



Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten

December 16, 1957 - July 9, 2025

Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten, 67, of Mattaponi, VA passed away July 9, 2025, at his home surrounded by his family. Gene was employed by West Rock for over 25 years as a scale operator. He was a member of Gospel Lighthouse Worship Center and loved his church family.

Gene is preceded in death by his parents, James Adam and Sylvia Wooten; his siblings, Catherine "Kitty" Wooten, Larry and Kenny Wooten.

He is survived by his wife Teresa Wooten; a son Josh Wooten; a brother James "Jimmy" Wooten (Barbara Jean) and many other family members who loved him and will miss him.

A memorial service will be held 2 p.m. Sunday, July 20th at Gospel Lighthouse Worship Center, 4427 Buena Vista Road, Saluda, VA 23156.

Tribute Wall

TJ

“ I know we only spoke a couple of times, but I will treasure your warm smile and friendly waves as I drove past your house to work on so many occasions. Thank you for sharing your kindness to others you barely knew. Regards, Tracy Jourdan

Tracy Jourdan - September 01, 2025 at 10:01 AM



“ Best friend of mine such an amazing awesome man he never met a stranger loved his family loved his job he was absolutely an amazing awesome friend husband and father etc ❤️



Beverly Edwards - August 27, 2025 at 07:35 PM

JC

“ Gene was a great guy. We have known him since we were young teenagers, actually the whole family. Peace be with his wife, son, and only surviving brother (Jimmy). Lifting everyone up in prayers.

Jan & Victor Crosswell - July 20, 2025 at 11:28 AM

RC

“ Gene will be missed here at West Point Family Barbershop, Prayers and love to his family.

Rebecca Carter - July 18, 2025 at 08:21 AM

RW

“ Gene was my incredible friend we have known each other for at least 55 years and our friendship had grown over the years. We went to school together and we ended up going to the same little church and our friendship and love just grew . When he was able, he used to cut the grass at the church and he always kept it immaculate as the years passed and his health got worse, he couldn't do it, but he still attended church and he was faithful as long as he could be there,.He will definitely be missed in my heart and our little church the Gospel Lighthouse Worship Center that backseat will always look empty . I know you are in the arms of Jesus and experiencing the peace like you've never had before one day soon we'll be together rest in peace my friend.

Rhonda & Franklin Walton - July 17, 2025 at 12:29 PM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss



Thomas Widgeon - July 17, 2025 at 07:55 AM

MS

“ Mike Staskiel lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten



Mike Staskiel - July 16, 2025 at 07:14 PM

MH

“ Prayers with the family

Michael Haden - July 16, 2025 at 11:02 AM

CH

“ I went to NKHS with Gene and Kenny. It's hard to believe they are both gone. Gene and I crossed paths again after many years when I went to work for Timmy Waltrip. Gene could keep a dumptruck spotless with a bottle of Windex and a roll of paper towels. You will never be forgotten my friend. I will be thinking of your family at this time.

Chris Hockaday - July 16, 2025 at 10:00 AM

JB

“ Rest Well My Old Friend!!!

Jerry Blanchard - July 16, 2025 at 09:54 AM

DC

“ Derry Carlton lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten



Derry Carlton - July 16, 2025 at 09:42 AM

JL

“ Gene was such a kind man and will be missed. Thoughts, love, and prayers to you, Josh and Theresa.



Jerry & Arika Lewis - July 16, 2025 at 01:31 AM

FS

“ Faith Silva lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten



Faith Silva - July 16, 2025 at 12:55 AM

ES

“ I remember Gene so fondly from when I lived West Point, many years ago.

He was truly one of a kind—kind-hearted, full of joy, and always fun with a smile or a laugh. His spirit was infectious, and his heart was as big as they come.

May he soar high with the angels and continue to shine his light from above. ✨🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

Eddie R Sears - July 16, 2025 at 12:04 AM

HS

“ Hank Sellers lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten



Hank Sellers - July 15, 2025 at 11:21 PM



“ Years ago my sister and I hung out with Gene a lot...he was funny and we enjoyed his friendship...I have known his whole family since I was 15 and I loved them all...my deepest sympathy goes out to his wife, son and to Jimmy (his only living sibling) May God comfort all of you and give you peace that only he brings 💙💛



Robin Rigney-Hutchings - July 15, 2025 at 09:56 PM

CW

“ I love you Cousin. I thank the Lord for making you my family. I will never be able to forget you 😊

Cindy Webb - July 15, 2025 at 09:55 PM

CW

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Cindy Webb - July 15, 2025 at 09:52 PM

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Cindy Webb - July 15, 2025 at 09:51 PM

BW

“ *Brenda H Webb lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten*



Brenda H Webb - July 15, 2025 at 09:08 PM

KR

“ *Gene was a super person. Met him when we had Lanexa Plaza back when i was 13. He loved my parents! And we all loved him! RIP Gene!*

Karen Richardson - July 15, 2025 at 08:40 PM

HW

“ *Theresa ,Josh , family and friends you all are in my thoughts and prayers ❤️. Hale to the Redskins and detailed vehicles!! May it be a mini van, pickup or car. Gene always took great pride. RIP*

Heather Wooten - July 15, 2025 at 08:37 PM

VB

“ *I've known Eugene for over 50 some years me and him were great friends rest in peace my brother rest in peace my condolences and prayers to the family*

Vance Braxton - July 15, 2025 at 06:49 PM

AH

“ Fly high my friend. No more pain.



Aletta hall - July 15, 2025 at 06:28 PM

MH

“ Margaret Horsley lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten



Margaret Horsley - July 15, 2025 at 05:54 PM

LB

“ Teresa and Josh and Jimmy and family sending thoughts and prayers, for strength to guide you in your time of loss. Gene i know you have gained your wings and are close by. Until we meet again go rest high on that mountain. 🙏 love your cousin Linda Branch ❤️



Linda Branch - July 15, 2025 at 05:54 PM

DN

“ Gene was a friendly soul and I enjoyed shooting the breeze with him ... loved them Skins and was hated their losses .. R.I.P.

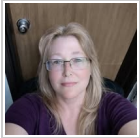
Dennis Gardner Norman - July 15, 2025 at 05:27 PM

RM

“ *Rebekah Sites Marshall lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten*



Rebekah Sites Marshall - July 15, 2025 at 05:02 PM



“ *Theresa and Josh we are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you both in our prayers... Gene was the first person to walk across the street to introduce himself and welcome us to the neighborhood when we first moved there.... Y'all have been good friends ever since that day... Gene will be missed by so many people. R. I. P Gene!*

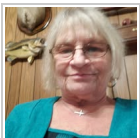
Rhonda Robinson - July 15, 2025 at 04:51 PM

DB

“ *Donna& John Britt lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten*



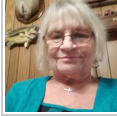
Donna& John Britt - July 15, 2025 at 04:10 PM



“ *Beverly Edwards lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten*



Beverly Edwards - July 15, 2025 at 03:46 PM



Gene was always smiling and helping people sending prayers and hugs for Teresa and Josh and Jimmy Wooten ❤️

Beverly Edwards - July 15, 2025 at 03:48 PM

BJ

“ *So sorry for your loss. Gene was a nice guy, always had something to say to you. God Bless the family at this sad time. Beverly and Jim Ross*



Beverly and Jim - July 15, 2025 at 03:20 PM

FC

“ *Francis Chandler lit a candle in memory of Ezra Eugene "Gene" Wooten*



francis chandler - July 15, 2025 at 11:56 AM

BH

Gene was a neighbor of ours for a long time and we always enjoyed seeing him and his favorite little pooch and his wife and son I have since moved but will always remember his friendly ways.

Brenda Hundley - July 16, 2025 at 09:41 AM