



Kenneth L Burgess

March 17, 1948 - April 1, 2009

Heading: Kenneth Burgess (Veteran)

Dateline: Lyman

Kenneth Leonard Burgess, 61, of 1124 Hwy 57, went home to be with the Lord on April 1, 2009 after a two year illness. He was the husband of Loretta Gail Stamey Burgess of the home.

A native of Spartanburg County, son of the late Smith Teddy and Etheleign Wood Burgess, he was an active member of Apalache Baptist Church and served a two year term in the U.S. Army Military.

Surviving in addition to his wife, is a daughter, Kendra Burgess of the home; a brother, Gary Burgess of Taylors; three sisters, Betty Rice of Lyman, Patsy Davis of Woodruff and Doris Burgess of Taylors.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Saturday at Apalache Baptist Church conducted by Rev. Eddie Cooper and Rev. Keith Lindsey. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers will be Jason Davis, Shane Burgess, Bryan Lindsey, Donnie Hand, Wayne Roberts, and Michael Stamey.

Honorable pallbearers will be the Gold Reachers Sunday school class.

Visitation will be held 7:00-9:00 p.m. Friday at the Wood Mortuary.

The family will be at the home.

Memorials may be made to Apalache Baptist Church Fellowship Building Fund, 1915 Gap Creek Road, Greer, S.C. 29651

Previous Events

Service

APR 4. 3:00 PM (ET)

Apalache Baptist Church
1915 Gap Creek Road
Greer, SC 29651

Tribute Wall



“ Ken has been such a great friend and neighbor. We will sincerely miss his smiling face and kind attitude. Our thoughts and prayers will be with the whole family during this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Linda, Fred, and Kristin Endler##imported-end##

April 07, 2009 at 06:15 PM



“ we are sorry for the loss of ken . our prayers are for you .##imported-begin##jeff eldridge##imported-end##

April 04, 2009 at 09:10 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers have and still are with you and your family. Kenneth was a friendly and loveable person, and we feel blessed in knowing him. Once again, we WILL continue to keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Mike and Lee Ann Green##imported-end##

April 04, 2009 at 12:55 PM



“ Thoughts and prayers are with Gail,Kendra and the rest of the family.Ken was a Christian man that loved GOD and his family. You will all be in our prayers.##imported-begin##Joan Frady##imported-end##

April 03, 2009 at 10:02 PM



“ Doris, Patsy, Betty Jean, Loretta, & Kendra. We are so very sorry for your loss. We have many memories of child hood with the Burgess family. I talked to Kenneth in January at Lowes and told him, "he would be in my prayers".

With our prayers & thoughts,
Judy & Brenda###imported-begin##Judy Brock Jennings & Brenda Brock Thomas###imported-end##

April 03, 2009 at 12:27 PM



“ Our heartfelt sympathy is with all of you during this time. We will be praying for you and asking God to pull you real close to Him as you go through this time of sorrow.

Wallace & Judy###imported-begin##Wallace & Judy Perry###imported-end##

April 03, 2009 at 11:58 AM



“ Gail & Kendra, Our hearts are heavy for the friend we have lost, but we know that Ken is walking on streets of gold today and that he no longer has to hurt. We love you and pray that God will comfort you and give you the peare that passes all understanding today and all the days that follow. God bless you, Rick and Carol###imported-begin##Rick & Carol Foster###imported-end##

April 03, 2009 at 10:30 AM



“ Our hearts are broken for you and your family. We know Ken is at home now. We will continually lift you in our prayers. May God give you grace for the days ahead and comfort for all your needs. We love you and your family.

Ken & Sheila Hopper

Brad & Chris Hopper##imported-begin##Ken & Sheila Hopper##imported-end##

April 03, 2009 at 09:05 AM



“ you will be missed so very much##imported-begin##Jodi Hunt##imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 08:44 PM



“ My prayers are with all of the family. May God give you strength. Sincerely, Anita##imported-begin##Anita Phillips##imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 06:30 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of Kenneth passing , we were friends way back in school, and even rode the same school bus , He was always a very good person and a good friend
I saw him not long after my husband Steve passed and he told me he was having health problems....
My prayers and thoughts go out to you and family
May God be with you all..##imported-begin##Kathy Smith Swaney##imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 06:25 PM



“ Dear Gail & Kendra.

Ken was a special brother in Christ. He struggled with his health for a long time but his faith was always strong and he did not hesitate sharing his Love of the Lord with others. He was a great inspiration to me. God Bless you both and know that my prayers are with you always. Love Wilda###imported-begin##Wilda Henson###imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 04:00 PM



“ Dear family,

I am sorry to hear of Ken's passing. While we haven't seen each other in a long time, I still have fond memories of our school days. May God bless you in the days ahead. You will be in our prayers.

David Nelson

BHS 1965###imported-begin##David Nelson###imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 01:23 PM



“ Gail , I will be thinking and praying for you and Kendra during these days of grief , Psalms 34:18-19. Only God can give you the strength you will need.###imported-begin##Shirley Garrett###imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 12:40 PM



“ Gail and Kendra,

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I know Ken has had a long struggle, but his faith was strong. We know he now has a brand new body and suffers no more.

My prayer for you Gail, is that God will keep you wrapped in His loving arms through these next days and weeks ahead, and you will draw your strength from Him.

Linda###imported-begin##Linda Cantrell##imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 11:02 AM