



Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams

May 17, 1934 - February 15, 2021

Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams, 86, of Fayetteville, passed away Monday, February 15, 2021. Mr. Adams was born May 17, 1934, in Martinsville, Indiana, son of the late Lonnie “Gene” Adams and Alice Doty Adams. He was preceded in death by his wife, Joyce Lingerfelt Adams; son, Terry Adams and sister, Connie Adams. Mr. Adams was a member of Fayetteville Christian Church and the Homebuilders Sunday School Class. He helped with the church facility maintenance, and formerly served on the church board. Mr. Adams enjoyed gardening, fishing, home repair projects and computers.

Survivors include three sons and daughters-in-law, Kevin and Darlene Adams, Wesley and Chandra Adams, and Jeffrey Adams; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; sister and brother-in-law, Mary Jean and James Fluke of Martinsville, IN; sister-in-law, Alice Lingerfelt of Douglasville; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Larry and Evelyn Lingerfelt of Fayetteville; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral service for Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams will be at 11:00, Saturday, February 20, 2021, at Fayetteville Christian Church with Dr. Dan Roberts and Minister Andrew Higle officiating. The family will receive friends at the church from 10:00 until 11:00 before the service. Interment will be at Westminster Memorial Gardens in Fayetteville. In lieu of flowers donations can be made in memory of Mr. Adams to Fayetteville Christian Church, 114 Hickory Road,

Fayetteville, GA, 30214.

Cemetery Details

Westminster Memorial Gardens

2090 Highway 54 West
Peachtree City, GA 30269

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Fayetteville Christian Church
114 Hickory Rd
Fayetteville, GA

Funeral Service

FEB 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

Fayetteville Christian Church
114 Hickory Rd
Fayetteville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams*



Parrott Funeral Home - February 18, 2021 at 04:47 PM

SD

*This is a beautiful tribute to Merrill. To each of his family members...our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this very sad time. Sue & Glen Davis
(Darlene's Sister)*

Sue Davis - February 18, 2021 at 08:11 PM

CD

“ Two of my favorite memories of my Uncle Merrill are from when I was little. He served in the US Navy in the late fifties and was over seas. I remember these big crates being delivered to Grandma Adams' house. They were filled with the most beautiful china I had ever seen. There was a full set for Grandma, my mother and Aunt Connie. There were lots of smiles as I am pretty sure they were a surprise. He had shipped them . I was lucky to inherit my Grandmother's set. It is one of my prized possessions!

As everyone knows, Uncle Merrill loved to fish. I am the oldest grandchild and before his boys were old enough to go he would take me to dig up a tin can full of worms and take me fishing. Just him and me. I would have my cane pole and he, his rod and reel and we would go to the old pond up behind his house in the cow pasture. There was a big old tree with upheaved roots and we would spend the afternoon fishing for blue gill and catfish and sit on the roots of the tree in the shade. We had the best time!

I was also so very honored when Aunt Joyce and Uncle Merrill asked me to make their cake for the 50th anniversary. I was happy to do something so very special for them. They both will be missed.

Cathy Dunning

Cathy Dunning - February 19, 2021 at 09:28 PM

WA

“ Wesley Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams



Wesley Adams - February 18, 2021 at 11:35 PM

WA

“ Words just can't express the emptiness I feel with Dad's passing. He was more than just a father, he was also my best friend. This last year had been quite a struggle for you, as well as it was for our beloved mother. Your passing comes way to quickly after mothers. Now, the two of you are together again. "Forever, together in Heaven". Thank you for being an example for each of us. You led by example and taught us to be fine upstanding individuals and to do ones "best" in all that you do. You and mother both excelled in your ability to raise us to be good people and to know "The Lord Our God, Trust and Believe in Him". And for that I am so grateful. No matter the task at hand: gardening, fishing, repairs, home life, etc., you were my teacher, co-worker and partner. I only hope that I can be perceived as being just as fine a human being and gentleman that you have been. The times we spent together will always be cherished and have a special place in my heart. I love you and miss you.
Wesley

Wesley Adams - February 18, 2021 at 11:33 PM

RT

*I will be praying for you and your brothers and the extended family.
Rebecca Thompson*

Rebecca Thompson - February 20, 2021 at 01:44 AM



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Parrott Funeral Home - February 18, 2021 at 03:53 PM



“ 13 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Parrott Funeral Home - February 18, 2021 at 02:18 PM

BT

“ I first met Merrill when we served together on the Admissions Committee for the Children's Village at Christian City "many" years ago. Our paths crossed intermittently until we started attending Fayetteville Christian Church where we "re-connected" with him and his family. He was one of God's choice leaders with a servant spirit and a gentle friendship that warmed the hearts of all who knew and loved him in the church and community. Now reunited with his lovely wife in the Father's House; we prayerfully support you, his family, through this continuing transition, knowing the Lord has a prepared Place for all who love Him. Comfort, blessings and peace as we continue to cope with the unusual events of our time. - Bob Tyler

Bob Tyler - February 18, 2021 at 11:03 AM

SD

“ Sue Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams



Sue Davis - February 18, 2021 at 09:50 AM

DA

“ *Merrill Adams was a Sweet soul. Never met a stranger. He was So Loved and Respected by everyone. Merrill had a Strong Faith in God and showed his compassion on a regular basis. He was a Wonderful example to his Sons and he adored Mother - His name for Joyce. I Loved him Dearly and Will Miss him on this earth but I look forward to the time when We can meet in Heaven. Your example will live on ... hopefully to then generations to come. RIP My Friend and Father In Law ! Your work on this earth has come to an end . Fly high Merrill You are now home! My Love to You Darlene*

Darlene Adams - February 17, 2021 at 07:07 PM

SD

To Darlene and Kevin....we want to express our sincerest condolences. Just know that he is not suffering any more...and the best part...is he's now with Joyce. Just know that we will keep you both in our thoughts and prayers during this very sad time. Love you both... Sue Davis (sister of Darlene Adams) and husband Glen Davis.

Sue Davis - February 18, 2021 at 09:31 AM

DA

“ *Darlene Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams*



Darlene Adams - February 17, 2021 at 06:53 PM

KA

“ Kevin Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Merrill Andrew Adams



Kevin Adams - February 17, 2021 at 05:16 PM

KA

“ Thank you for the leadership and example of hard work, faith, and love for Mom over the years.
There are so many memories that I get to run thru my mind of the times we went to work with you as kids to the peach sheds during the summer, of helping you around the house and working together on repairs at the rental properties. Every time I go by a Burger King I will think about us stopping after one of our work projects.
My best memory is knowing how much the clients your worked for respected you. I will always remember you having to go on jobs because the company specifically asked for you. It was because they liked you and knew they would get the best job possible from you.
I am going to miss you so much. Thanks for showing us what it meant to be a man.

Kevin Adams - February 17, 2021 at 05:15 PM