:24 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Darrell D. Wilson.*



October 30, 2018 at 01:16 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to your family. I went to elementary school with Darrell. He was always such a nice and kind fellow.*



Jan Cherry Browning - October 30, 2018 at 11:55 AM



“ *Karen and boys: you are in my thoughts and prayers, my sympathies - such a loss for your family.*



Meredith Grow - October 30, 2018 at 10:37 AM



“ *Cross Wind Chime - Bronze was purchased for the family of Darrell D. Wilson.*



October 30, 2018 at 08:33 AM

WK

“ William & Annie Krieter purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Darrell D. Wilson.



William & Annie Krieter - October 30, 2018 at 08:27 AM

GB

“ Gloria Baier lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Gloria Baier - October 30, 2018 at 08:02 AM

RW

“ Karen sorry for your loss.



Regina Warfel - October 30, 2018 at 06:42 AM

GK

“ Gregg And Sue Kanne lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Gregg and Sue Kanne - October 30, 2018 at 06:32 AM

GE

“ Karen and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.



Gary and Julie Evers - October 29, 2018 at 09:51 PM

WF

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for comfort and healing for your family 🙏



Wamsley family - October 29, 2018 at 08:37 PM

DW

“ Doug & Kathy Wilcox lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Doug & Kathy Wilcox - October 29, 2018 at 08:15 PM

AN

“ So sorry for you loss! Prayers for comfort!



Angela Nagel - October 29, 2018 at 07:05 PM

GF

“ Greg And Kara Fishburn lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Greg and Kara Fishburn - October 29, 2018 at 06:46 PM

BJ

“ Barbara Lambert And Joseph lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



Barbara Lambert and Joseph - October 29, 2018 at 06:41 PM

BJ

“ You smile will never be forgotten, Rest in peace. You will be missed.

Barbara Lambert and Joseph - October 29, 2018 at 06:39 PM

DK

“ David And Kim lit a candle in memory of Darrell D. Wilson



David and Kim - October 29, 2018 at 06:33 PM