



## Walt Kelsey, Jr.

December 6, 1991 - May 5, 2014

Funeral services for Mr. Walter E. Kelsey Jr. age 22 will be conducted Friday at 2 pm in Williams Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jerry Bradley officiating. Interment will follow in Heritage Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends here at Williams Funeral Home in Milledgeville Thursday from 5 until 8 pm.

Mr. Kelsey was a native of Baldwin County and had made his home in Warner Robins for the past 1 1/2 years, he was employed by Sonnys' Barbeque and had attended the Milledgeville First Baptist Church. He was an avid outdoorsman and loved fishing.

Survivors include his mother and step father Jennifer (Emory) McWhirter of Warner Robins; father and step mother Walter (Wendy) Kelsey of Milledgeville a sister Brittany Baugh and brother John (Kara Council) Kelsey; grandmothers Edie Brantley and Jane Snow; grandfather Don Brantley and great grandmother Corrine Snow all of Milledgeville; a number of other relatives also survive.

# Cemetery Details

## Heritage Memorial Park

371 Log Cabin Road  
Milledgeville, GA 31061  
(478) 452-2148  
staff@williamsfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.williamsfuneralhome.net>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 8.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

**MAY 9.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

AM

“ I remember the first day I met Walt I knew there was an instant connection , we met officially through a mutual friend and the rest was history , I love you Walter Kelsey and I miss you so dearly every day I'm always thinking about you I still can't believe your gone.

ariel mckinney - January 28, 2015 at 01:40 AM

RU

“ I did not know Walt, but I understand he was a very special friend of my niece. You have my deepest sympathy, all the way from Alaska.

Ruth Thom Tronnes

ruth - May 22, 2014 at 01:07 PM

CH

“ Jennifer, Emory & family...I am so sorry for your loss! My thoughts & prayers are with you. Emory & Jennifer, know that I am here for you if you need me. Words cannot express how much my heart goes out to you. Just know that if you need anything at all...I'm here. Love you, both! Connie

Connie Hudson - May 11, 2014 at 08:06 PM

LM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Luther & Berta Minor and friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.



LUTHER MINOR - May 10, 2014 at 09:40 AM


KH

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.* ”



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**Kim Hawkins** - May 09, 2014 at 07:42 AM

  
Sadaiya  
Kelley

“ *Sadaiya Kelley lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.* ”



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**Sadaiya Kelley** - May 08, 2014 at 11:44 PM

BH

“ *Billie Sue Heaton lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.* ”



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**Billie Sue Heaton** - May 08, 2014 at 09:18 PM

BH

*Jennifer & family, I am so sorry for your loss. I pray that you find peace at such a difficult time. Believe that he will be safe in God's arms until you see him again.*  
*Billie Sue*

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**Billie Sue Heaton** - May 08, 2014 at 09:23 PM

PR

“ *Walt Sr., Jennifer, John and family. I'm so sorry for your loss. May God wrap each of you in his loving embrace as you go through this journey. My thoughts and prayers are with each of you.*

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**Patricia Robinson** - May 08, 2014 at 08:09 PM

JR

“ *We are so sorry to hear about your loss. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers. Len & Jenny Roach*

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**Jenny Roach** - May 08, 2014 at 05:48 PM

TH

“ *Many thoughts and prayers are with you, Walt, Jennifer, and family. My heart breaks for your loss.*

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**Teresa Andrews Harrison** - May 08, 2014 at 05:27 PM

CC

“ *Jennifer & family  
My heart and prayers go out to you and your family. So sorry for your loss.*



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**Christy Carlsen** - May 08, 2014 at 02:42 PM

MC

“ theirs to many memories to type them all...I miss you so much someone I grew up with.we stood together as a team on little road.the laughs we all shared.it doesn't seem real to not have you anymore. wat I thought was a dream became relity...the other night after I had found out.i was shocked,&hurt..i went outside looked up at the stars and prayed to god u and my grandpas would give me a sign that your all ok.before I had come inside I sat on my swing.and I seen a shooting star shoot right pass my face.thats when I busted into tears and knew you were ok.you had made it home peacefully.god needed his son to be another angel in heaven.you were an amazing person.my prayers and faith go out to everyone that's feeling pain.words of wisdom don't feel sad hes ok.hes finally home.he wouldn't want us sad or crying knowing him hes probalay up there making a joke right now.our lost ones will look over him and guide him.it will be ok.To the Kelsey family don't give up on hope and faith tis is just another bump in the road to overcome.please keep your heads up.we will all rejoice with him oneday.:) I love yall and I love you walt.!:)

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**marissa chambers** - May 08, 2014 at 02:31 PM

DP

“ So sorry to hear this...Praying for the family and healing. He will be missed by all his family and friends.

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**Dianne Becker Popp** - May 08, 2014 at 02:18 PM

KM

“ So sorry to hear about your son Walt, may God be with you and your Family .. I did not know him but My kids did . But me and Keith has been (knowing you the father of walt along time) .. my heart hurts for the family and this sweet young man .God Bless..

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**Keith & Darlene Miller** - May 08, 2014 at 12:34 PM

AJ

“ R.I.P. sweet Walt. Your sweet memory and kind heart and that beautiful smile that was always on your face will live on forever in our hearts for you. I know that you are talking and serving God right now because he needed for you to come home to him. We loved you very much.

*Anne and Ron Jackson*

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**Anne Jackson** - May 08, 2014 at 12:25 PM

 Lisa Columbus

“ Lisa Columbus lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



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**Lisa Columbus** - May 08, 2014 at 09:16 AM

 Lisa Columbus

“ My heart hurts for you & your family, Jennifer. My prayers are with you. I love you.

*Lisa Logue Columbus*

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**Lisa Columbus** - May 08, 2014 at 09:14 AM

MS

“ Walt SR and Jennifer I am so sorry for your loss of your son Walt. I can not even imagine what you are going through...y'all have been in my prayers since I heard and will continue to pray for your family..Christopher Crowe and Ronnie Crowe also send their condolences they say they had some really great memories of them growing up.

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**Maria Shelton** - May 08, 2014 at 08:32 AM

SD

“ Shannon Decker lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Shannon Decker - May 08, 2014 at 08:27 AM

BM

“ Brandy Mccoy lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Brandy Mccoy - May 08, 2014 at 07:54 AM

CS

“ Walt senior and family I am so sorry for your lose. It has been a long time since seeing you all. I meet Walt jr a few times a Bugaloos store. I had grew up around your family and always had business with Bugaloos and went to school with John Walt Sr brother. I hope you can find peace thru this time and just remember he is in good hands with Bugaloo and John up there. God Bless

curtis smith - May 08, 2014 at 07:22 AM

BC

“ Buffie And Brandon Coleman lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Buffie and Brandon Coleman - May 08, 2014 at 05:52 AM

SH

“ I'm so sorry to hear of your loss My thoughts and prayers go out to each one of you. May God comfort in the difficult days ahead as only he can.



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**Sherrie Holly** - May 07, 2014 at 11:46 PM

SA

“ Sorry for your loss!!

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**santeeba** - May 07, 2014 at 11:04 PM



Sabrina  
Fraley

“ My deepest sympathy to Walt, Jennifer, & family during the loss of your son. The lord only takes the best, & I pray you all find peace & strength to endure.....

*Margaret Fraley-McBride*

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**Sabrina Fraley** - May 07, 2014 at 10:13 PM

BS

“ Rip sweet boy! I miss you at the pit already I always knew I could count on u! I sure wish that we would have gotten to go on our fishing trip that we talked about many times I know u would have taken me too that honey hole u always told me about lol :) we would have torn em up! You were such a sweet heart and had a heart of gold! Until we meet again my friend! Love always Brooke

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**Brooke Shugart** - May 07, 2014 at 09:45 PM

SW

“ Praying for your family! You will be missed by many!

stephanie woodall - May 07, 2014 at 09:42 PM

RA

“ one of the best moments between me and Walt where when we first started hanging out and we were in his room watching a movie and as always he had it freezing cold because that is the only way he could sleep..I was freezing and he got up and went and got his favorite Alabama hoodie and told me to put it on, when I did he smiled that amazing smile and said "you should feel special because you are the only one who iv ever let where my favorite hoodie, id let you wear it anytime though because you look so cute in it!" He always had something cute and charming to say to brighten my day and could always make me smile!!! :)

Rachel - May 07, 2014 at 08:52 PM



“ Jamie Roberts lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Jamie Roberts - May 07, 2014 at 08:36 PM

TO

“ I am so sorry Walt for yours and your families loss, I pray for y'all's peace and healing , Toni

toni - May 07, 2014 at 08:25 PM

CF

“ *Walt, Jennifer and Family, Just wanted you to know you all are in our Prayers. We are so sorry to hear of your loss and pained beyond words for you all. We remember him as "Little Walt" he was always smiling,*



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**Charles&Charlotte Facciani** - May 07, 2014 at 07:46 PM

TA

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Sending many prayers !!!*

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**Tonya Arnold** - May 07, 2014 at 06:56 PM

SM

“ *Selena Maldonado sent a virtual gift in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.*



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**Selena Maldonado** - May 07, 2014 at 06:49 PM

SM

*Jennifer and family..I cannot imagine your pain. Thinking of you all and hoping for peace in your hearts. Cherish your memories and hold tight to each other. I love you Jennifer and my heart hurts for you. Love, Selena*

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**Selena Maldonado** - May 07, 2014 at 06:51 PM

CJ

“ Chris&Staci Jackson lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Chris&Staci Jackson - May 07, 2014 at 06:01 PM

Jason Hughes

“ Walt was a very kind hearted person and tried extremely hard to make others feel welcomed and happy. I always enjoyed his presence and company. He knew how to make people smile and laugh. Wish I could be there to say goodbye but my memories of you will always be of your smiles and laughter. R.I.P brother. We will be reunited again one day.

Jason Hughes - May 07, 2014 at 05:03 PM

TH

“ Travis And Ashlea Hoague lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Travis and Ashlea Hoague - May 07, 2014 at 04:31 PM

AB

“ Angie Griffin Branstrom lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.



Angie Griffin Branstrom - May 07, 2014 at 04:24 PM

EA

“ I love you Walt.. You and your family are in my prayers.... I will hold all of those memories that we had together close to my heart.. You will never be forgotten  
We will see you soon..

Erica Adams - May 07, 2014 at 04:05 PM

AB

“ Praying for you and your family Walt! I know there is nothing we can say to help the pain go away but our God in Heaven is able to do that! Lean on him to find comfort and peace for this tragedy. With Love, Angie Brown and Georgia Power Company

Angie Brown - May 07, 2014 at 03:27 PM

WC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family during this difficult time.  
With Love,  
Wanda and Gary Chambers



Wanda Chambers - May 07, 2014 at 01:53 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Walt Kelsey, Jr..



May 07, 2014 at 01:47 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Walt Kelsey, Jr..*



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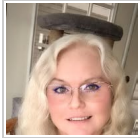
May 07, 2014 at 01:24 PM



“ *Rip bro :-( good friend lost but not forgotten*

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**William Brandon** - May 07, 2014 at 01:18 PM



“ *Praying for you and your family*

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**Brenda Shaw** - May 07, 2014 at 01:18 PM



“ *I love you Walt. May you rest in peace. You will never be forgotten. I'll be praying for your family. We will see you soon.*

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**Abby Gillis-Johnson** - May 07, 2014 at 01:15 PM



“ *Walt, Wendy, and family: Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. Remember your First Baptist Church family loves you.*

*Cindy and Richard Dennard*

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**Cindy Dennard** - May 07, 2014 at 12:55 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. May God bless and guide you in the days ahead.*

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**Betty Irby Evelsizer** - May 07, 2014 at 11:11 AM



“ *Me and my boys will miss you dearly...we love you Walt. The Smith Family...*

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**Amber Smith** - May 07, 2014 at 10:44 AM



“ *We are going to miss you at work Walt. You always had a smile on your face and made work fun. Prayers are going up for the family.*

*Debbie*

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**Deborah Gassett** - May 07, 2014 at 10:07 AM



“ *Walt you was more than just a friend you was like a brother to me. you would always call just to let me know that you loved me. you will be missed by everyone that got the chance to get to know you. iloveyou sweet man!*

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**Kristin Fortier** - May 07, 2014 at 10:05 AM



“ *My prayers go out to the family our hearts are with you. He had a lot of promise, but God had other plans and he is now an Angel of Heaven. Walt you will be missed by all whom you have touched. You are gone but not forgotten.*

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**Brenda Hughes** - May 07, 2014 at 09:57 AM

BF

“ He will be missed, those of us that knew and loved him will forever keep him in our hearts

*love and miss you babyboy*

bernardette fortier - May 07, 2014 at 09:22 AM



SW

“ Sheila Wood lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.

Sheila Wood - May 07, 2014 at 07:22 AM



SW

*Thinking of you all during this extremely difficult time. You have been in my thoughts and prayers since I heard the news. I know that there are no words that can really comfort you right now but please know that a lot of people are praying for you to find peace.*

Sheila Wood - May 07, 2014 at 07:24 AM

KF

“ May Jehovah God continue to comfort your family during this trying time.

knox family - May 07, 2014 at 06:52 AM

JW

“ *John Walden lit a candle in memory of Walt Kelsey, Jr.*



John Walden - May 06, 2014 at 09:48 PM

JW

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



John Walden - May 06, 2014 at 09:47 PM

JW

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



John Walden - May 06, 2014 at 09:40 PM

AB

*Beautiful!*

Angie Griffin Branstrom - May 07, 2014 at 04:23 PM

CN

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. Your family will be in our prayers.

*Carolyn , Kathy, Kim, Karen, Nick, Britt Nolan*



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**Carolyn Nolan** - May 06, 2014 at 07:13 PM