



Wade Shearer

December 3, 1937 - March 15, 2026

Wade Lewis Shearer, 88, passed away March 15, 2026.

A native of Greer, South Carolina, son of the late Reese E. Shearer, Sr. and Beulah Canady Shearer, he was a U.S. Army Veteran, a retired pattern designer and chef, and a member of Taylors First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife of 68 years, Judith Brank Shearer of the home; a son, Rickie Lewis Shearer (Vickie) of Laurens; a daughter, Reesa Shearer Bindas (Michael) of Greer; five grandchildren, Matthew Shearer, Jacob Shearer, Hannah Riddle (Travis), Michaela Bindas, and Reese Bindas; and three great-grandchildren, Mason Riddle, Tanner Riddle, and John Tal Riddle.

He was predeceased by three brothers, Bill Shearer, Charles Shearer, and Reese Shearer, Jr., and four sisters, Nellie Mae Leonard, Ruth Evans, Mildred Vehorn, and Lucy Jane Wilson.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 18, 2026, at The Wood Mortuary Chapel conducted by Dr. Frank Page. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Visitation will be held 12:30-1:45 p.m. Wednesday, March 18, 2026, at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Taylors First Baptist Church Missions Fund (Mercy Team), 200 West Main Street, Taylors, South Carolina 29687.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard
Greer, SC 29651

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

MAR 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

FS

“ I was sorry to hear of Wade's passing. He and my husband, Marcell ("Mot") Southerland were childhood friends and attended Victor Elementary School together. My prayers for your family at this sad time.

Frances Southerland - March 18 at 05:02 PM

SV

“ Susan VanWey purchased the Simply Elegant Sp
athiphyllum for the family of Wade Shearer.



Susan VanWey - March 18 at 09:23 AM

NG

“ NHC HomeCare Greenville purchased the Encha
nted Cottage for the family of Wade Shearer.



NHC HomeCare Greenville - March 17 at 03:25 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the
family of Wade Shearer.



March 17 at 02:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wade Shearer.

March 17 at 02:04 PM



“ Judy and family, I am so sorry to hear of Wade’s passing. I remember him so fondly when we all attended Victor Methodist. He was always so kind and had a welcoming smile. I was fortunate enough to get to taste his delicious food when we had gatherings in the Fellowship Hall, such an amazing chef. Please know that all of you are in my prayers and I hope you find comfort in knowing he is with our precious Lord and Savior. Psalm 30:5 - “Weeping may remain for a night, but rejoicing comes in the morning.”

Fredia Snow - March 17 at 01:03 PM



“ NHC LAURENS NURSING LEADERSHIP planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wade Shearer.

NHC LAURENS NURSING LEADERSHIP - March 17 at 11:29 AM



“ NHC LAURENS NURSING LEADERSHIP purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Wade Shearer.



NHC LAURENS NURSING LEADERSHIP - March 17 at 11:29 AM

CL

“ Chyna and Tange Williams (NHC- Laurens) purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Wade Shearer.



Chyna and Tange Williams (NHC- Laurens) - March 17 at 11:12 AM

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“ Chyna and Tange Williams (NHC- Laurens) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wade Shearer.

Chyna and Tange Williams (NHC- Laurens) - March 17 at 11:12 AM

BE

“ Brian Evans purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Wade Shearer.



Brian Evans - March 16 at 11:15 PM

VM

“ My Uncle Wade was one of the sweetest, kindest men I've ever met. He's been a part of my life since I was about 6-7yrs old. I know in my heart he's now with Jesus Christ. I pray for Rickie, Reesa, their families and everyone who loved him. Especially my Aunt Judy. I can't not mention what a "great" cook he was. He always fixed one of his special dishes for our family dinners. I'll always carry him in my ❤️ RIP Uncle Wade.



Vicki R McGee - March 16 at 10:41 PM

KS

“ How do I say thank you to such a special person that I've known all my life. I hope he knows how much he is loved and appreciated and how much he has always meant to me. Aunt Judy, Rickie, Reesa and your families I'm saddened for your loss and pray for comfort and peace now and especially the in the coming days. I love you all.

Katie Shearer - March 16 at 08:14 PM