



Rex Alan Wilks

September 4, 2021

Rex Alan Wilks, 62, died Saturday, September 4, 2021.

A memorial service will be held Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 7 PM in the Kistler-Hardee Funeral Home Chapel conducted by Pastor Bill Monroe. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Rex was born in North Carolina. He was the son of Frances James Wilks and the late Archie Wilks. He was member of The Florence Baptist Temple. He worked at INA Bearing in Cheraw. He enjoyed fishing and spending time with his family.

Surviving are his wife, Leigh Ann Sandifer Wilks; his son, Rex Alan Wilks, Jr., and wife Heather of Marion; his brothers, Archie Neil Wilks, and wife Betsy of Marion, James Duncan Wilks of Hartsville, Dean Scott Wilks, and wife Edith of Wallace; his sisters, Sarah Frances O'Neal, and husband Larry of Columbia, Cathy Faye Sellers, and husband Gerald of Hartsville, Rita Lynn Brasington of Columbia, Joy Wilks Smith, and husband Dale of Rockingham, NC; his grandchildren, Margaret Lynn Wilks and Luke Alan Wilks.

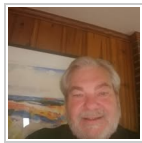
Tribute Wall



“ *Janice James lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Janice James - September 20, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *Randy told me of your loss. It is sad I live 2 doors down and did not know. Stop by and visit when you see us sitting in the back.*
Mike Payne

Michael Payne - October 30, 2021 at 01:39 PM



“ *Just saw of your loss. My heart breaks for all of your family. Can't imagine what you're going through. Praying for God's comfort and care. Love, Faye Sims Thigpen*

Faye Thigpen - September 17, 2021 at 08:17 PM



“ *Connie Melton Gainey lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Connie Melton Gainey - September 13, 2021 at 01:04 AM

CG

“ I was so sorry to hear about Rex. It was a shock. My heart goes out to the families.

Carolyn Freeman Gilbert - September 10, 2021 at 07:40 PM

PD

“ I remember Rex from school he was always quite and also fun guy he never met a stranger always smiling and friendly sending hugs to his family I know he will be missed.



Patsy Gainey Dixon - September 10, 2021 at 02:25 PM

PG

“ Pat Griggs lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks



Pat Griggs - September 09, 2021 at 03:24 PM

JK

“ So sorry to hear about Rex. I have only fond memories of Rex as we were growing up and going to school together. I will continue to pray for the family as I know he will be greatly missed.

John L. Kirven

John L Kirven - September 09, 2021 at 10:38 AM

TE

“ *Tim And Kay English lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Tim and Kay English - September 08, 2021 at 02:29 PM

CB

“ *Rex always had a smile for you and a kind word. He will be greatly missed. Cindy Barnes, Co-worker 2nd Shift*

Cindy Barnes - September 07, 2021 at 07:51 PM

VJ

“ *Virginia Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Virginia Johnson - September 07, 2021 at 06:46 PM

SP

“ *Leigh Ann and family,*

Rex was always a joy to be around at our family Christmas dinners. He will be missed by everyone. May God give you much comfort.

Susan Poston



Susan Poston - September 07, 2021 at 05:04 PM

GG

“ *Geraldine Jordan Griggs lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Geraldine Jordan Griggs - September 07, 2021 at 02:06 PM

JJ

“ *John Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



john johnson - September 07, 2021 at 01:21 PM

BH

“ *Rex was one of the nicest guys I ever met. It was a pleasure knowing him.*

Billy harpe



billy harpe - September 07, 2021 at 12:35 PM

BH

“ *Billy Harpe purchased the Rays of Light Spray for the family of Rex Alan Wilks.*



Billy Harpe - September 07, 2021 at 10:33 AM

JY

“ Jeff Yancey lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks



Jeff Yancey - September 07, 2021 at 09:26 AM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rex Alan Wilks.



September 07, 2021 at 08:47 AM



“ Kenneth O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks



Kenneth O'Neal - September 07, 2021 at 07:17 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rex Alan Wilks.



September 07, 2021 at 06:01 AM

RP

“ Always a pleasure to be around Rex, as he was always such an exemplary Christian, gentleman! I worked with him for years and I never heard a negative word come from his mouth! Prayers for all his family and especially for his brother Scott Wilks whom I worked with as well! RIP Sir!

Raymond Priest - September 07, 2021 at 12:50 AM

AJ

“ So sorry for your loss. I'll always remember his smile and his humble spirit.

Aunt Teresa & Uncle James - September 06, 2021 at 10:45 PM

PC

“ Peggy Coble lit a candle in memory of Rex
Alan Wilks



Peggy Coble - September 06, 2021 at 09:17 PM

DJ

“ Dianne James lit a candle in memory of Rex
Alan Wilks



Dianne James - September 06, 2021 at 09:15 PM

TA

“ *Tanya lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Tanya - September 06, 2021 at 08:06 PM

GH

“ *Greg & Lynn Hatcher lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Greg & Lynn Hatcher - September 06, 2021 at 07:08 PM

JB

“ My friend and co-worker, Rex Wilks, has gone on to be with JESUS. We shared a lot of laughs together and we worked hard together. This seems so unreal and unfair. Cancer just doesn't discriminate.

Everyone at work loved this wonderful man. He zipped around collecting his test samples with that big smile on his face. He checked on everyone as he went because he cared about people and so many cared about him. His laughter was contagious and his caring was sincere.

Rex was very patient as he helped train me for my job at INA. Over the years we worked together, we got to know each other. He definitely was a family man that loved his wife. He often bragged about her cooking. He would get up early to run or walk off some of that good food and took his dog went with him on his journeys. I got to see photos of his family and those grandbabies as he grinned and shared quick stories.

REX loved JESUS. He loved how his wife always sang in the Christmas musicals. He was proud of her singing talent and laughed about his lack of it.

Rex loved his football. During the season, he kept the radio tuned into games and I am sure he and his brother Scott enjoyed their time together cheering on their teams from a sofa.

I know the BIBLE tells us that it rains on the just and the unjust but, sometimes we wish we could just change it. I am glad I am not GOD. We don't understand the whys of life, we just want more time with the people we love, more time for others to know how special they really are and more time being enriched by them.

Rex, is not an angel. He is a precious child of GOD. Some don't understand that all GOD'S children are joint heirs with JESUS ... far above the angels. You will be missed my friend. Until we meet again, give JESUS a hug from all of us whose life you touched.

*Your friend,
Juanice Berry*

Juanice Berry - September 06, 2021 at 06:32 PM

MW

“ *Rex was a super nice guy. He was always smiling. My heart and prayers goes out to his family.*



Mae Winstead - September 06, 2021 at 05:30 PM

MW

Rex was a super nice guy. He was always smiling. My heart goes out to his family. God bless you all in the coming days.

Mae Winstead - September 06, 2021 at 05:33 PM

KB

“ *Kitty Baker lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Kitty Baker - September 06, 2021 at 05:03 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Rex Alan Wilks.*



September 06, 2021 at 03:53 PM

SW

“ Rex had a smile since day one I meet him at work, never seen him not smiling! My thoughts and prayers are for peace and comfort for days to come.



shannon watts - September 06, 2021 at 03:42 PM

CD

“ Carolyn Gainey Dixon lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks



Carolyn Gainey Dixon - September 06, 2021 at 11:29 AM

CD

We all grew up in the same neighbor hood!

Carolyn Gainey Dixon - September 06, 2021 at 11:30 AM

RW

“ I remember all the times we shared together as kids your cousin Rodney, Rest In Peace , I love you.



Rodney Wilks - September 06, 2021 at 10:03 AM

HC

“ *Wilks Family, was so sad to hear of Rex's passing. Worked with him . He always had a smile on his face with a happy spirit to go along with it. Always had some beautiful pictures of the grandkids to show off. His family was the love of his life. He will be greatly missed.*

R.I.P. my friend

Becky Chavis



Harry and Becky Chavis - September 05, 2021 at 07:32 PM

HB

“ *Sending prayers of comfort and peace to all the Wills. Rex was an amazing person. Always positive and smiling. He will surely be missed!*

Haley Beggs - September 05, 2021 at 01:11 PM

WJ

“ *William And Dot Jones lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



william and Dot Jones - September 05, 2021 at 09:48 AM

DO

“ *David O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



David O'Neal - September 05, 2021 at 01:50 AM

RH

“ *Rev. Burke & Wendy Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Rev. Burke & Wendy Hoffman - September 05, 2021 at 01:42 AM

RG

“ *Rev. & Mrs. Marvin Griggs lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Rev. & Mrs. Marvin Griggs - September 05, 2021 at 12:21 AM

RG

So very sorry to hear about Rex. We went to school together and lived in the same neighborhood. Love and Prayers for the family.💕

Rev. & Mrs. Marvin Griggs - September 05, 2021 at 12:23 AM

SP

“ *Sara Gainey Purvis lit a candle in memory of Rex Alan Wilks*



Sara Gainey Purvis - September 04, 2021 at 10:22 PM