



Virgil Leon Cannon

January 16, 1941 - November 30, 2017

Virgil Leon Cannon, 76, passed away November 30, 2017.

A native of Greenville County, he was a son of the late Russell Byars and Genell Smith Cannon and his stepfather, Lewis Cannon, and owner and operator of Cannon's Restaurant and Cannon's Lakes.

Surviving are a son, Scotty Cannon (Amanda) of Lyman; three grandsons, Scott Cannon (Atalie), Brandon Cannon (Brittany) and Destin Nix; one great-granddaughter, Gibson Asbell; three great-grandsons, Brice and Brix Cannon and Brock Trammell and a sister, Linda Inabinet (Buddy) of Duncan.

A memorial service will be held 3:00 p.m. Saturday, December 9, 2017 at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. Todd Johnson.

Visitation will be held 1:30 until 2:45 p.m. Saturday at the church prior to the service.

The family is at their respective homes.

Memorials may be made to Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, 1002 S. Buncombe Road, Greer, SC 29651.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 9. 1:30 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church
1002 S. Buncombe Rd.
Greer, SC

Memorial Service

DEC 9. 3:00 PM (ET)

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church
1002 S. Buncombe Rd.
Greer, SC

Tribute Wall

KB

“ *This is Kevin Bennett an Virgil meant the world to me known him my whole life just wanted u to know love an miss ya man,*

Kevin bennett - September 04, 2019 at 11:15 PM

CS

“ *He was so nice to me at the ice cream stand at the park*

cameron s - August 16, 2018 at 03:19 PM

MB

“ *Virgil Cannon gave me my first job the summer going into my freshman year of high school and I worked there until I grauduated. He was a great man and will be truly missed. Prayers to the Cannon family and friends.*

Matt Brady - December 13, 2017 at 08:54 AM

SU

“ *For as long as I can remember Cannon's has been in my life... my Daddy use to take me for breakfast, my friends and I enjoyed fun times and my Aunt Allie loved the hotdogs ... You were much more than iconic in Greer ... thank you for all of f your contributions in Greer and just for being a great man .. Susan Odom Swanner*

susie - December 10, 2017 at 07:47 PM

JG

“ *Jenny Glouse lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Jenny Glouse - December 09, 2017 at 05:27 PM

BK

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family during this difficult time....thoughts and prayers are with you all*

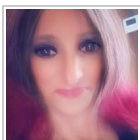
Brian & Charlene Kirby - December 07, 2017 at 10:01 PM

BK

“ *Brian & Charlene Kirby lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Brian & Charlene Kirby - December 07, 2017 at 09:58 PM



“ *Jessica Dowda lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*

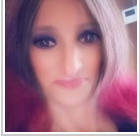


Jessica Dowda - December 07, 2017 at 07:49 PM

SL

R.I.P.our friend Chris&Susie

Susie Lamb - December 08, 2017 at 09:28 AM



“ Jessica Dowda lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Jessica Dowda - December 07, 2017 at 07:44 PM



“ A Giant of this community. Virgil was a friend to all. I am honored to have had the pleasure to know him for so many years. My heartfelt love and prayers to Scotty and the family....May the peace of our Lord be with you..... Tammy Hill

Tammy Hill - December 07, 2017 at 03:34 PM



“ Paul Hill lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Paul hill - December 07, 2017 at 11:17 AM



“ Vigil treated everyone with dignity and respect. Cannons restaurant also serves the best fried catfish in the area. Rest in peace virgil, dodie and I will miss you. Alton spurgeon.



Alton spurgeon - December 06, 2017 at 10:12 PM

TH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tonya Howard - December 06, 2017 at 10:15 AM

BG

“ *Virgil gave me my first job and went on to be a great friend for over 40 years, gonna miss my friend, praying for the family.*

Bobby Goode - December 06, 2017 at 09:32 AM

BP

“ *Thoughts and Prayers are with you all. Virgil was always very good to my family.*

Ken & Betty Byars Paris

Betty Paris - December 06, 2017 at 08:11 AM

RB

“ *Rusty And Sherry Bushek lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Rusty and Sherry Bushek - December 05, 2017 at 10:07 PM

FM

“ *Fermin&christine Morales lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Fermin&christine morales - December 05, 2017 at 03:30 PM

MD

“ *Matt And Dorie lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Matt and Dorie - December 05, 2017 at 02:08 PM

SF

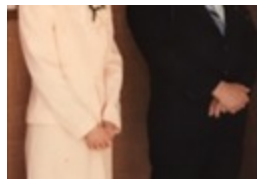
“ *Schriefer Family lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Schriefer Family - December 05, 2017 at 02:05 PM

DO

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Debbie Owensby - December 04, 2017 at 10:49 PM

JT

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Virgil was a long time friend of the Tooley family.

Jerry, Becky, Jason, Jeremy Tooley



Jerry Tooley - December 04, 2017 at 06:02 PM



“ Kathy Perez lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Kathy Perez - December 04, 2017 at 05:18 PM

SM

“ Virgil was always so kind and friendly to me and was such a good friend to my grandfather, Doug Hall. Won't be the same around Greer without him.

Prayers to Scotty and the rest of the family.

Scott Moore - December 04, 2017 at 03:09 PM

SE

“ Steve, Sherry And Stacy Earle lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Steve, Sherry and Stacy Earle - December 04, 2017 at 03:07 PM

KW

“ Jack Quinn is happy to see you again. Fishing at Cannons was part of his life while he was living. Met Virgil many times. Very sweet and caring person. You will be missed.

Kay Whitlock - December 04, 2017 at 01:58 PM

PP

“ Virgil, I all ready miss u so much, rest in peace my Man U were like my daddy.Luv u Pam Pittman!!!

Pam Pittman - December 04, 2017 at 01:43 PM

AK

“ Allen Knighton lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Allen Knighton - December 04, 2017 at 11:39 AM

RJ

“ Virgil you will be truly missed! Every time we seen you. You always spoke it saddens our hearts to hear we won't be seeing your smile. R.I.P MR Virgil Cannon .our hearts are with the family on this time of sadness. May God be with y'all.
Robbie and Dawn Jennings.



Robbie & Dawn Jennings - December 04, 2017 at 11:27 AM

DT

“ *Donna Tollison lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Donna Tollison - December 04, 2017 at 10:38 AM

TA

“ *Tammy lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



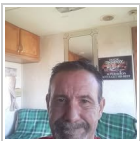
Tammy - December 04, 2017 at 10:09 AM

SM

“ *Steven Miller lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



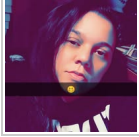
Steven Miller - December 04, 2017 at 09:57 AM



“ *Dale Garrett lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Dale Garrett - December 04, 2017 at 06:37 AM



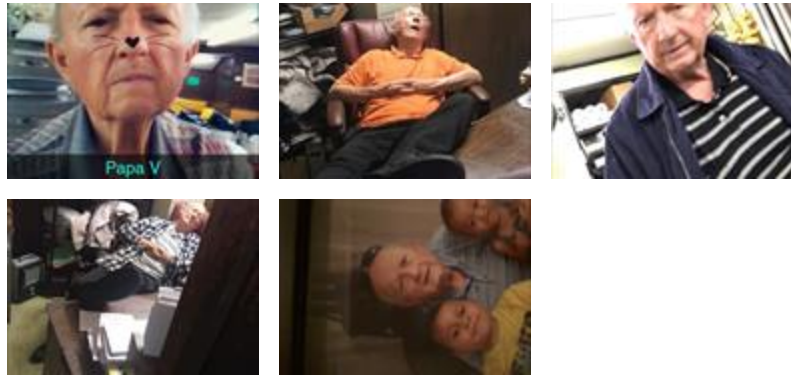
“ *Lacey Hoopaugh lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Lacey Hoopaugh - December 04, 2017 at 06:09 AM



“ *7 files added to the album New Album Name*



Lacey Hoopaugh - December 04, 2017 at 05:15 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to the family!*



Wendy Wilson Elder - December 03, 2017 at 10:20 PM

TH

“ *Scotty and family,
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. You and
your family are in our thoughts and prayers.
Don and Tammy Henson*



Tammy Henson - December 03, 2017 at 10:16 PM

KR

“ *Kathy Ray lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon*



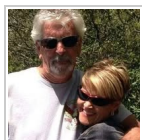
Kathy Ray - December 03, 2017 at 09:51 PM

JR

“ *Joel Rice lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon
Cannon*



Joel Rice - December 03, 2017 at 09:38 PM



“ *Kaja Fisher lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon*



Kaja Fisher - December 03, 2017 at 08:53 PM

LW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this sad time. If we can do anything please let us know. We will always have memories of the lake and restuant ††† may God be with you all during this time and after.
Mildred, Robert, Lisa Westmoreland



Lisa Westmoreland - December 03, 2017 at 08:22 PM



“ Kimberly George lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Kimberly George - December 03, 2017 at 08:14 PM

KD

“ Kerry And Billie DeArmond lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Kerry and Billie DeArmond - December 03, 2017 at 07:59 PM



“ Cathy Byars lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Cathy Byars - December 03, 2017 at 07:37 PM

TC

“ Tammy & Sonny Carney lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Tammy & Sonny Carney - December 03, 2017 at 06:56 PM

BB

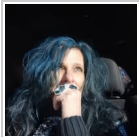
“ With deepest sympathy.

Bruce Boiter - December 03, 2017 at 06:22 PM

BG

“ I knew Virgil all his life. His Mother worked at my daddy's grocery store on Arlington Rd. long ago and they lived right up the street from us. We lived on Center St. I am so sorry for his passing. He will be missed. Love to all the family. Betty Kay Moon Gay

Betty Kay Moon Gay - December 03, 2017 at 06:21 PM



“ Harley Tucker lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Harley Tucker - December 03, 2017 at 04:40 PM

BM

“ *Mr. Virgil Cannon will be missed by many ! He was very kind & his work ethics were that of a great man . I've known Mr. Cannon for over 40 years & he always had time for everyone .May you rest in peace & my condolences goes out to all of his family & friends .*
B.C. Moore .

B.C. Moore - December 03, 2017 at 03:40 PM

RJ

“ *Ronnie & Judy James lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Ronnie & Judy James - December 03, 2017 at 02:48 PM

JH

“ *Jimmy & Sandie Hoopaugh lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Jimmy & sandie hoopaugh - December 03, 2017 at 02:14 PM



“ *Kimberly Waugh lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Kimberly Waugh - December 03, 2017 at 10:26 AM



Our Family sends their condolences. The Cannon Family is in our prayers. Virgil was always a great friend to our Family and best friend to my Dad. I have many fond memories of our family spending time together at their lake house when I was a kid. Virgil will be greatly missed

. Gayle Vaughn, Eddie Cox & Kimberly Cox Waugh.

Kimberly Waugh - December 03, 2017 at 10:34 AM

RW

“ *Ron Watson lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon*



Ron Watson - December 03, 2017 at 09:30 AM

KL

“ *Thinking of you and your family Scotty.*



Kevin & Julie Lister - December 03, 2017 at 08:35 AM

RM

“ *Robin Mcabee lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon*



Robin Mcabee - December 03, 2017 at 07:33 AM

JS

“ Jackie Sanders lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Jackie sanders - December 03, 2017 at 07:20 AM

TC

“ Tammy Cansler lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Tammy Cansler - December 03, 2017 at 06:33 AM

TW

“ Teresa Watts lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Teresa watts - December 03, 2017 at 03:24 AM

CS

“ Cindy Sellars lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Cindy Sellars - December 02, 2017 at 11:21 PM

RM

“ You will be loved and missed by many. I'm very lucky that you came in our lives, We will forever keep you in our hearts. Thank you for your love and kindness.

Robin McCabe - December 02, 2017 at 10:51 PM

DE

“ Debra Edwards lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Debra Edwards - December 02, 2017 at 07:28 PM

TC

“ Tammy Cansler lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Tammy Cansler - December 02, 2017 at 05:05 PM

KJ

“ I can remember eating there with my grandma. Best food in town. Nice person.



Kim Justice - December 02, 2017 at 04:50 PM

SR

“ Susan Rogers lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon



Susan Rogers - December 02, 2017 at 02:23 PM

TO

“ Teresa Owens lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon



teresa owens - December 02, 2017 at 01:50 PM

DP

“ Donald Paris lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon



Donald Paris - December 02, 2017 at 01:50 PM

RS

“ Rita Steadman lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon



Rita Steadman - December 02, 2017 at 01:19 PM

NC

“ So very sorry for your loss. Virgil was a wonderful sweet man. Cannons is and always will be my favorite place to go fishing.



Norma Jean cox - December 02, 2017 at 01:11 PM

EC

“ Elaine Hawkins Crawford lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Elaine Hawkins Crawford - December 02, 2017 at 12:28 PM

BL

“ My deepest sympathies for your family,
Beth Long



Beth long - December 02, 2017 at 11:15 AM

MH

“ MICHAEL HUDSON lit a candle in memory of
Virgil Leon Cannon



MICHAEL HUDSON - December 02, 2017 at 10:42 AM

DB

“ *Dot Brown lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Dot Brown - December 02, 2017 at 10:24 AM



“ *Amy Marcos lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Amy Marcos - December 02, 2017 at 09:32 AM



“ *Melanie Hood lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Melanie Hood - December 02, 2017 at 09:31 AM

SU

“ *Susan lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



susan - December 02, 2017 at 09:03 AM

CW

“ *Scott, Amanda and Family;*
I am so sorry for your loss. My prayer is that
God will give you peace and comfort during
this difficult time. You all will continue to be in
my thoughts and prayers.



Cathy Ward-Edwards - December 02, 2017 at 08:48 AM

SW

“ *Susan Edwards Watts lit a candle in memory*
of Virgil Leon Cannon



Susan Edwards watts - December 02, 2017 at 07:19 AM

SE

“ *Susan Edwards lit a candle in memory of*
Virgil Leon Cannon



Susan Edwards - December 02, 2017 at 07:17 AM

SE

“ *Susan Edwards lit a candle in memory of*
Virgil Leon Cannon



Susan Edwards - December 02, 2017 at 07:15 AM

SF

“ *Thoughts and prayers to his family*

Sue and Cassie Fowler



Sue Fowler - December 02, 2017 at 07:10 AM

 Carol
Duncan

“ *Carol Duncan lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon*



Carol Duncan - December 02, 2017 at 07:05 AM

BP

“ *Rest In Peace Virgil, what a pleasure to know a man like you, we
would sit up under that shack and tell stories for hours.*

*Bobby Van Pelt
The fireman*

Bobby Van Prlt - December 02, 2017 at 02:39 AM

MF

“ *Mr. Gary Hendrix And Family lit a candle in
memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Mr. Gary Hendrix and family - December 01, 2017 at 11:57 PM

BB

“ With deepest sympathy.

Bruce Boiter - December 01, 2017 at 10:38 PM

SM

“ Virgil was a good man, an icon in Greer, loved by many. He will long be remembered for his great restaurant's good food, for all the days spent fishing his lakes. He evokes good memories for most of us in Greer. May he find rest, may his family find peace and comfort in Jesus. Amen



Sarah McIntyre - December 01, 2017 at 10:29 PM

MB

“ Brandon sorry for your loss i know you loved pappa so much you know i know what your going through my prayers are with all your family if you ever need to talk im here for you , Marty

marty bruce - December 01, 2017 at 08:25 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virgil Leon Cannon.



December 01, 2017 at 08:13 PM

RJ

“ Prayers for family and friends, and all the great employees at cannons, Virgil will be missed by many 🙏🙏💔

rudy jordan - December 01, 2017 at 08:02 PM

PO

“ *Paula Owens lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Paula Owens - December 01, 2017 at 07:58 PM

CL

“ *Cindy Painter Loftis lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Cindy Painter Loftis - December 01, 2017 at 07:53 PM

PL

“ *My condolences!*



Peggy Lister - December 01, 2017 at 07:28 PM

DS

“ *Doug Sudduth lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Doug Sudduth - December 01, 2017 at 07:21 PM

TT

“ *Tim And Lisa Thorne lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Tim and Lisa Thorne - December 01, 2017 at 06:05 PM

RP

“ *Robert Van Pelt lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



Robert Van Pelt - December 01, 2017 at 06:03 PM

RP

“ *Virgil Rest In Peace brother you will be missed so much. I could sit at the shack
And listen to all those stories for hours.
I love you brother, the fireman*

robert van pelt - December 01, 2017 at 06:00 PM



“ *I have a lot of fond memories working with Virgil at Lewis' Drive and Cannon. Scottie We are Praying for you and your Family. Roger and Yvonne Alford.*

Roger Alford - December 01, 2017 at 05:43 PM

MJ

“ Can still see him working behind the counter at Lewis's many years ago. A few years later I was eating the best fried chicken I ever had at Cannon's. He made his mark and many friends. RIP Virgil.

Mike Johnson - December 01, 2017 at 05:17 PM

DO

“ Debbie Owensby lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



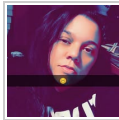
Debbie Owensby - December 01, 2017 at 04:49 PM

BM

Virgil I will miss you so much, you were like a brother to me. god bless you and your family,

Billy Junior Mable

BBilly J Mable - December 03, 2017 at 12:13 PM



Im still at a loss for words..... LOVE YOU V.C.

Lacey Hoopaugh - December 04, 2017 at 06:13 AM

JF

“ Judy Fulton lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Judy Fulton - December 01, 2017 at 04:39 PM

JF

sorry for your loss prayers for your family

Judy Fulton - December 01, 2017 at 04:40 PM

MB

Virgil you were a great friend to Pam, Nick, and Marty Bruce, you will be missed by all, Bruces and Cannons

marty bruce - December 01, 2017 at 08:16 PM

HW

Hugh Landell & Linda Watson are sorry for your loss. RIP Virgil.

Hugh Landell & Linda Watson - December 04, 2017 at 02:35 AM

LG

“*LuAnn Mason Gray lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon*



LuAnn Mason Gray - December 01, 2017 at 03:36 PM

LG

Rest in peace, Virgil. Greer will not be the same without you.

LuAnn Mason Gray - December 03, 2017 at 09:13 AM

CP

“*Prayers to the Cannon Family. I am so sorry. Virgil was truly a good man and my Dad's best friend.*

Charlotte Weaver Parker - December 01, 2017 at 03:30 PM

SD

“ Steve Deese lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



steve deese - December 01, 2017 at 03:04 PM

AK

“ Angie Ashmore Kruse lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Angie Ashmore Kruse - December 01, 2017 at 02:11 PM

TI

“ Tinablackwell lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Tinablackwell - December 01, 2017 at 01:40 PM



“ Charlene Woosley lit a candle in memory of Virgil Leon Cannon



Charlene Woosley - December 01, 2017 at 01:10 PM



“ Roy Oliver lit a candle in memory of Virgil
Leon Cannon



Roy Oliver - December 01, 2017 at 01:04 PM



god bless all of the family, im praying for you all

Roy Oliver - December 01, 2017 at 01:05 PM

CH

Prayers for the Cannon family. I am so sorry for your loss.

Crissy Harley - December 01, 2017 at 09:36 PM

SR

Scottie, Mandy and Family

We are so sorry for your loss.
All our love and prayers to you
And your Family.

Jason and Shirley Rainey

Shirley Rainey - December 03, 2017 at 09:35 AM

WH

Wady A Hamam Westminster, Ca.

My prayers and Condolences go out to Scotty and all of Cannon
Family.....May he Rest In Peace in the Arms of the Lord.

Wady A. Hamam - December 04, 2017 at 04:22 PM