



Jerry Dean Wilt

March 28, 1960 - November 14, 2023

Jerry Dean Wilt, 63, passed away at his home in Lakeland on Tuesday, November 14, 2023.

Jerry was born to parents Roy and Nadine (Wadell) Wilt on March 28, 1960, and remained a lifelong resident of Lakeland. He graduated from Kathleen High School in 1978 and was a longtime employee for the City of Lakeland. Jerry ran his own business, Wilt's Farms & Service (Wilt's Engine Services) for many years and was plant manager at McIntosh Powerplant in Lakeland for over 30 years upon retiring in 2010.

Jerry is preceded in death by his infant son, Jason Daniel Wilt, brother Stephen Wilt, first wife Tammy, and second wife Judith.

He is survived by his wife Carol, son Jeremy (Kristin) Wilt, daughter Rachel (Nathaniel) Wittman, brothers Matthew (Wendy) Wilt and Roy (Monica) Wilt, Jr., as well as several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Visitation will be held on Monday, November 20, 2023 from 10-11:00AM, with funeral service to follow at 11:00AM, at Crestview Baptist Church, 615 Old Polk City Rd, Lakeland, FL 33809. Interment at Socrum Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

SOCRUM CEMETERY

3125 W Socrum Loop
LAKELAND, FL

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Crestview Baptist Church
615 Old Polk City Rd
Lakeland, FL 33809

Funeral Service

NOV **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerry Dean Wilt*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - November 17, 2023 at 04:56 PM

BS

“ *I wasn't aware that he passed I'm so sorry I missed his funeral.jerry was so nice and loving .i cared for his wife until she passed at home.*

billy stephenson - September 10, 2024 at 08:46 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Jerry Dean Wilt.*



November 18, 2023 at 04:11 PM

CA

“ Carol sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Dean Wilt



carol - November 16, 2023 at 06:08 PM

DE

“ Jerry u will be missed. I will always remember our talks about the Lord and sitting and listening to u tell about ur testimony . U were always thinking about others. Helping people. I'm sure u are wearing ur crown now. Thank u for having the loving heart u had for people. I will always remember u.

Debbie - November 16, 2023 at 05:28 PM

DE

“ Debbie lit a candle in memory of Jerry Dean Wilt



Debbie - November 16, 2023 at 05:20 PM

CA

Going to miss you so much I love you with all my heart!! I know you are not in pain anymore That is what is going to keep me going Remember at midnight love ya ! Love ya your wife carol

caroo - November 16, 2023 at 06:06 PM

RV

*Carol,
Just found out that Jerry passed away I'm so sorry my deepest prayers
are with you it's been such a distance between us but the last time I
seen the two of you it would be my last time seeing Jerry so once again
so Sorry. Your friend always love Robin Velie*

Robin Velie - April 13, 2024 at 08:48 PM

CA

“ *Carol lit a candle in memory of Jerry Dean
Wilt*



carol - November 16, 2023 at 05:12 PM

CA

*I never will ever forget the time we had together ! It was not long
enough ,I know you are not in pain anymore !That is what is going to
get me through these times ! I love you with all my heart !Remember
Midnite ! Love ya your wife Carol*

carol - November 16, 2023 at 05:15 PM