



Gregory "Greg" Willis

July 31, 1956 - April 30, 2016

Stewart Gregory "Greg" Willis, age 59, Russellville, passed away suddenly on Saturday, April 30, 2016 at Russellville Hospital. Greg graduated from Russellville High School, after enjoying playing football and being in the Drama Department. He moved to California where he became a Highway Patrol officer. After moving back to Russellville, he enjoyed many different jobs, especially his last job which was rescuing animals, and providing a home for them. He was an avid fisherman and hunter. Greg was a wonderful husband and a wonderful Big Poppa. He had a quirky sense of humor, but brought common sense to any situation. He had the ability to love others and found the good in everyone he knew. He will be missed by all who knew him. The visitation will be 2:00 -4:00 p.m. Friday, May 06, 2016 at Spry Memorial Chapel, with a memorial service following at 4:00 p.m. in the chapel. He is survived by his love of his life, Mary Jane Reed Willis, who he lovingly called "Lil Sweet" and "the Bomb", children, Kade Willis, Garrett Willis, Christine Brower; grandson, Henry Joe "Booder Bear" Brower; special cousin, Sharon & Robert Hamilton; best friends, Dan "Bro" & Diane Campbell, Joe & Nancy Motta; as well as several cousins, aunts, and uncles. He was preceded in death by his parents, Billy Charles Willis and Peggy Sue Laster Willis. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a memorial donation to the Greg Willis Memorial Fund at Listerhill Credit Union to aid in the further rescue and care of animals.

Tribute Wall

SG

“ *Mary, what a lovely description of Greg. He sounds like a great man. May all your wonderful memories give you some solace.*

Susan Elyea Glasgow - May 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM

GE

“ *I am so sorry for your loss Gregg was a one in a million and will be missed by all.... my God comfort all of you during this time and through the grieving process*

Gena - May 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *Greg you and I have been friends since childhood. I think of you often. I'm so sorry for your family as they have lost a great friend, provider, are husband, father and grandfather. You will be greatly missed. I love you my friend, I can't believe you are not with us anymore. Prayers and condolences for your family.*

Julie James Ledlow Taylor - May 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *Gregory "Greg" Willis*

Kent Williams - May 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ *Greg was the most happiest man alive and he could always make someone smile when they where down or just becuase and I feel in heaven he'll make them laugh to*

Kaleigh Richards - May 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Greg was a joy to be with. He was my Sonny in the Sonny and Cher stunt night in school he was so quick witted and fun. I never saw him have a bad day. Greg you were a dear friend and wil be missed. My prayers of comfort to his dear family.

Jeania Mansell Braund - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ My sincere condolences to Greg's family. Even though I never met him, I know that he loved my dear friend Mary with everything he had. I know that he will always be with you and always smiling down on you from above. He lives on in all of your hearts.

Julie Rohan - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ My heart goes out to you, Mary and family. I'm so sorry your time with Greg was short but happy that you did have this wonderful man in your life. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Love and hugs, Mary

Joy Eckert - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ So sorry for your loss we will keep you in our prayers

Michael Smith - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Gregory "Greg" Willis

Joseph wells - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ So sorry for the loss. Though I never meant Greg I know he will be truly missed. God is with you in this time of need and he is there to comfort you and the family.

peggy I sanders - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Prayers to the family. Greg was a funny guy, RHS classmate and lifetime friend. He will be missed by all of us.

Pam Fretwell - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Greg was such a funny friend with a loving personality. I will be praying for his family in the days to come. God Bless you all!

Cherri Henderson - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ I know that Greg was loved and had many people who he was fond of he could make anyone laugh and was the best at making people happy I might have known him as well as all of you but he was like a great uncle to me him and my grandad where best friends they did almost everything together and talked to each other all the time and had great stories to share I hope that he has the best life up in heaven and makes everyone as happy up there as he did down here

Kaleigh - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DF

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David Frei - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ So sorry to hear of Greg's passing. He brought joy to all who crossed his path. My deepest condolences to his family.

Paul Lynch - May 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Greg was one of my first students when I began my teaching career at Russellville High School. I enjoyed him very much and learned his parents through that teaching experience with him. He loved to laugh and help others laugh. God bless his family as they go through this most difficult and sad time. Terry and Judy Pounders

Judy Pounders - May 03, 2016 at 12:00 AM