



## James Allen Edwards Jr

January 15, 1938 - February 15, 2013

James Allen Edwards, Jr., 75, died February 15, 2013 at Greer Memorial Hospital.

A native of Greer, son of Gladys Evelyn Smith Edwards of Greer, and late James A. Edwards, Sr., he was educated at Greer High School and Furman University. Mr. Edwards was a retired employee from 3M Company, a US Air Force Veteran, a member of Victor Baptist Church and the Bailey Mason Lodge #146.

Surviving in addition to his mother, is his wife, Marlene Burrell Edwards of the home; three daughters and sons-in-law, Lisa and Jess Hall of Piedmont, Jamie and Jeff Templeton of Simpsonville and Anjanette and Jeff Gooding of Taylors; one brother and sister-in-law, Maxie and Janis Edwards of Spartanburg and five grandchildren, Jenna and Jenson Hall of Piedmont, Jaden Templeton of Simpsonville, Kaben and Micah Gooding of Taylors. Funeral services will be held 3:30 p.m. Sunday at Victor Baptist Church conducted by Rev. Ken Vickery. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens. Pallbearers in addition to his grandsons will be Mark Hardin and Lee Leonhardt.

His Sunday School class will serve as honorary escort.

Visitation will be held 2:00 – 3:15 p.m. Sunday at Victor Baptist Church.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Victor Baptist Church, P.O. Box 1147, Greer, S.C. 29652.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard  
Greer, SC 29651

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM (ET)

Victor Baptist Church  
121 New Woodruff Road  
Greer, SC 29651

## Service

FEB 17. 3:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

KB

“ *Marlene, may God continue to be with you and Jim's loved ones. God's peace, love you always, Kitt C. Brown.*

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**Kitt C. Brown** - February 18, 2013 at 11:52 AM

MW

“ *Marlene and Family - So sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Clemson has lost another dedicated fan. I know he and Charlie Moon will still be watching the games from heaven. I enjoyed working with Jim at 3M. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. Marian West*

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**Marian West** - February 17, 2013 at 09:37 PM

FS

“ *Marlene and Family: I was so sorry to learn of Jim's passing. He was such a pleasant person to be with and seemed to have the true joy of the Lord in his life. My sincere sympathy, thoughts and prayers at this sad time.*

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**Frances Carpenter Southerland** - February 17, 2013 at 12:09 PM

JS

“ I worked for Jim at 3M and thought the world of him. We were always discussing our Lord and how blessed we are to have Him. He would talk about his love for southern gospel music, and sometimes he would sing one of Gold City's songs for me. He was blessed with a beautiful voice in which he used to Bless the Lord. He was so proud of all of his family and grandchildren. He always had pictures of them in his office and tapes he would play for me of his daughters singing. It was a joy to call him a friend and he leaves behind a wonderful legacy. My prayers are with you all and may the Lord comfort each of you as only HE can. Heaven is sweeter today with Jim there. I love you Lisa and Jess.

*Jean Smith*

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**Jean Smith** - February 17, 2013 at 07:10 AM

DS

“ Dear Marlene, Lisa, Jamie, Anjie and family, So sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

*Bruce, Donna and Lindsey Shealy*



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**Donna Shealy** - February 16, 2013 at 07:24 PM

AJ

“ Marlene, So sorry to hear of Jim's passing but we know he is in a much better place of no suffering. My prayer and those of my family are with you today. Love you Azalee Leland, Christy and boys

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**Azalee Jones** - February 16, 2013 at 07:03 PM

JB

*Jim Edwards was one of a kind and a true friend of mine. He was always the same, no matter how long it had been between our seeing each other. We went to Pleasant Grove Church together, Greer High School and ran in the same crowd at Pleasant Grove as teenagers. Jim, You will be missed. My thoughts are with Marlene and the girls.*

*Joye Borum*

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**Joye Borum** - February 17, 2013 at 11:16 AM

SW

*I was so sorry to hear about Jimmy passing. I pray that Gods hand will be on you.*

*Sheryl Walters (Jean Smith's sister)*

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**Sheryl Walters** - February 18, 2013 at 11:12 AM