



Wade Howell Turpin

November 23, 1923 - November 12, 2018

Wade Howell Turpin, 94, passed away November 12, 2018.

A native of Whittier, North Carolina, he was the son of the late Homer and Birdie Hampton Turpin, and the husband of the late LaVerne Justus Turpin. He served in the United States Navy in World War II. He was of the Christian faith.

Surviving are his two sons, Ronald Turpin (Shari) of Jackson, Wyoming and Garry Turpin (Bonnie) of Moore; one adopted son, Dennie Marchbanks (Patricia) of Greer; three daughters, Tammy Wilson (David) of Alpine, Wyoming, Jan Morrison (Dan) of Moore and Kimberly Humphrey (Richard) of Greer; twelve grandchildren and twenty-seven great-grandchildren.

Mr. Turpin was predeceased by several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Thursday, November 15, 2018 at The Wood Mortuary conducted by Rev. Dale Roach Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Visitation will be held 12:30-1:45 p.m. Thursday at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at their respective homes.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 301 University Ridge, Suite 5850, Greenville, South Carolina 29601.

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

NOV 15. 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

NOV 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL
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Tribute Wall

AC

“ *Wade Turpin was our Romeo at The Pearl!! He will be always remembered for the kisses on the hand as well as the cheeks!! Kindhearted and loved eating his food set before him, and he enjoyed getting his back scratched every now and then. You will be missed Wade, but we know you are in a much better place!! Celebrate!! Amy Carroll*

amy carroll - November 15, 2018 at 06:55 AM

TS

“ *I have had the privilege of knowing Mr. Turpin since 1970 as well as his family. One of my most fond friends has to with his family's restuarant Turpins. Best burgers anywhere. My favorite was a Cheeseburger with Chili plus fries and sweet tea. Eating there was always like eating at and with your family. If they got busy you could spot different people going around pouring refills of coffee and or tea. A place where everyone knew your name and the latest gossip was better than any barbershop . He was always known to help out anyone who needed a meal or with gas. He and his family used their resources to help out anyone and everyone. Thanks for making my life and my family's life just a bit more better each time we crossed paths. And I know many people in heaven now are waiting for you to turn on your grill. Prayers love and hugs*

Terry Dale Smith - November 14, 2018 at 06:01 PM

JL

“ *Dear Sweet Kim and family, my heart is broken for your loss of your sweet daddy. Please know I am always here for you and will prayer for your heart to heal. Jesus will wrap his loving arms around you and never leave you. Love you, Jill*

Jill Anderson Luckenbaugh - November 14, 2018 at 04:24 PM

JL

“ *Jill Anderson Luckenbaugh lit a candle in memory of Wade Howell Turpin*



Jill Anderson Luckenbaugh - November 14, 2018 at 04:22 PM

NL

“ *Nickey Gregory Company, LLC purchased the Laverne Reflections Spray for the family of Wade Howell Turpin.*



Nickey Gregory Company, LLC - November 14, 2018 at 01:10 PM

KB

“ *I had the distinct honor and privilege of taking care of Wade and Laverne at Skylyn Place. To say these two were special is an understatement. They were the joy and highlight of our days. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.*
---Kim Blackwell, LPN



Kim Blackwell - November 14, 2018 at 01:47 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Wade Howell Turpin.* ”



November 13, 2018 at 11:42 AM