



William Gregory "Greg" West

May 24, 1957 - December 27, 2022

William Gregory "Greg" West, a lifetime resident of Sweetwater, Tennessee died peacefully on Tuesday, December 27, 2022. He was born on May 24, 1957, to Buster and Wyona West of Sweetwater, Tennessee.

Greg is survived by his loving wife of 38 years, Marcia Simcox West of Livingston, TN, three children Meaghan Howard (Matthew Howard) of Sweetwater, TN, Spencer West of Sweetwater, TN, and Hannah Black (Jordan Black) of Loudon, TN, his father Buster West of Sweetwater, TN two sisters Connie Upton (Dewitt Upton) of Sweetwater, TN and Janice Baker (Dan Baker) of Sweetwater, TN, and one grandchild Aiden Howard of Sweetwater, TN along with many adored nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his mother Sarah Wyona West and grandmother, Lenda Elizabeth West.

A Gathering of Friends will be held at the VFW Post 5156 Dining Hall in Sweetwater, TN, on Friday, January 6, 2023, from 5 PM to 7 PM. Anyone who would like to share memories is encouraged to do so.

Gifts in lieu of flowers can be donated to the Sweetwater High School softball and baseball teams.

Greg was an avid fisherman. He especially loved fishing when the willow flies

hatched. Growing up, Greg spent many summers at Watts Bar Lake. It was during those summers that water skiing became one of his favorite things to do. In his later years, Greg enjoyed spending lazy days on the lake with his family. Greg enjoyed watching his children play softball, basketball, baseball, and football. He loved football. Every year, he looked forward to spending Saturdays in Knoxville and cheering on the Tennessee Vols. Greg was a skilled carpenter. He loved woodworking and built many things throughout the last few years. Greg enjoyed watching NASCAR races, cheering on the Greenbay Packers, and watching various sporting events.

Greg's presence will be missed by many. His absence has left a void in the lives of those who loved him.

Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements. www.kykerfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Gathering

JAN 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Sweetwater VFW Goldstar Post 5156
137 Veterans Road
Sweetwater, TN 37874

Tribute Wall

CH

“ I will never forget when Greg first started dating Marcia and he let me go with him to pick up her up for the movies. I thought wow! She's beautiful AND she,'s nice! I want to say we say Smoky and the Bandit but I'm not positive. I just remember feeling proud because Greg took me in the first place. Greg knew he was my favorite cousin!! I adored him the entirety of my life!!! I am sorry that God needed him so soon. I hadn't taken any opportunity to see my family and I sure wish I could tell Greg just one more time how much I love him! Rest in peace my cousin and friend!! You gave me such great memories to hold as life's treasures!

Christine Hendon - January 03, 2023 at 11:22 AM

DM

“ So very sorry to hear of Greg's passing. Prayers for all the family. D Harrell Moore class of 75.

Dee Moore - January 01, 2023 at 02:07 PM

KM

“ So very sad to hear this. I grew up with this family..they treated me as another sister and daughter. Prayers for Connie and Janice and Buster and his wife and children...Kaye Edgemon McCullough.

Kaye McCullough - December 30, 2022 at 01:08 PM

TE

“ *Sincerest sympathy to Marcia, Buster, Connie, and Janice, and especially Hannah Spencer and Meghan. Greg will always be remembered with humor and love.*

May Greg rest in peace.

Teri Inman

Teri - December 30, 2022 at 12:59 PM