



## Wayne Prater

December 25, 1942 - February 26, 2010

Name: Wayne C. Prator

Dateline: Greenville

Wayne Carroll Prater, 67, died February 26, 2010 at St. Francis Downtown. A native of Greenville County, he was a son of the late Louise Prater, and a truck driver.

Surviving is his wife, Karen Dill Prater of the home, two sons, Brian Prater and Chris Prater both of Greenville, and one grandchild.

Memorial services will be 7 p.m. Tuesday in Praise Cathedral's Johnson Prayer Chapel.

The family is at the home of Dwynell and Mable Dill, 106 Woodvale Circle, Greer, SC 29651. Visitation will follow the service.

Memorials may be made to Greenville County Cancer Society, 113 Mills Ave., Greenville, SC 29605 or Praise Cathedral, 3390 Brushy Creek Rd., Greer, SC 29650.

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

# Previous Events

## Service

MAR 4. 7:00 PM (ET)

Praise Cathedral  
3390 Brushy Creek Road  
Greer, SC 29650

## Visitation

MAR 4. 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ I grew up knowing Wayne. I wish I could see him again. Wayne was my idol in High School. A lot of my values and principles were formed from his advice.

*Rest well my friend. I know you are with God tonight. I will see you when I get there.*

*Terry Calloway##imported-begin##Terry Calloway##imported-end##*

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October 17, 2010 at 08:49 PM



“ KAREN,  
JUST WANTED YOU TO KNOW THAT OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.  
MAY GOD HOLD YOU IN HIS LOVING ARMS DURING THESE TIMES OF SORROW.  
YOUR FRIENDS AR AUTHORIZED##imported-begin##DARRELL##imported-end##

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March 01, 2010 at 12:20 PM



“ Dear Karen,

*I was so sorry to read of your husband's passing in this morning's paper. This is surely a difficult time for you, but I trust that your faith, your family and your friends will provide a great deal of support for you. I will be thinking of you as you go through the days ahead.*

*Perrin Kreidler##imported-begin##Perrin Coxe Kreidler##imported-end##*

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February 28, 2010 at 09:21 PM



“ Wayne was a friend of mine way back in 1958. He helped me get my first job at the Root Beer Barrel on By-Pass 291. He and I were Curb Hops. I was four years younger so he sort of looked out for me like a big brother. After that job, I lost contact with Wayne however I never forgot how he helped me during those days. He demonstrated a strong work ethic on what was considered a menial task at that time. However, he helped me learn that no matter how menial the task, it was always important to do your best. Wayne probably never realized he taught that kid a lesson but he did and I have always been appreciative of that. God Bless!###imported-begin##John Duncan###imported-end##

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February 28, 2010 at 09:33 AM