



Ted Williams

August 31, 1933 - November 22, 2021

Teddy Floyd "Ted" Williams, son of the late Julius Theodore "J.T." Williams and Mattie Mae (Stills) Williams, was born August 31, 1933 in Maumee, Arkansas.

At the young age of 4, Ted and his family moved to Mansfield, Missouri and then at the age of 10, moved to Buckhorn, Pulaski County, Missouri. They later moved to Newburg for a short time before returning to Pulaski County.

Ted entered the United States Air Force and served his country faithfully until his honorable discharge in July 1959.

Ted met a young lady by the name of Laurel Sue Nicks. They began dating and were united in marriage on May 17, 1956 in Ava, Missouri and shared over 65 years together. Ted and Sue were blessed with three children: Roger, Loretta, and Michella.

Ted was a long-time resident of Pulaski County and owned and operated several businesses throughout the years. He became a brick mason and became partners with his brothers with their own construction business, Williams Construction Company. He later owned and operated Ted Williams Steakhouse, Continental Oil, Buckhorn Bowling Alley, along with other businesses.

In his spare time, Ted enjoyed anything outdoors, but especially hunting and bird watching. He also was an avid gun collector and was a member of the National Rifle Association. Ted was a huge Donald Trump supporter and a member of the Pulaski County Republican Club and the Ozark Memorial VFW #3176 of St. Robert, Missouri.

Ted had made a profession of faith and went home to be with his Lord Monday, November 22, 2021 in the Life Care Center of Waynesville having attained the age of 88 years.

He will be sadly missed, but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved him. Ted leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Sue Williams; his three children, Roger Williams (Barbara) of Plato, MO, Loretta Rouse (Mike) of Waynesville, MO, and Michella Davenport (Terry) of St. Maries, ID; five grandchildren, Sarah Williams, Kristen Ham (Joey), Michael Mullins (Ashlee), Stephen Davenport, and Alena Davenport; one great-grandchild, Liliana Ham; a sister, Irene Fields (Ed) of Mesa, AZ; three nieces, Susan Cullison, Janice Rice, and Lelia York, and a number of other nieces and nephews; as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, Ted was preceded in death by one brother: J.J. Williams; and two sisters: Pauline Capps and Nadine Binkley.

Funeral Services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 30, 2021, in Faith Baptist Church. Burial with Full Military Honors followed in the Buckhorn Cemetery, under the care and direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert.

Memorial contributions in memory of Ted Williams may be made to St. Jude's Children Hospital, and may be left at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Buckhorn Cemetery

Waynesville, MO 65583

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert
202 Historic 66 W.
Waynesville, MO 65583
(573) 774-6111
memorialchapels@embarqmail.com

Funeral Service

NOV **30**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Faith Baptist Church
25475 MO-17
Waynesville, MO 65583

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Ted Williams*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - December 03, 2021 at 11:14 AM



“ *Ted Williams*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Ted was always kind to me. I will miss him.*



Jax Welborn - December 04, 2021 at 10:36 PM



“ *Dawn And Robert McKee lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Dawn and Robert McKee - November 30, 2021 at 06:50 PM

DM

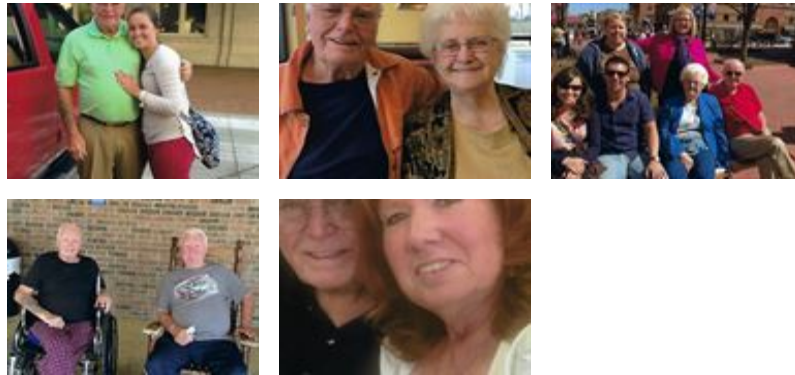
“ Dawn McKer lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams



Dawn McKer - November 30, 2021 at 06:05 PM



“ 135 files added to the album LifeTributes



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - November 30, 2021 at 01:50 PM

DM

“ Sue, I just found out about Ted. Robert and I are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Dawn and Robert McKee

Dawn and Robert McKee - November 30, 2021 at 10:27 AM

DM

“ Dawn And Robert McKee lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams



Dawn and Robert McKee - November 30, 2021 at 10:24 AM

HW

“ Sorry for your loss. Bob Williams family

Hayley Williams - November 29, 2021 at 08:48 PM

PG

“ Pulaski County Camp Gideons lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams



Pulaski County Camp Gideons - November 28, 2021 at 01:19 AM

CL

“ Connie Lentz lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams



Connie Lentz - November 27, 2021 at 12:09 AM



“ *Mary Haas lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Mary Haas - November 26, 2021 at 09:57 PM



“ *Mike lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Mike - November 26, 2021 at 02:22 PM



“ *Pam Huey lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Pam Huey - November 25, 2021 at 08:18 PM



“ *Robin Hobbs lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Robin Hobbs - November 25, 2021 at 07:50 AM

VD

“ *VEL DAVIS lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



VEL DAVIS - November 24, 2021 at 12:01 PM

SA

“ *Stacy And Shari Anderson lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Stacy and Shari Anderson - November 24, 2021 at 12:00 PM

LW

“ *Linda Wyatt lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Linda Wyatt - November 24, 2021 at 09:45 AM

CA

“ *Carla Allen lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Carla Allen - November 24, 2021 at 09:07 AM

CD

“ *Cornelia & Robert Dodds lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams*



Cornelia & Robert Dodds - November 24, 2021 at 06:54 AM

PC

“ *Pamela Cox sent a virtual gift in memory of Ted Williams*



Pamela Cox - November 24, 2021 at 06:46 AM

PD

“ *Sue, Loretta, Mike, Roger, and Barbara; my deepest condolences to you and the rest of the family. I know what a difficult and sorrowful time this is and you all will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers.*



Paula Dye - November 24, 2021 at 03:03 AM

PD

“ *Paula Dye sent a virtual gift in memory of Ted Williams*



Paula Dye - November 24, 2021 at 02:46 AM

JR

“ Sue I want to say how sorry I am to hear about Ted. He was such a good friend. I know that he will be truly missed. My prayers are with you, Roger, Loretta and Michelle.

Jo Ann Roam-Wright - November 23, 2021 at 10:11 PM

PF

“ So sorry for the Family's loss ,he will be missed,RIP Go Fly High..

Paula Forrest - November 23, 2021 at 09:30 PM

PF

“ Paula Forrest lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams



Paula Forrest - November 23, 2021 at 09:27 PM

OT

“ Oresta Talbot lit a candle in memory of Ted Williams



Oresta Talbot - November 23, 2021 at 07:20 PM

DJ

“ *Debby Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ted Williams*



Debby Johnson - November 23, 2021 at 07:19 PM

JO

“ *Sue & family you are all in my thoughts and prayers.*



Judy Ogle - November 23, 2021 at 07:14 PM

MM

“ *Sue & family you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Prayers. Hugs. Love you. Crystal Ogle-Mosier*



Michael & Crystal Mosier - November 23, 2021 at 07:12 PM