



Willis Lynn Mitchell, Jr.

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Willis Lynn Mitchell, Jr., 64, of Collierville, TN died June 26, 2020 after a long, courageous battle with cancer. Lynn was born May 26, 1956 in Memphis, TN. He graduated from Germantown High School and studied at The University of Memphis. He is survived by his wife Laura, daughters Nicole Hollis and Courtney Read (Wes), son Zachary Mitchell, mother Delores Mitchell, sister Denise Carter (Chris,) brother Greg Mitchell (Jan), mother-in-law Kaye Childers and brother-in-law, Mark Stevens (Julie). He also leaves his grandchildren whom he loved dearly; Gage Harber, Jackson Mitchell, Sam Hollis, Ella Read and Avery Read, as well as many loving family members and special friends. He is preceded in death by his father, Willis Lynn Mitchell, Sr. Prior to Lynn's illness, he was employed by Lanter Distribution.

A celebration of Lynn's life will be scheduled at a later date. Donations can be made to The American Cancer Society or LeBonheur Children's Hospital. For donations to LeBonheur, in memory of Lynn to honor his granddaughters Ella and Avery Read, please click on the link below: <https://bit.ly/38cL8Hc>



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Tribute Wall

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MM

Mike Miller lit a candle in honor of Willis.

Lynn was a great guy who not only loved his family dearly but his friends as well. Was glad we had lunches together and one thing he never discussed was how he was feeling. He never complained and all we did was talk about Memphis sports and family. I was hoping Mike Miller would show up so I could introduce Lynn. You fought a courageous battle and you never gave up. RIP Lynn. You will be missed but never forgotten ❤️ ❤️



June 30 at 7:51 PM

TC

Teresa Cooksey posted:

Since the Mitchell Family lived next door to me as I was growing up, I was able to see Lynn grow from a young boy to a remarkable young man. Lynn had such a great smile with a fun personality. I admired his work ethic and love for his family. I think the Cooksey family was blessed to have known such a wonderful person ❤️

June 30 at 2:40 PM

CR

Courtney Mitchell Read shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

He loved our sweet babies so much ❤️ ❤️

June 29 at 6:05 AM



CF

Cindy Fortenberry shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Lynn was always full of life and up for just about anything.. He was such great friend to us!! I'm so thankful for the many memories we have in our hearts!! He will always be in our conversations and stories to tell for years to come.. He fought a good fight and now he is no longer hurting!! Only the good die young.. God Bless his loving wife Laura for years to come she fought the fight beside him every step of the way and she is one of the strongest woman I know!!



June 30 at 10:29 AM



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Denise Carter posted:

Lynn was a good man and a wonderful big brother. He loved bragging on his kids and grandkids. He is now bragging to my Daddy. I will miss him dearly. His love will live on in everyone that knew him. I love you "June Bug" and promise I will look after Laura, Mom, Greg, your children and grandchildren! Until I see you again.....

June 29 at 6:05 AM



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Courtney Mitchell Read shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

June 30 at 11:16 AM





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Memories only last if you share them

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



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