



# Larry Leonard Wade

FEB 28, 1953 - MAR 10, 2023



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## Larry Leonard Wade

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Larry Leonard Wade, 70, of Chattanooga, passed away peacefully on Friday, March 10, 2023, in a local hospital. He was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee on February 28, 1953. Larry was the youngest of 5 children to George and Lyda B. Wade, Sr. He was a 1971 graduate of Brainerd High School where he was an outstanding football player. Larry was a faithful member of Washington Hills United Methodist Church. His favorite team was the Dallas Cowboys. After high school, Larry took a job at Fehn's restaurant. He was a talented cook. He enjoyed preparing food including special dishes for family and friends. Larry was later employed at Dupont doing landscaping which he found pleasure and truly exhibited a gift in his work. He loved being around his family, especially his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Larry was preceded in death by his mother, Lyda B. Wade; father, George Wade, Sr.; grandmother, Eva Freeman; grandfather, Fletcher Freeman; brothers, James Wade and Ponnie Wade; and aunt, Katie Qualls. Survivors include his wife of 16 years, Sonja Wade; children, Patrick (Kim) Wells of Chattanooga, Lacye Desouza of Ft. Oglethorpe, GA, Tracy (Laura) Wade of Rossville, GA, Kelly (Darryl) Gordon of Lee County, AL, and Jennifer Wade of Nashville, TN; stepson, Brandon Langford of Chattanooga; 18 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; brother, George Wade, Jr. of Chattanooga; sister, Lizzie Pearl Young of Orlando, FL; special cousins, Leon Qualls of San Diego, CA, Thomas Qualls of Chattanooga, Carolyn Loveless of Marietta, GA, Richard Qualls, Bernard Qualls, and Anthony Qualls, all of Chattanooga; special nephew, Ponnie Mastin; mother-in-law, Wilma Taylor of Ooltewah, TN, sisters-in-law, Tracey Taylor, Tia Taylor Clark, both of Chattanooga, and Kalaln Taylor Clark of Arlington, VA; a host of nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be on Saturday, March 18, 2023, at 10 a.m. at Washington Hills United Methodist Church with Pastor Terryl James as the eulogist. Burial in Lakewood Memory Gardens, East.



# Events

**Larry Leonard Wade**

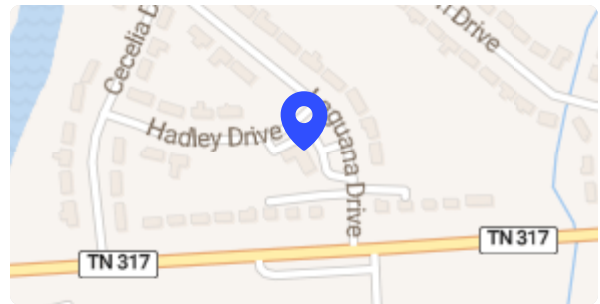
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## Lie-In-State

**Saturday**, March 18, 2023

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM ET

**Washington Hills United Methodist**  
6216 Hadley Dr, Chattanooga TN 37416-3217

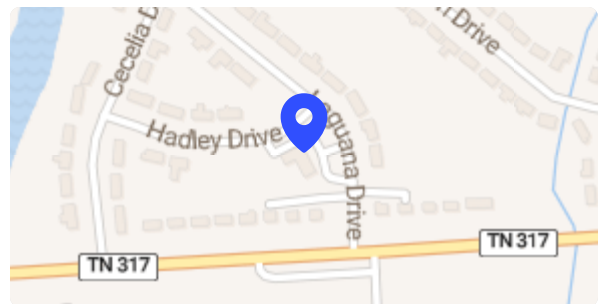


## Service

**Saturday**, March 18, 2023

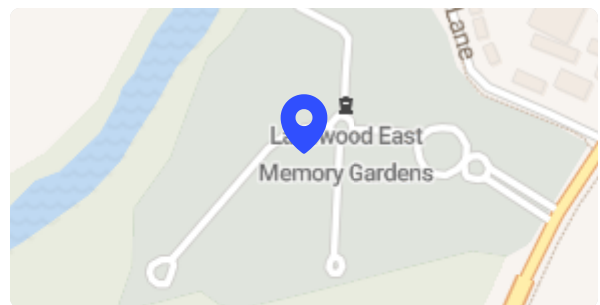
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM ET

**Washington Hills United Methodist**  
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## Cemetery Details

**Lakewood Memory Gardens East**  
4621 Shallowford Road, Chattanooga TN 37411





## Tribute Wall

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SW

**Sonja Wade** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 21 at 7:17 AM



VB

**Vincinetta Brown** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Wade family. May you have comfort and peace in the days to come. God bless.Vincinetta Patton Brown and family

March 18 at 2:03 AM



**Pamela Toney** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 17 at 7:58 PM



JB

**Jocelyn Bryant** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Prayers you are are at peace

March 17 at 5:35 PM



CB

**Comm. Greg And Pat Beck** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 17 at 4:33 PM



BS

**Beverly Harris Silva** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Sending condolences and prayers to the Wade Family 🙏

March 17 at 3:29 PM





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**Van & Regina Hickman** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

A Message of Condolence: The sorrow that you feel, the heartache that you bear. Though we cannot comprehend, still we deeply care. May it comfort you to know, we lift your name in prayer. May you lean upon the Father, for He is always there. With Deepest Sympathy Van and Regina (Patten) Hickman

March 17 at 1:59 PM



**Sonja Wade** March 20 at 6:06 PM

Thanks to all for the kind words



**Larry And Shirley Nelson** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 17 at 1:37 PM



**Larry Nel** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 17 at 1:36 PM



**Comm. Greg And Pat Beck** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 17 at 6:20 AM



**Mary Deramus** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 17 at 5:34 AM





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**Cheryl Wells Johnson** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 16 at 4:14 PM



**Dorethea Pruitt Jones** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 16 at 3:26 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Serenity Wreath to the Wade family.

March 16 at 10:09 AM



**Linda Freeman Sendaula** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 15 at 3:17 PM



**Edward & Deloris King** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 15 at 3:16 PM



**Phyllis Fleming** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Phyllis Patten Fleming lit a candle in memory of Larry Wade.

March 15 at 9:22 AM





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CJ

**Carol Bell- Johnson** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 15 at 5:05 AM



VQ

**Vikki Qualls** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

Continued prayers for the entire extended family 🙏...Vikki & Bernard Qualls

March 15 at 5:01 AM



RQ

**Richard & Linda Qualls** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 14 at 7:41 PM



DS

**Debra Saxton** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 14 at 7:29 PM



IG

**Ingria Grier** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 14 at 11:27 AM



BA

**Barbarabraggs** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 14 at 9:01 AM





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**Beverly Zuber Sales** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 13 at 6:45 PM



**Vickie Thornhill** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 13 at 6:40 PM



**Alma Barnett** lit a candle in honor of Larry.

March 12 at 3:30 AM





# **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Larry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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