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Jesse David Stump

Oct. 31, 1954 - June 8, 2023

Jesse David Stump, 68, of Morganton, NC, a Gentle Giant went to be with his Heavenly Father on Thursday, June 8, 2023. He was born on October 31, 1954 in Catawba County to the late Jesse Stump and Colleen Benfield Stump. He was a member of Poarch Chapel Missionary Methodist Church where he enjoyed operating the sound system. David was a devoted husband, father and grandfather who loved his family and always had a smile on his face. He retired from Burke Catawba Detention Facility after seventeen years and also retired from Chesterfield Fire Department as a volunteer fire-fighter and EMT. He enjoyed golfing and fishing. As a final remembrance for the family, David smiled and was able to give his great-grandson a fist bump.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret Hennessee Stump; children, Renee Smith (Chris), Freddy Kral, Chris Stump (Crystal) and April Stump Payne; grandchildren, Sara Wright (Sam), Christopher Smith, Daphne Wright (Brandon), Haven Chapman, Kiarra Payne, Brayden Stump; great-grandchildren, Sailor Wright, Brittany Clark (Tyler), Kyle Wright, Chance Wright, Mackenzy Wright and Kaleb Wright; six great-great- grandchildren; sister, Cathy Wright; a nephew, two nieces and extended family.

The family will receive friends from 1pm-2pm on Monday, June 12, 2023 at Poarch Chapel Missionary Methodist Church. The service will begin at 2pm in the church

Chapel Missionary Methodist Church. The service will begin at 2pm in the church with the Revs. Mike Woody and Mike Greene officiating. Burial will follow at Burke Memorial Park.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



—Sheila Bishop

Margaret.im so sorry to see where David passed.i lost my husband in 2018.if you need me please let me know Brenda Morris Sparks

—Brenda Morris Sparks

Dear Margaret, I just saw where David passed. I'm so sorry for your loss! Im thinking of you & praying for you & your family. Love & miss you!

—Mary Davis

David was a fine young man. I enjoyed our friendship and memorable moments playing golf. David will surely be missed.

—Gary Burns

We loved this gentleman. We talked by texting. We love the family. He will truly be missed. Rest in peace dear friend. The Lord is coming soon. We will all meet again when he comes in the clouds!

–Mary Blackwell



–ANNONIOMUS



I knew David when me and my mom went to porch chapel.He was always so kind to me and my mom and he always had a smile on his face.He always made both of my kids smile and laugh and I considered him a big Ole loving teddy bear.He will greatly be missed by all who knew him.

–Melissa Phillips Glascoe

So very sorry for your loss. David was a good person

–Jean Norman



Margaret and family you are in our prayers. David was such a sweet soul. Loved his big bear hugs! He will be missed.

–Michele and Jason Day



This is NOT goodbye…. It's simply SO LONG FOR NOW. My prayers are for the rest of the family as you learn this new normal.

–Bob and Shelly Benfield



So sorry to hear that David passed My son Adam Cox



So sorry to hear that David passed.My son Adam Cox worked with David and Margeret at Chesterfield Fire Department for a while a long with Dean Harmon. Adam passed in March 2021.May God bless the family.

—Elaine Clark

Love ya Brother enjoy heaven we will meet you there. Glory to God you can see what we cant imagine.

—Jerry Rogers

Margaret David will be very missed he was a great man he was a loving man so sorry for your loss

—Kelsey Freeman



David was always a smiling face and a kind word! He will be sorely missed! Enjoy your Heavenly home Brother! Prayers for Mrs Margaret and the Family

—David Stikeleather



David will be missed by many people. Your family and extended family are in my thoughts and prayers. I am here if you need me. I love you guys.

—Terry Horton

To the family I'm sorry about the loss of David but I rejoice knowing he is heaven he continues to lives because he Now with Lord Jesus Christ and one day in a new glorified body God blessed you all this time Sidney Lane

—Sidney Lane

We will miss you my friend. Till we meet again. Love Cathy, Shannon, Jeff Wilcox

—Shannon Marie Gragg



Prayers for the familySo sorry for your loss.David was a classmate of mine at Oak Hill.

—Cathy Branch Griggs



Sorry for your loss. Praying for the family.

—Carol m Crump



Sorry for the loss of David. Praying for you an your family.

—Carol Crump

—Ralph Thorne

So so sorry .. know we are praying for you and love you big .. may Gods loving Arms wrap you and give you comfort at this time . Always and forever my sister .. big hugs .. Diane and Steve

—Diane Rhodes

David was a good man. Have known and went to church with David for years & was Always in church when the doors opened Loved his wife and family

dearly.He will be Greatly Missed

—Susie & Chris Pritchard