



David Lawrence Mathews

July 9, 1958 - October 2, 2022

David L. Mathews, 64, of Wilmington, NC went to be with his Lord on October 2, 2022.

David was a follower of Christ who faithfully attended The Rock Church, Conway, SC and was a member of Northside Church in Wilmington, NC. David loved many things in life. First and foremost was being an avid follower of Jesus Christ, the pride of his life, his daughter Gabby and his fiancé, Amy Jackson.

David was a salesman for Parts Master Now Lawson Products Inc. of Irving, TX.

He had a fondness for fireworks, and a passion for softball, playing for Northside Church. His pastimes were watching game shows and sports (especially football). He was a respected mentor for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, in Wilmington, NC. One of his most enjoyed meals was BBQ Brisket, green beans, and sweet iced tea.

Survivors include his mother Betty Mathews of Wilmington, NC , His father proceeded him in death, Lawrence Mathews, Jr, beloved daughter Gabby Mathews, His fiancé Amy Jackson, two daughters: Sophie and Catherine Jackson; Two sisters: Connie (Mark) Clemmons of Wilmington, NC, Lori (Jim) Speight, of Wilmington, NC., Six nieces and nephews Matthew Clemmons, Patrick Clemmons, Andrew Clemmons, Madison (Grant) Stutzenberger, Jamie (Jay) Lyons, and Alex Speight.

A Memorial Service will be held Monday October 10, 2022 at 6PM at the

North Side Church, 2501 College Road, Wilmington, NC, a brief visitation after the service.

Donations in lieu of flowers may be sent to Southeastern (FCA) Post Office Box 15305, Wilmington, NC 28408.

Please sign a guest book at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in Charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **10**. 6:00 PM (ET)

Northside Church
2501 N College Rd
Wilmington, NC 28405
(910) 791-6053

Tribute Wall

DO

“ I tried calling him a few weeks ago. I thought it odd, he did not call back . Tonight , I thought about him and decided to do a Google search. I was sad to learn of his passing

David was a blessing to me in many ways . He opened up his house to me , invited me to church, invited me for thanksgiving. We would meet for BBQ every so often and after the pleasantries were over, he always asked how my walk with Lord was doing . Truly a man after Gods own heart.

Gabby your father really loved you . He was very proud of you .

I offer my condolences to the David's family .

David Okenfuss - August 13, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of David Lawrence Mathews.



October 10, 2022 at 01:44 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David Lawrence Mathews.



October 09, 2022 at 09:51 PM

BE

“ David was our neighbor in Wilmington NC for about 20 years. He truly loved the Lord. If you knew him, you know he was very proud of his daughter, Gabby. We will truly miss him, but in David's words when he spoke of the passing of his father, he quoted part of a scripture that said "to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord." We are praying for the family. We love you, Gabby. From Jerry & Betty Smith

betty - October 09, 2022 at 03:22 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Lawrence Mathews.



October 08, 2022 at 11:12 AM

BD

“ David was a wonderful man of God. I met him many years ago through a mutual friend and once we met, we were friends for life. Even though I have moved away from Wilmington David would always take time to encourage me via LinkedIn or FB. I know I will see him again one day and when I do I'll be sure to tell him what an encouragement he was to me. I am so glad that he is and always will be my brother in Christ.

Beth Donaldson - October 07, 2022 at 11:22 AM

LW

“ David was a man of God who listened to the nudging of the Holy Spirit. I met David through his work with Parts Master. The boat dealership I was working for had a layoff, my unemployment was running out and I was in prayer for God's guidance. In fact I was delivering Valentine flowers on the day David called to say he had a suggestion for my new job. David was listening to his Lord. I was back to work by March 1st rejoicing in my new job. I share this story in my personal testimony with a thankful heart. David was such a blessing to many 🙏.

Laura Wilder - October 07, 2022 at 10:08 AM

PS

“ Dave came to train me when I was new with Partsmaster in 2008. His dedication to his customers and the company were inspirational to me. He was a strong Christian and was not afraid to ask me tough questions, helping me to mature in my faith. I will miss him.

Paul S - October 06, 2022 at 11:11 PM

JW

“ I worked with David and he was always kind and pleasant when he called in. I was always happy to help him and get what he requested done for his customers. Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs, I am very sorry for your loss.

Jessica Williamson - Lawson Products/formerly Partsmaster

Jessica Williamson - October 06, 2022 at 12:48 PM

RJ

“ David was such a great guy and we enjoyed working with him with FCA. He was always so kind to everyone he met. This is definitely a great loss to not only his family but his friends as well. May God give all of you peace and comfort during this difficult time

Rhonda Jacobs - October 05, 2022 at 02:42 PM

DA

“ *A great friend for many years. Im going to miss you you*

Dan - October 05, 2022 at 01:16 PM

RH

“ *David was a wonderful man, and friend. Growing up together in church at Cape Fear Presbyterian, we shared many laughs, and fun times. David, rest in heaven my friend. You'll be missed here on earth.* 🙏💔

Regina Hawse - October 05, 2022 at 01:10 PM

PH

“ *Lori, Betty and Family, We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and family. Pat and Billy Henderson*

Patricia Henderson - October 05, 2022 at 12:48 PM