

Celebration Of Life
Mr. Walter James Myers



Friday, July 31, 2026

Family Visitation: 10:30-11:00 AM

Service: 11:00 AM

Smith's Memorial Chapel

604 Salisbury Street

Wadesboro, North Carolina

Rev. Renee B. Bethea, Presiding

Rev. U. Kirkland, Eulogist

CELEBRATION OF LIFE PROGRAM

PRESIDING.....Rev. Renee B. Bethea
Pastor-Thomas Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church

FAMILY PROCESSIONAL & VISITATION.....10:30-11:00 AM

SELECTION.....Deborah Watts

SCRIPTURE READINGS

The Old Testament.....Ricky Rivers

The New Testament.....Pastor Tim Adams

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Elder Ted Ward
Pastor-Faith Builders Ministry

SELECTION.....Co-Pastor Mary Ellerbe Bennett

REMARKS (2 Minutes Please).....Clergy
Bowman Senior High School Class of 1970
Family & Friends

FAMILY REFLECTIONS.....Kimberly Harrington

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.....Harold Smith & Evadne Smith

SELECTION.....Flint Ridge Gospel Choir

EULOGY.....Rev. U. Kirkland
Pastor-Taylors Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church & Paradise A.M.E. Zion Church

SELECTION.....Flint Ridge Gospel Choir

FINAL VIEWING

COMMITTAL

BENEDICTION.....Pastor U. Kirkland

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT

Anson Memorial Park

2207 NC-742

Wadesboro, North Carolina



Until We Meet Again!

Walta

*We think about you always
We talk about your constance.
You will never be forgotten.
We hold you close within our hearts
And there you will remain.
Walk and guide us through our lives
Until we meet again.*

*Your Loving Wife,
Peggy*



THE OBITUARY

***“The name of the Lord is a strong tower. The righteous run to it and are safe.
Proverbs 18:10***

Mr. Walter James Myers was born on January 4, 1952. He was joined in marriage to his wife of 54 years Peggy Spencer Myers. Born in Anson County, North Carolina. He was the son of Willie “Bo” Myers and Mamie Sue Myers of Lilesville, North Carolina. Walter transitioned on Friday, July 24, 2026 at 74 years of age.

Walter graduated from Bowman Senior High School in 1970.

Walter gave his life to Christ at an early age and was a life-long member of Thomas Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church. Walter, affectionately known as “Toe Joe” worked dilignetly over his life years at Thomas Chapel. He served faithfully on the Trustee Board, Steward Board, Pastors Stewart, Finance Committee, Chairman of the Kitchen Committee and served in any area that needed his help. He was there to serve and not be served. Walter was a dedicated member of Thomas Chapel and was faithful unitl and even after his health began to fail.

Walter loved his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, his family, community and friends. He enjoyed and looked forward to gatherings, trips, the communion; the laughter the precious and unforgettable memories that lasted a life-time.

Walter enjoyed and was a great gardner. Walter would plant and work his garden with the help of God Almighty, raise a bountiful harvest of fruit, vegetables, harvest them up, take them to share with his neighbors and friends. This was his routine for more 40 or more years. Walter’s generosity and charitable ways will certainly be missed.

In his spare time he certainly enjoyed fishing. His most favorite passtime was being on the river bank with his buddies pulling them in. Walter was a superfan of football and basketball. His favorite teams were the Colts and Duke. Whether they were winning or losing he still cheered them on.

Traveling was his passion. He recently traveled to several places on his bucket list, and enjoyed himself tremendously. He visited California, Los Angeles, and Pasadena. He saw a game at the Rose Bowl Stadium, visited Malibu and Musde Beach. His favorite burger joint was In and Out where he stated that “these are the best burgers, even bettter than wifey’s.”

Walter was a great dancer and was always the first on the floor and the last to leave.

Walter lived each day in a positive space. For family and friends he was a staple. Holding everything together. Always taking care of what was needed taking care of. Always there to give a helping hand and an encouraging word. Walter was indeed a perfect example of God’s love. Walter was authentic and live his God-given life with purpose. He was quiet, stable, unwavering, stedy, dependable, responsible, and dedicated. He believed that he was worthy of God’s love simply because he existed. His final days were filled with Faith, Love, and Peace. He will be deeply missed.

Walter Myers worked at Alcoa Aluminum Company in Badin, NC for 30 years until retirement.

He leaves to cherish his wonderful memories, his wife, Peggy S. Myers. His daughter, Lyndsey Myers Adams and son-in-law, Pastor Steve Adams of Harvest Ministries Outreach, Wadesboro, NC. His beloved grandson, Colin James Stewart named “CJ” by his PaPa. One brother, J.B. Myers (Mary) of Kings, NC. A host of sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, neighbors, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Willie “Bo” Myers and Mamie Sue Myers of Lilesville, NC. Brothers, Bobby Myers of Lilesville, NC, William C. Smith of Lilesville, NC, Willie Myers Jr. (Mary Alice) of Winston-Salem, NC, Billy Myers (Dot) of Detroit, Michigan and one sister, Sarah Smith Harrington of Winston-Salem, NC. His nieces and nephews, Frankie Harrington, Wanda Parsons, John Lee Smith and Rev. Tommy Smith all of Lilesville, NC. All greatly loved and missed.





Dear Daddy,

*I am your daughter and that is still the title I am most proud of.
Not anything I have achieved, not anything I have become
Just that just yours!*

*Forever Your Girl,
Lyndsey*





*Flower Bearers
Class of 1970*

*Pallbearers
Class of 1970*

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*Repast
Harvest Ministries
1134 East Caswell Street
Wadesboro, North Carolina*

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Thank You



Your prayers have comforted us. Your support has strengthened us. And your love has sustained us. We extend our deepest thanks to you for your kindness and consideration during our time of sorrow. We appreciate you more than words can say.



Special Thanks to all visitors that came to comfort the family. Phone calls that brightened our days. The Hospice Team of Atrium Hospice in Monroe, NC, especially Shevond CNA and Melissa RN.

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*With All Our Love,
The Myers Family*

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*Smith's Funeral Directors
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