



Jerry W. Russell

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Jerry W. Russell passed away at his home on June 22, 2025, at the age of 71.

He is predeceased by his parents James Haywood Russell and Nell Burr Russell.

Jerry is survived by his loving wife, Madeline Little Russell.

He will be lovingly remembered by his children Matt Russell (Kelly) and Meredith Lowder (Ken, Jr.) both of Norwood. He leaves behind his five grandchildren, Bailey Russell, Karley Hurley (Dustin), Matthew Russell, Summer Lowder, and Russell Lowder.

Jerry was born on May 30, 1954. He graduated from Forest Hills High School in 1972 and went on to earn a Bachelor's in Education from Western Carolina University in 1976. He worked as a teacher and coach for 28 years with Stanly County Schools.

Jerry enjoyed thrift shopping, watching movies, and riding around the community in his golf cart with his dog Little Bit. He was an avid fan of the Pittsburgh Steelers and the Carolina Tar Heels.

A gathering of friends will be held at Silver Springs Baptist Church following the funeral service.

The funeral service will be held at Silver Springs Baptist Church located at 16072 NC 138, Norwood, NC 28128 on Wednesday, June 25, at 11:00 am with Reverend Mark Little officiating. Interment to follow in the church cemetery. The family requests that, due to the heat that you dress comfortably. Absolutely no suits or ties.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Silver Springs Baptist Church to be utilized to purchase Bibles through Gideons International.



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Condolences for the family may be offered online at www.stanlyfuneralhome.com



Events

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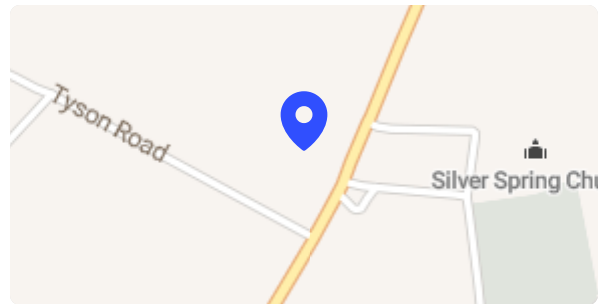
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Funeral Service

 **Wednesday**, June 25, 2025

 11:00 AM ET

 **Silver Springs Baptist Church**
16072 NC-138, Norwood NC 28128



Cemetery Details

 **Silver Springs Baptist Church Cemetery**
NC



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MR

MiquelIn Rush posted:

I would like to extend my condolences to the family of COACH RUSSELL. He was a great man. He was an inspiration for me when i was in Highschool. Always positive and supportive. He will be missed dearly. God Bless You! Miquel Rush

July 2 at 4:33 AM



Tom Mabry posted:

Tom Mabry,In the fall of 1980 I had the opportunity to play JV football coached by Jerry Russell. This was the funnest time I ever had in any organized sport. Jerry taught us focus and playing thru the whistle. I feel privileged to have played for both Jerry Russell and Perry Duke. Job well done!

July 1 at 11:40 AM

DD

Danny Dennis posted:

I was coached by Jerry and Perry Duke the first year they coached football at South. They touched my life in a most positive way. They were true mentors and will never be forgotten. Most Sincerely,Danny Dennis

June 25 at 2:57 PM

JM

Janece Myers posted:

RIP Mr. Russell. Madeline, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time. I have fond memories of working with both you and Jerry. 🙏🙏🙏

June 25 at 6:53 AM

SD

Sheila Duke posted:

Perry Duke and Jerry are back together again. If they could drum up a football team in Heaven, they would be coaching it together. My prayers and thoughts are with all your family. Sheila Duke

June 24 at 2:38 PM

RL

Rachel Lefler June 28 at 1:30 PM

Hello, sweet Shelia Duke, I enjoyed seeing Jerry ride his cart by my sister's house with his dog happy as could be.I still admire you from those days when we were younger.



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CA

Cindy Almond posted:

Madeline and all the family, I'm sorry for your loss. Hang on to your good memories. May God bless you all with his peace. Love and prayers for you.

June 24 at 12:24 PM

CT

Cheryl Burr Talbert posted:

Jerry was such a kind soul, always willing to help!

June 24 at 11:10 AM

DH

Donna Hunt posted:

So sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.

June 24 at 3:41 AM

DF

David Fisher lit a candle in honor of Jerry.



June 24 at 3:34 AM

TT

Tommy Taylor posted:

Madeline, I'm sorry for you loss. Jerry was a good man. I last talked to him at Gold's Gym a while back.

June 24 at 2:44 AM

BA

Brian Austin posted:

Sorry to hear of his passing. God bless you all

June 24 at 12:06 AM



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TP

Tammy Pemberton posted:

Mr. Russell was a great man he will be missed. The family have my condolences. C/O 1995 Albemarle High School

June 23 at 6:02 PM

RP

Reverend David Pinion posted:

Jerry Russell was one of my favorite teachers. I could never beat him at chess. He will be missed!

June 23 at 4:24 PM

AG

Asia Grady lit a candle in honor of Jerry.

Sending prayers out to a great MAN family RIP MR RUSSELL

June 23 at 3:29 PM



AA

Angela Alejo posted:

I will never forget all those "I will not..." sentences Mr. Russell made me write lol. He was a great asset to SSSH and will be greatly missed! Prayers for his family! 🙏❤️

June 23 at 3:13 PM

BH

Brenda H. sent an Arrive in Style to the Russell family.

June 23 at 1:41 PM



LH

Linda Huntley lit a candle in honor of Jerry.

June 23 at 1:39 PM





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MH

Marindy Harris posted:

My favorite teacher and softball coach!

June 23 at 1:21 PM

AB

Avis Bistriz posted:

So sorry for your loss Mrs. Russell. In my thoughts and prayers

June 23 at 1:11 PM

LH

Linda Huntley posted:

Jerry is our first cousin. We have such sweet memories of meeting on Sundays at Grandma Russell's house in Wadesboro. We played horseshoes, softball and just had good cousin fun. Rest in peace our dear cousin. Peace and comfort to his family. Sincerely, Linda and Brenda Huntley

June 23 at 12:56 PM

S1

South Stanly Class Of 1998 sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Russell family.

June 23 at 12:21 PM



BI

Brenda Ingold posted:

Madeline & family, Boyd & I are sorry for your loss! Jerry was so special & we loved him so much! He coached our son Chad, in football! He was Chad's favorite coach ever! So glad we visited him last Thursday. You all are in thoughts & prayers. Let us know if you need anything at all! Heaven has a special angel now!!! Boyd & Brenda

June 23 at 12:06 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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