



Basil Trotter

September 24, 1947 - December 19, 2021

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Pickens, South Carolina

Basil Trotter, 74, passed away peacefully into the presence of the Lord at his home December 19, 2021.

A native of Pickens County, he was born September 24, 1947. He was a son of the late Allen and Lillie Garren Trotter.

In his younger years he enjoyed playing football and softball. He played for several league teams throughout the 70's including The Rejects, Bootleggers and Marietta Pallets just to name a few. He enjoyed riding horses with friends to the Horse Pasture and Issaqueena Trail, up Pinnacle Mountain and trails off the Blue Ridge Parkway. As he got older, he began a love of golf and worked part time at the Pickens Golf Club for several years. He was a brick mason and a builder and could do anything. He enjoyed working and staying busy. He was a Christian man and a member of Red Hill Baptist Church. He was a wonderful husband, dad and papa. His family was his greatest joy.


He is survived by his loving wife, Susan; their son, Justin (Brittany); his daughters, Tina Stewart (Tony) and Darla Atkins (Chris). He leaves behind grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews, and his four special

little buddies, Gracie, Cooper, Violet and Moses. He will be remembered for many things, but mostly his love of people, always ready to lend a hand and his great work ethic. He is and will always be sorely missed.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a sister, Connie Bryant and a stepdaughter, Jessi Reeves.

Mountain View Funeral Home is serving the Trotter family.

Tribute Wall


Carolyn
Lane

“ We were so sad to hear of Basil's death. James and I always enjoyed any time that we spent in his company. Basil always had a smile on his face. I am sure that your family will have many wonderful memories to share with the grandchildren that are so young. We have prayed for your family to have comfort from our heavenly Father and will continue to remember you in our prayers.

Love,
Carolyn and James Lane

Carolyn Lane - December 29, 2021 at 02:41 PM

PH

“ Philip lit a candle in memory of Basil Trotter



Philip - December 26, 2021 at 09:06 AM

AH

“ I knew Basil my whole life. I enjoyed playing ball with him and watching him while growing up. He was a competitor and a great guy. When we moved back to Pumpkintown 3 years ago, I looked forward to my 1 hour trip to the recycling center to see him. (It was only 3 miles away). I will miss him. Our thoughts and prayers are with Susan and family.

Angie and Tommy Hall

Angie Hall - December 21, 2021 at 08:39 PM

KM

“ *Kathy Masters lit a candle in memory of Basil Trotter*



Kathy Masters - December 21, 2021 at 04:08 PM

KP

“ *We are so saddened to hear of Basil's passing. He was a great influence in my teenage years. I have so many fond memories of time spent with him. I know he's now with the Lord and pray for God's comfort for Susan, Justin, Tina, Darla and entire family during this time.*

Kenny Peterman

Kenny Peterman - December 21, 2021 at 02:04 PM

JH

“ *So saddened to learn of your loss, especially at Christmastime. May God's grace be with each of you in the difficult times ahead. Prayers for comfort and peace continue.*

Jeff and Liza Holder - December 21, 2021 at 01:23 PM

MC

“ *Will always remember that Basil started Amber on her love for horses. He was such a good friend and one that will be forever missed.*

Mike and Patti Cole - December 21, 2021 at 12:44 PM

HG

“ Basil was in our Class of 67 at Pickens High , a good soft spoken man and a good friend.
He and I played side-by-side in the backfield for several years with the Blue Flame football teams and I will miss him. We will be reunited one day.

Haskell Grant - December 21, 2021 at 10:20 AM

DT

“ So sad to hear of Basil's passing. As cousins growing up together I have a lot of good memories. He was always a good boy and a good man. H was a hard worker and a good friend to anyone who knew him. He will be greatly missed. We will be praying for you Susan and the family. God bless you all.

David Trotter

David Trotter - December 21, 2021 at 08:45 AM

KP

*Susan, Justin, Tina and Darla,
I'm so sorry to hear of Basil's passing. He was such a integral part of my life growing up. I have so many memories of time spent with Basil. I'm glad I knew him and know he is now with the Lord. We pray God comforts you all in the coming days.*

Kenny Peterman

Kenny Peterman - December 21, 2021 at 10:26 AM

JK

R.I.P friend.

Johnny Kelley - December 21, 2021 at 03:15 PM

GT

“ I worked with Basil for several years at Thrift Masonry many years ago. He was a great guy

Gary Thomas - December 20, 2021 at 10:00 PM

TC

“ So sorry to hear of Basil's passing. Had many laughs with him and played a lot of ball together. Always a good friend who will be dearly missed. My prayers go out for the whole family.

Terry Chandler

Terry Chandler - December 20, 2021 at 09:43 PM

PT

“ Patricia Turner lit a candle in memory of Basil Trotter



Patricia Turner - December 20, 2021 at 08:57 PM

SN

“ Basil was a great man played softball with him years ago prayers for y'all

Skip Nix - December 20, 2021 at 08:25 PM

SD

“ *Sammy Dodgens lit a candle in memory of Basil Trotter*



sammy dodgens - December 20, 2021 at 08:16 PM

DH

“ *So sorry to hear about Basil. He was a good friend who will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Dean Holder - December 20, 2021 at 08:14 PM

SK

“ *Basil was a special man. When I met Basil as a younger man he offered some good advice based on some of his experiences. Wish I had used it more often. I will never forget him.*
"EGG"

Scott King - December 20, 2021 at 08:13 PM

MC

“ *We are so sorry to hear of Basil's passing. Our prayers are with all the family.*
Roger & Margaret Cater

Margaret Cater - December 20, 2021 at 06:59 PM

RL

“ *I lived beside his mother and remember him coming to see his mom. Prayers for his family 🙏*

Rheda Ledford - December 20, 2021 at 06:45 PM