



James Andrew Anderson

September 26, 1949 - August 30, 2019

James A. Anderson 69 of New Castle went to heaven to be with his Lord, Friday, August 30, 2019 after a long battle with ALS. James was born September 26, 1949 to Elmer and Etha Anderson. He is preceded in death by parents; Elmer and Etha Anderson, infant siblings, brothers; Russell Anderson and Stanley Shifflett, father-in-law and mother-in-law; John and Margaret Harden, sister-in-law; Bonnie Harden and brother-in-law and sister-in-law; Bobby and Rebecca Harden. He is survived by loving wife of 33 years Reta Anderson, sister; Edith (Mike) Goff, brother-in-law; Kenneth Harden, sister-in-law; Linda (Tommy) Strickler and several nieces and nephews. The family would like to thank special caregiver; Val Vess and Hospice Amedisys especially; Matt and Jennifer Mundy with the ALS Society. A memorial service will be held 1:00 PM Saturday, September 7, 2019 at Cross Roads Church with Don Ford officiating. The family will receive friends 1-hour prior till the service. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Cross Roads Church at 21892 Craigs Creek Rd., New Castle, VA 24127. Arrangements by Paitsel Funeral Home. www.paitselfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

CROSSROADS CHURH
21892 CRAIG CREEK RD
NEW CASTLE, VA 24127

Memorial Service

SEP 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JB

“ *James is my friend. A wonderful, honest, hard working man. Great sense of humor. He managed our family farm for many years. Uncle John and Aunt Katherine could not have been so happy in life without James. A man of respect and integrity. I have been blessed with his presence in my life. We will all miss him but he will be with us in spirit every day. My condolences to Rita and family for their lose. John Brooks*



John Brooks - September 07, 2019 at 08:32 AM

JD

“ *Janice Damewood lit a candle in memory of James Andrew Anderson*



Janice Damewood - September 05, 2019 at 06:06 PM

JD

“ *Reta,
So very sorry for your loss. James was such a good person. His suffering is finally over.
I will hold you close to my heart in the days to come. If I can help you in anyway, please call on me anytime.
Love,
Janice Damewood*

Janice Damewood - September 05, 2019 at 06:04 PM

DP

“ *David Paxton lit a candle in memory of James Andrew Anderson*



David Paxton - September 04, 2019 at 02:58 PM

DP

Reta and family I'm sorry for your lost 🙏

David Paxton - September 04, 2019 at 03:00 PM

MF

“ *So very long ago I was introduced to Oriskany and Craig Co., along with a few of the occupants of this heavenly place. What a group to meet! What a place to spend time at! So many of them are gone now, leaving us here missing each and everyone of them, remembering how blessed and lucky we were, and still are, to have known them. It hurts to say goodbye and to come back to the same place, but not the same people. While I've only seen James a time or two, I met him while visiting his brother Russell, at the Anderson / Lazy A Farm. To James' family, my family and I are so very sorry for your loss. We trust James is at peace now. No more suffering or worrying. I was wondering, maybe he and Russell can finally relax up in heaven, but for some reason I picture them still working, sweating, laughing and living. Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal. Michele, David & Lauren Flippo*



michele flippo - September 03, 2019 at 02:29 PM

JD

“ Rita, so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Judy Davis Doughty - September 03, 2019 at 02:00 PM

KL

“ My sincerest condolences to Reta, Linda and family.

I will continue to pray for you in the following days.

*In Christian love,
Karen Link*

Karen Link - September 02, 2019 at 11:40 AM

AH

So sorry for your loss Reta, I do pray the Lord wraps you in his arms and comforts you at this most difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Annette Hannah - September 04, 2019 at 02:30 PM

RW

Reta so sorry for your loss my mother grew up with James and Russell she told me of the times they had working on the farm together. He will be missed. Mother and Elmer were 1st cousins.

Randy Wray - September 04, 2019 at 03:47 PM

KU

Reta, I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers for you and your family

Kathleen Ulrich

Kathleen Ulrich - September 11, 2019 at 09:01 AM