



Mr. Wilson Edward Parks

February 20, 1966 - December 26, 2017

Wilson "Will" Edward Parks, 51, of Plant City, Florida, born on February 20, 1966 in Dade City, entered into eternal rest on December 26, 2017. He was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, and Four Arrows Hunting Club. He was a technician with Verizon/Frontier for 30 years. He loved his family, and he enjoyed hunting, fishing, and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Ginger Peacock Parks; sons, Dylan Parks and Gage Parks (fiancé, Katlyn Joyner) of Brandon; parents, Woodrow and Sandra Parks of Winter Haven; mother-in-law, Sandra Peacock Snapp (Hubert) of Plant City; siblings, Cindy Daniels (Charlie) of Auburndale, Sandy Glenn of Lakeland, and Cindi Dean (James) of Lake Alfred; brother-in-law, Garrett Peacock (Terri), and sister-in-law, Gina Smith; uncle, Mike Hicks (Barbara) of Palatka; nieces, Charity Judino (Brian), Deanna Marcum (Vernon), Heather Rael (Cody), and McKenzie Peacock; nephews, John Cauley (Stacey), Philip Daniels (Juan), Timothy Lamb (Kay), Chris Melanson (Trula), David Lamb (Jessica), Cameron Peacock, and Colton Warren; best friends, Darren Norris (Karen) of Plant City, Paul Sgro (Amber) of Orlando, Jerry Miller (Renee) of Plant City, and Everette Wyatt (Janet) of Lithia; Verizon/Frontier family; and 16 great-nieces and great-nephews, and many other family and friends. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, December 30 at 11:00 A.M. at Shiloh Baptist Church, 1104 Cason Street, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. Expressions of condolence at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 30. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Shiloh Baptist Church
1104 Cason Street
Plant City, FL

Celebration of Life

DEC 30. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Shiloh Baptist Church
1104 Cason Street
Plant City, FL

Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks



Hopewell Funeral Home - December 29, 2017 at 01:18 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Philip Daniels - January 08, 2018 at 01:38 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Will's video



Cynthia Dean - January 08, 2018 at 12:20 PM

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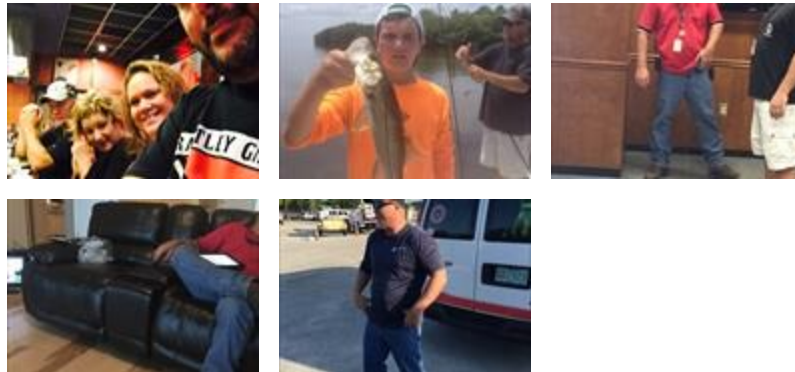
“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



Cynthia Dean - January 08, 2018 at 12:06 PM

LR

“ Today I say my final farewell to one of my closest friends. He was like a brother to me, we spoke everyday rather we were at work or on vacation. The mold was broke the day the good lord made him, as there are very few people on the earth like him. Ginger my heart breaks for you and the boys. I know he loved you all dearly. I also know he was proud of the men Dylan and Gage had become. Will I love you brother! Until we meet again.



Lee Richardson - December 30, 2017 at 08:35 AM



“ Tina Moothart lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks



Tina Moothart - December 30, 2017 at 01:25 AM



Sending my Love and Prayers to all of you. ❤️❤️❤️❤️

Tina Moothart - December 30, 2017 at 03:00 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



December 29, 2017 at 04:25 PM



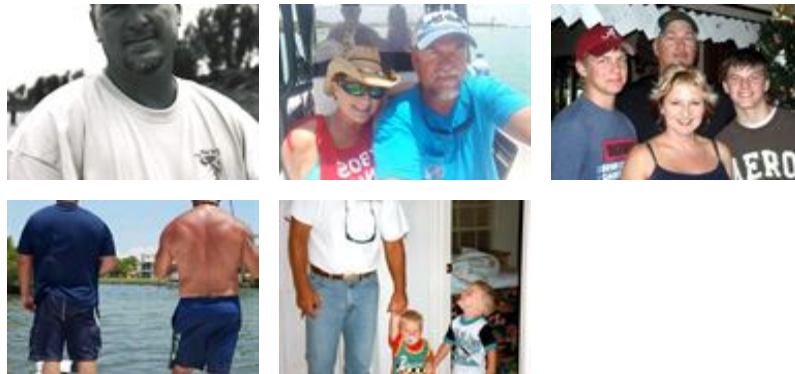
“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



December 29, 2017 at 01:17 PM



“ *46 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Hopewell Funeral Home - December 29, 2017 at 12:17 PM

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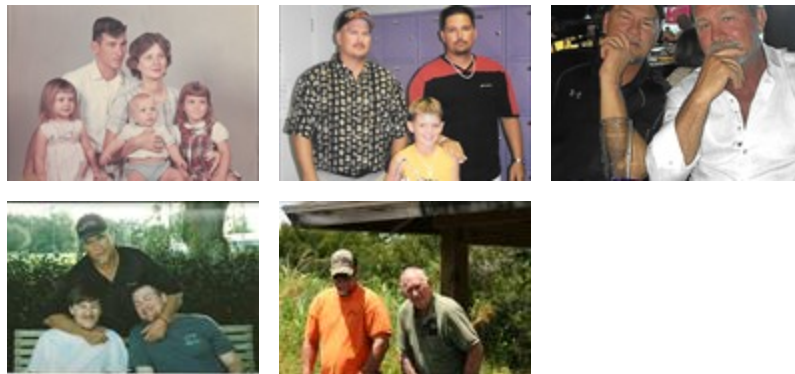
“ Aunt Betty Karen Daryl Phillips and kids purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.



Aunt Betty Karen Daryl Phillips and kids - December 29, 2017 at 08:57 AM

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“ 8 files added to the album New Album Name



Cindi Dean - December 29, 2017 at 08:02 AM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.



December 29, 2017 at 07:34 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



December 29, 2017 at 03:20 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



December 28, 2017 at 09:35 PM



“ *I am so sorry for the loss.May God give you the peace and comfort at a time like this.Love Always Bubba and Chandra*

Chandra Glass - December 28, 2017 at 09:05 PM



“ *Will and I have been friends for many years and he has always been a great friend all the way back to Plant City High school to present days working with each other from as far back as GTE thru Verizon and now Frontier, so many memories that is not enough pages to write them all, he has always been a man of honor and a strong leader among his pets at work , he will be missed beyond words can express , my heart goes out to Ginger and the boys , although we lost a great man Heaven has gained one .*

Darreel and Heather Meyer - December 28, 2017 at 08:46 PM

CD

“ I worked with Will at Verizon/Frontier as his dispatcher for over 10yrs..one of the kindest souls you could ever encounter..he was always my go to..never a mean word or negative comment..he was my friend and I will never forget that...He cared for people from his heart and was sincere with every word...I am so honoured to have had the privilege of working with him..it was all smiles everytime I had the chance to speak to him..he knew my voice when I called and always put a smile on my face..He loved his family and made sure you knew it...I will miss you my dear friend...I know if they have any Fios issues up there that you will take care of them just like you always took care of me..RIH my Dear Friend...I'm going to miss our talks and laughs...prayers to Ginger and your Family..

Carol Kendrick Drewey - December 28, 2017 at 08:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.



December 28, 2017 at 08:27 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.



December 28, 2017 at 08:12 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



December 28, 2017 at 07:43 PM



“ *I worked with Will for the last 8yrs with Verizon and Frontier in the greater plant city area. I was his bury drop guy and we talked often. Every time I see Will, his first questions outta his mouth was always asking how my health was. I had my issues and he truly cared about you as a person. When my fios was installed at my house, Will put it in. He knew his stuff and exceeded expectations. He was a gently hearted soul. I believe God puts people on this earth for a reason and were meant to meet these people and let them into our hearts. Will was a true friend and taken away 2 soon. My condolences to his wife, children and family as I couldnt imagin what your all going through. You meant the world to him and he talked of you often. Thank you Will for all the work you helped me with throughout the years and everything you've done to make my life easier. Well see you soon enough good buddy. Take care, Thatch*

Jesse Thatcher - December 28, 2017 at 05:05 PM

DN

“ Will Parks AKA (Wood) I have never been so blessed to have a friend like Will. We grew up together as boys with the same passion for hunting and fishing. We were both so competitive with each other. One of us was always going to out do the other one no matter what we were doing. Our friendship and love for each other was more like brothers than friends. Will has always been by my side for the last 38 years no matter what I needed and I was by his side no matter what he needed. We both took time out for each other, whether it was about work or our personal life. We never went a day without talking. Will was an awesome Dad and a devoted husband. He loved his BooBoo (Ginger) and would do anything for his family, if it didn't cost much lol and if you know Will you know what I'm talking about. I just want to thank God for blessing me with the greatest friend in the world for the last 38 years! Thanks for all you gave me WOOD I will love you forever, your best friend (BROTHER)
Darren



Darren Norris - December 28, 2017 at 04:58 PM

KW

“ *Wil Parks will be really missed...I can't express that strongly enough.*

Wil was a GREAT partner at work. He was always the voice of reason and I went to him a LOT when there was a question regarding the union contract...he was my "GO TO GUY". Wil genuinely cared about the people he worked with, his family and his friends and even though I never knew him outside of work, I considered him a friend and I know, deep down in my heart, I could have called him if I needed anything...he would have been there to help.

Kim Wiley



Kim Wiley - December 28, 2017 at 04:19 PM

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“ *IBEW Local Union 824 purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



IBEW Local Union 824 - December 28, 2017 at 04:13 PM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.*



December 28, 2017 at 04:03 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Wilson Edward Parks.



December 28, 2017 at 03:49 PM



“ Will always made me smile, laugh whenever I saw him. I met Will through my brother Paul who was one of his best friends for years. I will always remember Will joking around. He was always kind and had a smile. I still owe that massage but he isn't hurting anymore. Lord please be with Ginger, Dylan, Gage, their entire family and friends that are hurting now and give them peace that surpasses understanding, Let them feel your love and give them hope in Jesus name, amen.

Love and prayers, ❤️🙏

Monica Fleming

Monica Fleming - December 28, 2017 at 03:08 PM



“ Once in a lifetime you have someone come into your life that you want to get on your knees and thank God for. Will was that one person for me. He was an amazing man that became my friend instantly in 1994 when I first waited on him. He loved his family and enjoyed life. He was a special person that will be missed by so many.

Idell Greene - December 28, 2017 at 02:56 PM

AC

“ Rest in peace Will. You were a good man. Respected and loved by many. You will be missed!

Alan Cameron - December 28, 2017 at 02:37 PM

AS

“ Will was one of those cherished friends that few people share in a lifetime and that is what he was & will always be to Paul. I have enjoyed the memories that our families have shared over the years and I wanted to thank you for being the most genuine and loving friend to my husband and to me. We love you and will truly miss you but look forward to dancing with you in the Heavens some day. To Ginger, Dylan, and Gage, may the arms of Jesus wrap you up tightly with the peace and love that only he can bring. We love you, Amber Sgro

Amber Sgro - December 28, 2017 at 02:22 PM

 Paul Sgro

“ Will was one of my best friends for 35 years. I enjoyed all the times we have shared together and I will miss our weekly conversations. You have been a true blessing in my life and I know we will see each other again one day!
Love you brother
Paul Sgro

Paul Sgro - December 28, 2017 at 02:11 PM

 Michael Boyette

I didn't know you very long but you took me on as your little brother you never wanted. I love you and miss you terribly already. I hear you talking to me all of the time while I'm working. RIP brother. Go Canes.
Mike Boyette.

Michael Boyette - December 28, 2017 at 02:19 PM

ML

I meet you when I joined the Florida Verizon Operation Team in 2005. It was always a fun journey working with the Eastern Team, especially when my office was finally setup in Plant City. I got to work with you and the rest of the team on a daily basis, and there was never a dull moment. Just want to say thanks Will and I sure will miss you driving the Frontier truck by the house, and tooting the horn to let me know you just went by. RIP my Friend.. GO KENTUCKY WILDCATS.

Mary Ann (VanHook)Lavigne

Mary Ann (VanHook) Lavigne - December 28, 2017 at 06:12 PM