



## Johnny Frey

May 24, 2022

John C. “Johnny” Frey, 67, of Darlington died on Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at his home surrounded by his family.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 27, 2022 at 2 PM at First Church of God in Darlington. Entombment will follow at Florence Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 6 until 8 PM on Thursday, May 26, 2022 at Kistler-Hardee Funeral Home and other times at the home.

Johnny was born on August 27, 1954. He was the son of the late Lucille Carter Frey. He was raised in Florence and graduated from Southside High School. He then went to work in the family business, Darlington Shredding, and worked there until he retired a few years ago. Johnny had an entrepreneurial spirit. He was instrumental in the formation of other businesses which included DSI Metals, A&C Recycling, E&C Recycling and S&P Container Service.

Johnny was a longtime member of the church family at The First Church of God in Darlington. Over the years he served as an usher and greeter. His family was also very important to him. Johnny was a family man. He was interested in everything his family was doing and he wanted to be a part of it. Surviving are his wife, Tay West Frey of Darlington; his daughters and their families, Carrie Frey Perkins and her children Carter and Cayden, and Kip, and Ashleigh Frey Shelley and husband, Scott and their children Emma, Jack, and Owen; His Father and Mother in Law, Freddie and Martha West; his nephew, Jake Mims and wife Casie; his nieces, Wendy McKenzie and Melissa

Edwards and husband, Frank; his sisters-in-law, Martha Frey and Tonda Weaver; two special friends, Stephanie Galloway and Freddie Hall.

Johnny was preceded in death by his brother, Benny Frey; his sister, Helen Bush; and his brother-in-law, Danny Weaver.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made in memory of Johnny to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society ([www.givenow.lls.org](http://www.givenow.lls.org)).

Family and friends are invited to sign the online guest book at [www.kistlerhard.eefuneralhome.com](http://www.kistlerhard.eefuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

GS

“ Gary, Allen, and Marc Stein purchased the [Memorial Trees](https://www.kistlerhardeefuneralhome.com/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Johnny Frey.

Gary, Allen, and Marc Stein - June 08, 2022 at 01:00 PM

EH

“ We enjoyed seeing Johnny at Joe's Grill some years back, His friendliness was so contagious! We are thankful he is not suffering anymore. Prayers for your family.  
Rev. and Mrs. W. Edward Herlong

Edward and Betty Herlong - May 27, 2022 at 09:40 PM

CS

Sorry to hear this. Prayers for the family.

Carolyn L Seitman - June 05, 2022 at 01:57 AM

EH

“ Elaine Hubbard lit a candle in memory of Johnny Frey



Elaine Hubbard - May 27, 2022 at 10:20 AM

EH

“ Sending hugs and prayers for all of you.

Elaine Hubbard - May 27, 2022 at 10:20 AM

FR

“ Foss Recycling purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Johnny Frey.



Foss Recycling - May 27, 2022 at 08:47 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.



May 27, 2022 at 08:28 AM

DS

“ Prayers for family and friends. May God send HIS PEACE that passes our understanding.



Debbie & Danny Singletary - May 26, 2022 at 06:36 PM

BO

“ I have so many memories of Johnny and my husband. Too many to count but they are all good memories. Godspeed Johnny!!!! 🙏🙏❤️



Billie Oneal - May 26, 2022 at 05:22 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.



May 26, 2022 at 02:39 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.



May 26, 2022 at 01:22 PM



“ *Sarah E.* purchased the *Magnificent Life Spray* for the family of Johnny Frey.



**Sarah E.** - May 26, 2022 at 01:22 PM



“ *Pam Yates* sent a virtual gift in memory of Johnny Frey



**Pam Yates** - May 26, 2022 at 12:27 PM

DP

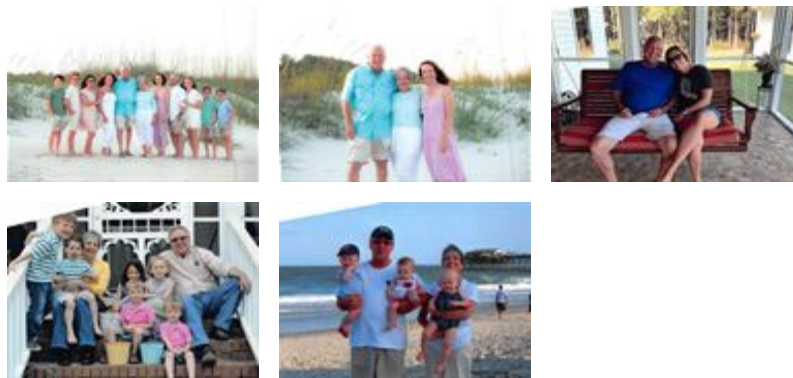
“ David Johnson and Turner Padget purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Johnny Frey.



David Johnson and Turner Padget - May 26, 2022 at 11:23 AM



“ 48 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kistler-Hardee Funeral Home - May 26, 2022 at 09:50 AM

RO

“ Sorry for your loss He will be missed by family, church family and friends Ron and Susan Anderson

Ron - May 25, 2022 at 09:40 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.



May 25, 2022 at 09:17 PM

TS

“ So sorry for your loss of Johnny. Thoughts and prayers for all his family.

The Hanniford's and Bubba Stokes - May 25, 2022 at 09:15 PM

PS

“ Paula Griggs Stork lit a candle in memory of Johnny Frey



Paula Griggs Stork - May 25, 2022 at 08:37 PM

TT

“ Johnny was a wonderful man and a dear family friend. He will be missed. Our hearts are heavy tonight. Lee Tucker and Family.

Tami Tucker - May 25, 2022 at 08:08 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.



May 25, 2022 at 07:32 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.*



May 25, 2022 at 06:29 PM



“ *Tay Ashleigh Scott Carrie and grandchildren. We are so sorry for your loss. Johnny was such a good man. Prayers for comfort and peace  
See you soon. We love you all.*

**Jimmy and Kathryn Lucas** - May 25, 2022 at 05:56 PM



“ *The world has lost one of the most benevolent men I've known. He was a friend to all he knew . he will be remembered by me as just a sweet, wonderful man. I have lost a friend. He fought a good fight, he kept the faith and now what was laid up in heaven for him is his gift of a new body. I thank God that I knew him. My prayers will continue for the family as they go into another stage in life without him. God's blessings and my love to all.Heaven's gain.. Our loss.*

**Myrtle Hancock** - May 25, 2022 at 05:50 PM



“ *Ricky & Judy Locklair lit a candle in memory of Johnny Frey*



**Ricky & Judy Locklair** - May 25, 2022 at 05:28 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Johnny Frey.*



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May 25, 2022 at 04:04 PM



“ *Judy Scurry lit a candle in memory of Johnny Frey*



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**Judy Scurry** - May 25, 2022 at 04:03 PM



“ *Hugs and prayers.*



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**Earl and Debra Grooms** - May 25, 2022 at 09:19 AM



“ *SO SAD TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS. JOHN WAS ALWAYS A GENTLEMAN AND FRIENDLY TO ALL. HE WILL BE MISSED!!! PRAYERS FOR PEACE AND COMFORT IN THE DAYS AHEAD.*



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**DWGHT & CAROLYN WILLIAMSON** - May 25, 2022 at 09:16 AM

GE

“ SO SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS.  
JOHN WAS A GREAT FRIEND AND WILL  
TRUELY BE MISSED. PRAYERS ARE WITH  
YOU AT THIS TIME FOR PEACE AND  
COMFORT.



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**GIBSON TIRE & EXHAUST** - May 25, 2022 at 09:10 AM

MM

“ So very sorry to hear this. Johnny was a wonderful person. I know he will be terribly missed. Prayers for you Taye, Carrie and Ashley as well as the entire family. May God's peace be with you in the days to come.  
Much Love,  
Marie and Johnny Melton

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**Marie Melton** - May 25, 2022 at 08:18 AM

DC

“ Taye, Carrie and Ashley- we were so sorry to hear of your loss. Johnnie was a great guy hard worker and loved his family more than anything. I pray God's Peace during this time covering each of you and helping you on this new journey you must travel now. Please know that we are lifting each of you in prayer- Love & Prayers to you All  
Tom & Donna Carter

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**DONNA CARTER** - May 24, 2022 at 11:04 PM

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“ *Chris Griggs lit a candle in memory of Johnny Frey*



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**Chris Griggs** - May 24, 2022 at 10:30 PM

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“ *Chris Griggs & Family*



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**Chris Griggs** - May 24, 2022 at 10:17 PM

KL

“ *Tay, I'm so sad to hear of your loss. Johnny was always the perfect gentleman and loved his family. A special person to all who knew him. With prayers filled with love to all of your family. Hugs, Kathy Lawhon*

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**Kathy Lawhon** - May 24, 2022 at 09:04 PM