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Jimmy Bostian

Dec. 13, 1956 - Feb. 24, 2026

Jimmy Bostian, 69, of Valdese, NC, passed away Tuesday, February 24, 2026.

Born in Burke County, NC on December 13, 1956, he was the son of the late Jimmie Leroy Bostian and Thelma Cleo Weatherford Bostian.

Jimmy was a loving husband, step-father, step-grandfather, and brother. He worked out daily to stay fit, and enjoyed martial arts, fishing, and movies.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife of 34 years, Karen Bostian; step-daughters, Ambyr Hensley (Justin) and Jennifer Spencer (Robert); step-son, PJ Turner; step-grandchildren, Micheala, Logan, and Luca Spencer; brothers, Michael Bostian (Jennifer) and Mark Bostian (Kim); numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family; and his beloved cats.

The family will receive friends from 2 to 3 p.m., Friday, February 27, 2026 at Antioch Baptist Church. The funeral will be held at 3 p.m. in the church with Rev. Wallace Smith officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Sossoman Funeral Home, PO Box 2608, Morganton, NC 28680.

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Tribute Wall



Praying for God's Grace, Peace and Comfort over you all...

–Paris E. Turner Sr.

Hey Karen, It's Kevin Saulman. I just found out that Jimmy had passed away. I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep you, Jennifer, Amber, PJ, and the family in my prayers. Please let me know if there is anything that I can do you or the family. Lots of love, Kevin

–Kevin Saulman



–Kenny Hall



Mike & Family, We are so sorry to hear of the passing of your brother. You All are in our thoughts and prayers! May God put his arms around you all and give you strength, peace and comfort that only he can give during this difficult time and the days ahead. Much love to you all.

—Chris & Kim Mace

So sorry to hear of Jimmies passing. Please accept my sincere condolences. We will keep the entire family in our thoughts and prayers.

—Bruce Carpenter

Sorry to hear of Jimmy's passing. I worked with Jimmy years ago at Drexel furniture. I looked up to him and he taught me how to stand strong mentally. He taught martial arts. My prayers go out to the family. I've never forgot him.

—Scott Walker

Deepest sympathy.

—Ann Smith

Great friend over 30 years. One of the best people I've ever know. Truly going to miss him everyday.

—Joe Williams



To Mike and his family, We extend our sincere condolences and will keep all of you in our prayers during this difficult time. -From your work family at Lenoir Parks & Recreation

—JULIANA TRIPICIAN

Jimmy was the epitome of a wonderful neighbor. He will be sorely missed. Karen, you are in our prayers. Please let us know if you need anything. With love, The Williams Family

—Tonya Williams

My sincere condolences to the family. You are in my prayers.



–Lisa