



Roy L. Wattenbarger

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Roy L. Wattenbarger, age 75 of Lewes, DE, passed away peacefully on Friday, February 23, 2018 after a short, but courageous battle with cancer. He was born on Friday, December 18, 1942 in Athens, TN, son of William K. and the late Jessie (Boyd) Wattenbarger.

Mr. Wattenbarger worked for over 40 years at Midway Tire. He also dedicated over 40 years as a self-employed tax preparer for First State Tax Service and was the former owner of the Midway Variety Store. Mr. Wattenbarger was a loving and devoted husband, son, father, grandfather, brother, and friend. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

In addition to his father, Mr. Wattenbarger is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Susan Wattenbarger of Lewes, DE; his son, John (Natasha) Wattenbarger of Ft. Mill, NC; his daughters: Wendy (Dante) Lobato of Lewes, DE, Kelly (Ivin) Seabrook of Greenwich, NJ, Gretchen (Joe) Randazzo of Milton, DE, and Stephanie (Jon) Judy of Middletown, DE; his brother, William Kimble "Kim" Wattenbarger of Cary, NC; and his 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 11:00 AM at Parsell Funeral Homes and Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE, where friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM. Interment will be private at the request of the family.

Please sign Mr. Wattenbarger's online guest book located on this site.

FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE HAVE ALL FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS DELIVERED BY 3 PM, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2018 TO PARSELL FUNERAL HOMES, LEWES, DE.



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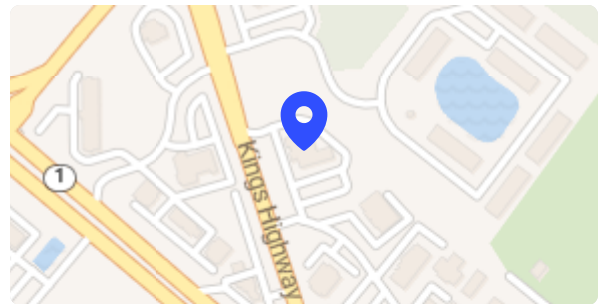
Visitation

 **Wednesday**, February 28, 2018

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

 **Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium-
Atkins-Lodge Chapel**


16961 Kings Highway, Lewes DE 19958



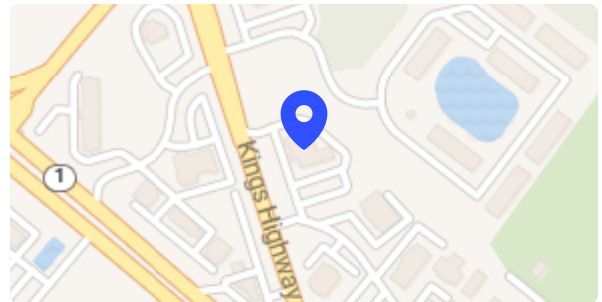
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PS

Peggy Spence posted:

I remember, when I was young, Sue bringing Roy home to meet Mom and Dad and thinking he was really tall! I remember when they lived in Rehoboth Beach and going to stay with them for a week at a time in the summer. Later after Mom and Dad had moved down here. I graduated from High School and Roy and Sue gave me a job at their Cut Rate Store. There some funny memories made there as well. But as time grew, and I got to know my brother-in-law, Roy, was a great man, and a great brother. He was there to help me...when I was looking for a first a job...when I was looking for a first car... like a brother would be ...yep, memories... he was there! RIP Roy. See you again.

March 1 at 8:56 AM

KB

Kara Brasure posted:

I am very sorry to see Roy has passed. I am thinking of all of you. Miss Jessie was very special to me as well.

February 28 at 4:05 PM

TG

Tom Grant posted:

Thinking of you in these difficult times

February 28 at 8:37 AM

JB

Judith H. Briggs posted:

To Mrs. Wattenbarger, Kim, and the entire family, We send our expressions of deep sympathy and prayers to all of you. So shocked to see this online today (2/27/18). He has served our family well with tax preparations for a number of years and was always so helpful and kind over the phone. (I was in the same graduating class of his brother, Kim, at Lewes High School.) We know Heaven is rejoicing, but the parting is still very difficult. Be assured of our prayers. Sincerely, Bobby and Judy (Hopkins) Briggs Lexington, NC

February 27 at 7:09 AM

PF

Pete, Angie Randazzo And Family. sent a Sapphire Skies Bouquet to the Wattenbarger family.



February 27 at 5:22 AM



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DW

Dixie Wolf posted:

To my sweet friend Sue and her girls and to her son John, i am so sad for you all, I loved all the stories Sue would tell me about Roy. Such a precious , kind man. With every tear you honor his life and the love he gave you. You all will be in my heart , my thoughts and my prayers at this sad time.

February 27 at 2:36 AM

KH

Karla (Webb) Hirne posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you all in your time of sorrow. ❤️

February 26 at 3:51 PM

BK

Bob & Kim Kirker sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wattenbarger family.



February 26 at 3:35 PM

DC

Donna Calhoun posted:

I remember meeting Roy about 52 years ago. Sue brought him to PA to meet mom and dad. Roy was very quiet but as time went on I found out he did talk. 😊 I remember Peggy and I coming down to spend time with them in the summer and all packing into Roy's little Triumph and going to Trap Pond. 🤪 Another time, Sue decided when they lived in Rehoboth she wanted to drive the Triumph which was a stick shift, I think Roy was at work. She got the keys and told me come on (I don't even think she had a license) and we got in the car and she jerked us all over the driveway almost hitting the house. Needless to say we didn't get anywhere. Roy gave me my first real job working at his H& R Block in Rehoboth. He had a heart of gold and would help you in a heartbeat. I know he will be missed very much by Sue, the children and grandchildren and it will be very hard but know there are a lot of people there for you when you are need them. Love all of you. ❤️

Donna

February 26 at 2:39 PM

SF

Susan Fisher lit a candle in honor of Roy.

Sending my condolences and prayers to the entire family.Susan Fisher. (Karla's Mom)



February 26 at 1:55 PM



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Naomi L Rickards lit a candle in honor of Roy.



February 26 at 11:04 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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