



## Burl Edgar Wilder

December 2, 1947 - July 14, 2023

Rose Hill, VA - Burl Edgar Wilder

Burl Edgar Wilder, 75, entered into rest Friday, July 14, 2023, at his home surrounded by his family. Burl was born December 2, 1947, in Rose Hill, VA to the late Elbert and Ethel Wilder. He joined the US Army, and served in Vietnam where he received a Purple Heart and Bronze Star for his duty. He worked as a truck driver hauling coal and many also knew him later as the school bus driver. Burl loved his family and his grandbabies dearly. From a child on he was an avid outdoorsman, loved to farm, and just being outside. He was always willing to help others. He accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior.

Along with his parents, Burl is preceded in death by his brothers, Clarence, Robert "RC", and Curtis Wayne Wilder, Sr; sister, Virginia King; special parents, Willard and Axie Gilbert.

Left to cherish his memories his wife of 54 years, Beulah Hensley Wilder of the home; daughter, Kim Wilder Ramey and husband, Harvey of Rose Hill, VA; sons, Anthony and Brandon Dean of Rose Hill, VA; sister, Elberta Mumaw and husband, Don of Fredrick, MD; grandchildren, Charity Faith Dean and Olivia Jan Dean; Several nephews and nieces who he loved dearly; a host of extended family and friends.

A graveside service with Military honors will be held Monday, July 17, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at Wilder Hensley Cemetery in Rose Hill, VA with Porter Hopkins, Joe Gilbert, and Tim Varnadore officiating. All family and friends are ask to meet at the cemetery by 5:45 p.m. for services.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

A memorial video has been created for family and friends at:

<https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/KZ8QZ8DTHKMH9WB8>

An online register is available for the family at [www.holdingfuneralhome.com](http://www.holdingfuneralhome.com)

Holding Funeral Home is Honored to be serving the family of Burl Wilder.

# Cemetery Details

## Wilder - Hensley Cemetery

2551 Old Nursery Road  
Rose Hill, VA 24281

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

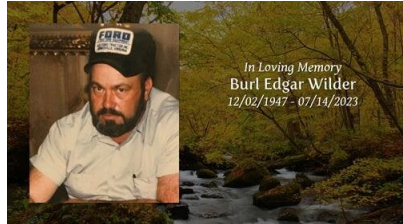
JUL 17. 6:00 PM (ET)

Wilder - Hensley Cemetery  
2551 Old Nursery Road  
Rose Hill, VA 24281

# Tribute Wall



“ *Holding Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Burl Edgar Wilder*



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**Holding Funeral Home, Inc.** - July 16, 2023 at 08:26 PM

BN

*So sorry to hear this today! My love and prayers go out to you Beulah ,Kim and family! May the Lord comfort and give you peace! I love you!*

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**Beverly Nelson** - July 18, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Burl Edgar Wilder*

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October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM

DP

“ *Below, I am so sorry to hear to hear of the passing of your dear husband. It seems like a long long time since I have seen you, but please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you!*



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**Doris Presley** - July 19, 2023 at 10:57 AM

PS

“ *Beulah and Kim, I am so sorry. My condolences and prayers for comfort and peace.*

Patricia Scarberry - July 16, 2023 at 09:48 PM

JW

“ *Prayers for strength, comfort, and peace!*



Julia Wyrick - July 16, 2023 at 06:37 PM

CT

“ *I've known Burl a long time. I used to work for Curt doing mining props. Prayers for his family.*

Carl Taylor - July 16, 2023 at 06:31 PM

LB

“ *Beulah and Kim, I am so sorry for your loss. Sending thoughts and prayers your way.*

LaVerne Brown - July 16, 2023 at 01:57 PM

DW

“ *Diane Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Burl Edgar Wilder*



Diane Wolfe - July 16, 2023 at 12:15 PM

JJ

“ Uncle Burl was so special to me! I loved him so much and I will miss him dearly. Beulah and Kim I love you and wish I could be there. Until we meet again Uncle Burl. ❤️

Julia Wilder Jones - July 15, 2023 at 08:26 PM

SN

“ Beulah, Kim, and family, I am so sorry to hear about Burl. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

Sandra J Newman - July 15, 2023 at 06:33 PM

JS

“ It's way too soon to lose Burl, but every life he ever touched will never forget him. He was kind, serious, tough, gentle and so very loving. I was married to his older brother, Clarence, and we were so proud of Burl for serving in Viet Naum even though it was really hard on him and he always suffered with those memories. I know there is a great reunion in heaven going on and that there will be no more sad memories ever again. I look forward to joining them when my days are over. Love and sincere sympathy to Burl's family who have been his support system for many years. God's blessings on you all. Judy

Judy Wilder Strauser - July 15, 2023 at 06:31 PM

ZM

So sorry for your loss 😔💔 Prayers for peace and comfort for the family 🙏💜 Burl was a wonderful man 💙

Zelda Merrell - July 16, 2023 at 01:21 AM

LL

So sorry for your loss. Prayers for all.

Linda Lee - July 16, 2023 at 12:42 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Burl Edgar Wilder.*



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July 15, 2023 at 05:45 PM