



# Ron "Rossi" Wilkins

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**M**r. Ron "Rossi" Wilkins, age 62, of Heath Springs, South Carolina, went home to be with his Lord and Savior, Monday, July 17, 2017, at his residence.

Memorial services to celebrate his life will be conducted at 11:00 AM Saturday, July 22, 2017, at Beacon Baptist Church, 1982 Evans Drive, Lancaster, SC, 29720, officiated by Preacher Doug Pate and Preacher James Benware. A reception will follow after the memorial service.

Ron was born on February 20, 1955, in Surry County, North Carolina, a son of the late Climon E. Wilkins and the late Lucy Alma Doss. He was a retired truck driver and also a retired WCW pro-wrestler by name "Ron Rossi".

He wrestled with the some greats such as, Ric Flair, Jimmy Valient, Ivan Koloff, Dusty Rhodes, Rock 'n' Roll Express, Nikita Koloff, Darrell "Wildman" Woodiwiss, Wahoo McDaniel, Midnight Express, Rowdy Roddie Piper, Hulk Hogan, Randy Savage and Hacksaw Jim Duggan.

Survivors include his companion Judy Hunter of the home; his son Lane Wilkins of Thurmond, NC; his three daughters Amber Pylant of Polkton, NC, Heather Wilkins of Monroe, NC and Holly Wilkins of Lancaster, SC; and his seven grandchildren.

Davis Funeral Home of Monroe is honored to be serving the family of Mr. Wilkins. An on-line guest register book is available at [www.davisfuneralservice.com](http://www.davisfuneralservice.com).



## Tribute Wall

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RH

**Ralph Harkey** posted:

I was surfing YouTube and came across a Mid Atlantic Championship Wrestling episode dated September 1985. Among the wrestling talent in the line up of matches was Ron Rossi vs The Raging Bull Manny Fernandez. This viewing prompted me to search out some folks, of which included Ron Rossi. These are some of my favorite memories. I saw Ron perform many times on TV and in person. My condolences on the loss.

June 11 at 8:00 PM

CW

**Carl Herrmann Heather Wilkins** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".



November 26 at 8:00 PM

BB

**Buddy Bigham** posted:

Had the privilege and honor to work with ron when we both wrestled for the same company, he was such a great man and he will be missed greatly.

January 13 at 8:00 PM

RG

**Rip Grandpa** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".



September 29 at 8:00 PM

AI

**Annie Isom** posted:

MAY JESUS KEEP HIS ARMS WRAPPED AROUND YOU IN YOUR TIME OF NEED

July 20 at 8:00 PM

AI

**Annie Isom** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".



July 20 at 8:00 PM



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LA

**Laurie** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

July 20 at 8:00 PM



RS

**R.I.P Mr Wilkins. Your With Your Father Now, Singing** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

July 20 at 8:00 PM



RW

**R.I.P Mr. Wilkins** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

July 20 at 8:00 PM



KH

**Kimberly Hinson** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

July 19 at 8:00 PM



GS

**Greg And Sherry Ray** posted:

We are Very Sorry for Your Loss. Ron was Baptized at Beacon the Same Day as Greg. It was A Great Day!!! We Know Ron is in A Better Place. This Helps to Deal with it. You're in Our Thoughts and Prayers.

July 19 at 8:00 PM

SA

**Samuel Adams** posted:

I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Ron once I got down to Walmart as a Co-Manager. He always took the time to talk with me during his trips to the store offering kind words or just something to make me laugh. May God continue to bless the family during these trying times.

July 19 at 8:00 PM



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RD

**Renee Deadwood** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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MS

**Mike And Brenda Swann** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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SH

**Sandra Hernandez** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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GN

**Gastonia Nc** posted:

So sorry to hear of Ron's passing. He was a great man and will be missed by many. God speed.

July 18 at 8:00 PM

MN

**Melissa Newman** posted:

So sorry to hear of the loss of our dear friend Ron. He came to Jomars Family Restaurant on a regular basis and sat at the same table right upfront so he could socialize with everyone ( the staff and the other guests) he was known and liked by everyone and has always been one our favorite customers ... Always full of life and happy . He will be missed by many . RIP Ron until we meet again

July 18 at 8:00 PM

BC

**Brenda Campbell** posted:

To Judy and Lisa, I knew Ron long before I knew you both. He could always bring a smile to your face and make you laugh. What a precious soul to lose but he is with our Lord and Savior. I love you both and my heart goes out to you and your entire families. I will keep you in my prayers and if there is anything I can do please call on me. I love you guys and I am sorry for your loss.

July 18 at 8:00 PM



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RA

**Renee Amerson** posted:

Prayers for your family during this difficult time and the days to come...

July 18 at 8:00 PM

GG

**Gary Elkins....Gmoney** posted:

Ron will be missed. Condolences to the family.

July 18 at 8:00 PM

BH

**Barbara Haile** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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HH

**Honest Doug Hawkins** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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RA

**Renee Amerson** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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CA

**Cathy** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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DR

**Dr. Pat Rucker** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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EP

**Earl Penny** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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EM

**Elaine And Kenny Mackey** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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HB

**Heather And Boys** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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CT

**Christy Townsend** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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CW

**Cody Wiseman** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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DS

**D. Sims** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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LW

**Lori, John, Trey, Jessica, Betty Wsid** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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JF

**Jack And Shirley Funderburk** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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KL

**Kim Little** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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LW

**Lori And John Waid** posted:

God bless the family and comfort them. Ron was a great person to be around. He always made u laugh about something. Great man to be around. We will miss u so much and we love you.

July 17 at 8:00 PM

BA

**Bobby And Lori Adams** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".

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JS

**James And Robin Sullivan** posted:

We have known Ron and the family for many years,my grandson Chandler is his grandson also so from time to time we would see him.One thing about him,he was never short on words,he could really talk and that always made us feel so welcomed around him and I remember going to church and hearing him sing,he had a great voice.Just want the family to know that y'all are in our thoughts and prayers and may God comfort each and everyone of you at this time!!

July 17 at 8:00 PM

AM

**Amber** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".



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AN

**Anita** lit a candle in honor of Ron "Rossi".



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MC

**Monica Carpenter** posted:

So sorry for your loss

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SB

**Steve And Julia Benton** posted:

So sorry for your loss, God bless.

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## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Ron "Rossi" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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