



James Ammons

January 29, 1944 - May 10, 2011

Myrtle Beach...James M. "Butch" Ammons, age 67, of Ammons Lane died Tuesday, May 10, 2011 at Waccamaw Hospital.

Mr. Ammons was born in Conway, SC, the son of the late John Vollie and Geneva Fullwood Ammons. Butch had a love for life like none other. As a lifetime resident of Socastee, he was frequently called "The Mayor" by hundreds of people who knew him well.

Growing up on a farm, Butch knew the value of hard work and spent years as an electrician in Myrtle Beach and surrounding areas. He was an avid Nascar fan, a skilled fisherman, and a member of Forestbrook Baptist Church. Of all his loves, at the top of the list was his faith and his unending love for family and friends. Butch never met a stranger. He loved laughter and he shared it wherever he went. He was predeceased by a brother, Larry Larue Ammons.

Survivors include his wife of 36 years, Sandi Rabon Ammons; two daughters, Ashlee Rogers and her husband Brian, Aimee Gause and her husband Robert, all of Socastee; four grandchildren, Kayleigh and Kasey Rogers, Lailah and Tyriq Gause; one brother, John Ray Ammons and his wife Kristy; one sister, Deborah Ammons Wolfe and her husband Mark, all of Socastee, and many nieces and nephews that have a special place in his heart.

Funeral Services will be held at 1:00 PM Friday, May 13, 2011 at Forestbrook

Baptist Church with Pastor Jim Shriver and Rev. Hobert Johnson officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery directed by Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 PM Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society Hope Lodge of Charleston, 269 Calhoun Street, Charleston, SC 29401.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544
Conway, SC 29526
(843) 347-4909
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

Previous Events

Service

MAY 13. 1:00 PM (ET)

Forestbrook Baptist Church
2051 Forestbrook Rd
Myrtle Beach, SC 29588
(843) 236-2224

Tribute Wall



“ *Cindy Cheatwood lit a candle in memory of James Ammons* ”



Cindy Cheatwood - May 19, 2011 at 03:48 PM



“ *6 files added to the album Family was his Life* ”



Ashlee Rogers - May 15, 2011 at 06:13 PM

SL

“ I have been honored to know such a nice man and his whole family, how sweet you all are, Sandi, Ashlee, Brian, Amy, Robert, Debbie, Mark, John Ray and Kristy! I have prayed for you all and the children as well. I remember just this Easter, Butch came to the Sunrise service and breakfast. I was sooo excited to see him at church. He looked great! I just danced and jumped around with joy! It had been so long, it seemed, since Butch and Sandi had been able to attend church. Ashlee told me that her Daddy had come home with his coffee from the breakfast and was whistled with joy...he was in a good mood she told me. Butch had always been so friendly and nice to me like I had know him all of my life. We will all see him again in Heaven! I will continue to pray for you all.
Sue Ann Lee

Sue Ann Lee - May 15, 2011 at 04:02 PM



“ He enjoyed fixing up this tractor. When he bought this tractor it looked like a piece of junk, but when he was finished, well lets just say, it was "his piece of art." Boy was he proud of it! I had to take his picture on it from every angle.



Ashlee Rogers - May 15, 2011 at 11:21 AM



“ 50 files added to the album *Family was his Life*



Ashlee Rogers - May 15, 2011 at 11:15 AM

TV

“ *Ms. Sandi,*
I was so sorry to hear about Mr. Butch. I remember babysitting for you guys as a teenager. He was always such a good friend to my dad, Henry Hilburn, who we lost a little less than a month ago. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Tami Vandale

Tami Vandale - May 12, 2011 at 07:55 PM

BD

“ *Debbie and Mark,*

The children and I are so sorry for your loss. Please know you are so loved, thought about, and prayed for daily!
Love,
Bryanne and Children



Bryanne Davis - May 12, 2011 at 07:38 PM

KH

“ *Kathy Hawn lit a candle in memory of James Ammons*



Kathy Hawn - May 12, 2011 at 02:45 PM

SA

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and host of friends as they grieve the loss and celebrate the life of a beloved husband, father, and friend. Sandra and Gene Aunt Jane and Uncle Ike

Sandra Ammons - May 12, 2011 at 07:14 PM

VL

“ *Debbie,
Thoughts and prayers are with you and all the family. I hope your sweet memories of Butch will help you through this very difficult time.
Love,
Vicki G. Lewis*

Vicki Gore Lewis - May 12, 2011 at 07:15 AM

KH

Dear Sandi,

You are a woman filled with grace, faith and strength and those attributes will surely help you find peace in this time of sorrow. I am thinking and praying for you and your family as Butch finds his way thru heavens gate now.

*Lots of love and support,
Kathy*

Kathy Hawn - May 12, 2011 at 02:44 PM