



Joseph Wendell Wimberly

August 15, 1942 - November 10, 2025

Joseph "Boley" Wendell Wimberly, Jr.

Joseph "Boley" Wendell Wimberly Jr. 83 years of age, passed away on November 10th, 2025 at the Wimberly Residence. He was the husband of Naomi Dukes Wimberly for 61 beautiful years of partnership.

Boley was born in Dorchester County on August 15th, 1942, he was the son of Julia "Peep" Myers Wimberly and Joseph Wendell Wimberly, Sr. He graduated from St. George Highschool School in 1960. He also attended Clemson A&M College.

He was a member of Mt. Tabor Baptist church and served as Church Treasurer and Deacon. He was a devoted Master Mason for 47 years, serving as the Current Chaplin for 30 years. He was a spiritual man involved in many church activities. You could always find Boley outside as he was an avid outdoorsman. He will be forever remembered by his family, friends, and all that knew him.

He is survived by his wife Naomi Wimberly, his daughter Stephanie (Blaine) Heffelfinger. He dearly loved his grandchildren , Riggs (Trista) Heffelfinger and Jordon (Nick) Fortana, and great grandchildren Josie Fortana and Austin Fortana. He was predeceased by his son, Joseph Wendall Wimberly III.

A visitation will be held at Ott Funeral Home in Branchville, SC on Wednesday Nov. 12th from 6-8 PM. The funeral along with the interment at Mt. Tabor Baptist Church will be held on Thursday Nov. 13th at 11 am.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Mt. Tabor Baptist Church or The

American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall

BS

“ I was so saddened to hear Mr. Boley had passed. He was such a sweet man that I enjoyed talking to him at the David Sojourner Senior Center. He will be missed by many. Prayers for family and friends.

Bonnie Sanford - November 15, 2025 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ So sorry to hear of Boley's death. He was such a close friend to my brother, Roger, who has also departed this life. I like to think that Boley and Roger are together talking about the times they shared in school. Prayers for you, his family. Boley was a fine, Christian man who touched the lives of many people.

Emily Watts - November 15, 2025 at 12:00 AM

HL

“ Naomi, Stephanie and the entire Wimberly family:
So very sorry to hear about Mr. Boley's passing. Our hearts are heavy but also comforted to know he is at rest and among his heavenly family. May that give you comfort as well. God truly gained another angel that is for sure. Mr. Boley was a wonderful and kind hearted man and always saw the good in people ..never the bad. He will truly be missed in our church family in many many ways. His presence the greatest. Just know we love all of you and appreciate each and everyone of you for all you do for others and know this is what Boley would want you to continue as I am sure you will. Just know our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in the days to come. Our love..Hazel and John and all the Loopers on Cattle Creek Road.

Hazel Looper - November 12, 2025 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Deepest sympathy praying for family.
With Love,
Linda P. Malone

Linda P. Malone - November 12, 2025 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ *Finest Gentleman I've Ever Met.
Will Cherish His Friendship Forever.
Respectfully,
Josh Todd*

Melvin C. Todd - November 12, 2025 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *I served on the Orangeburg County Council on Aging board with Mr. Boley. It was a pleasure to get to know him. He was a fine, Christian man and he will be sorely missed. My condolences to the family and my thoughts and prayers are with you. May the Lord comfort you during this time.*

MIKE Pooser - November 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *So sorry to hear about Boley. I saw him just a few months ago at Georgio Restaurant in St George and had the opportunity to talk to him briefly. Boley was a really fine man and I am honored to have known him as a friend for many years. I will always remember Boley working at the Feed Store in Reevesville and teaching us boys how to reload shells for the next dove shoot. I am sure he will be missed by all. May God bless you!!*

Jackie & Melanie McAlhaney - November 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Mr. Boley will be missed by everyone in this community. Cherish the memories. Wishing the family strength and comfort in this difficult time.*

Kevin and Riley Metts - November 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *Mr. Boley was a kind and gentle soul. He had a smile that was contagious. I know he will be greatly missed. Praying that God will wrap Mr. Boley's loved ones in comfort and love during this time.*



Kirstie Burn - November 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ *Sending my heart-felt condolences, prayers, hope and love to Naomi, and her family, may our precious Lord bless all of you at this sad time-I am so very sorry for your loss of Boly.*



Colleen Newsome Jolly - November 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Naomi, Stephanie & Family, We are so sorry to hear about Boley. Please know our thoughts & prayers are with you all during this difficult time. Dale & Wayne Davis*

Dale & Wayne Davis - November 10, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *So sorry to hear Mr.Boley passed. Our prayers are with you all*

Deborah wiles - November 10, 2025 at 12:00 AM

EH

“ Naomi and family. Boley was a true southern gentleman. I always looked up to him. Gwen and I will keep you and your family in our prayers

Eddie Heaton - November 10, 2025 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ We love you and we know you loved us because you told us so. We love your family and hope they are comforted knowing you are in the presence of Jesus your Savior and also that your legacy of love and faith will live on in the effect your Christian life has had on all you know. We will miss you but we will see you soon. Rev. Jim Bogstad & LeAnne Bogstad



LeAnne Bogstad - November 10, 2025 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Naomi, Stephanie, and Family I am sorry for your lost, I am sure that he will be well received in Heaven by Jesus! I hope that all your great memories will help you in the healing process, but you will always miss him .Praying for you and your family!

Lewis W Bolin - November 10, 2025 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Mr. Boley always had a smile and a kind word to share with everyone. Russell and I will miss him dearly.

Rebecca Felder - November 10, 2025 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Ott Funeral Home

A Memorial Tree was planted for Joseph Wendell Wimberly - November 10, 2025
at 12:00 AM