



Walter Barnes

March 9, 1950 - June 5, 2024

Walter Barnes, son of Clinton Barnes and Susie Fuller, was born Thursday, March 9, 1950, in Alabama.

Walter served two tours of military duty in the United States Army during the Vietnam Conflict. He retired from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Welfare, and was most recently employed part time at McClarren Distribution.

As a member of River of Life Church in Lebanon, PA, Walter previously served with the Pastor Council and as Youth Director. He was a mentor to all and was applauded by his wife as the best and a most giving husband. His family brought immeasurable joy and pleasure to his life.

In Harrisburg, PA, on Wednesday, June 5, 2024, at seventy-four years of age, Walter transitioned from time to eternity. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by his daughter, Michelle Reist.

He leaves cherished memories and his love to his devoted and loving wife, Sheila Barnes; his caring daughter, Tiffany Gholson; grandson, Nolan Gholson "My Man;" his biological grandson, legally adopted and loved as his son, Kolbi Reist; and his great-granddaughter, Brielle Reist "Princess," all of Harrisburg, PA; along with a host of other family members in North Carolina and Florida.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

Cemetery Details

Grand View Memorial Park

500 N. Weaber Street
Annville, PA 17046

Previous Events

Flower Delivery

JUN 11. 8:30 AM (ET)

Wallace Funeral Directors Inc.
106 Agnes St
Harrisburg, PA 17104
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Viewing

JUN 11. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Viewing will be a gathering of Family and Close Friends.

Graveside Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Walter Barnes also has 6 children from his first wife in North Carolina. We were not made aware of his passing and found out through research. This is a sad way to find out my father passed when there is so many different means of communication.*

Tabitha Barnes Harris - November 15, 2025 at 03:18 PM

MD

“ *I was just informed that Lee Barnes passed away. I worked with his wife Sheila who both are godly people. We know that he is with the Lord. My daughter worked with him In her 1st job and always said that he was a great mentor of faith. He will be truly missed. My love and prayers go out to the family.*

Molly Dobrinoff - July 25, 2024 at 07:51 PM

RM

“ *Wow,our condolences to the family as I've just been notified of Mr.Barnes passing.May peace & comfort find you in the days coming.*

Rebecca Marcum - July 20, 2024 at 03:10 PM

DH

“ *Dan and Carolyn Hostetter send condolences and faith in our eternal lord during this time of loss. Many fond memories during our time together worshiping at the Hill Church Church of God Lebanon. God Bless*

Daniel Hostetter - June 08, 2024 at 07:03 PM

FK

“ *From lori and kids purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Walter Barnes.*



From lori and kids - June 08, 2024 at 06:03 PM