



## Mr. John William Morrah III

July 13, 1947 - June 25, 2021

John William Morrah, III, age 73, husband of Annette Herring Morrah, of 110 Dendy Woods Rd., West Union, passed peacefully away on Friday, June 25, 2021 at his residence.

A native of Ware Shoals, SC, Mr. Morrah was the son of the late John William Morrah, II and Lilly Bell McCurry "Betty" Morrah. He retired as plant manager from Beacon Manufacturing and was a member of the Sertoma Club and longtime Clemson IPTAY member. Mr. Morrah was a deacon of Walhalla Presbyterian Church.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Morrah is survived by his daughters: Elizabeth "Betty" Morrah Robinson (Thomas Dwight Robinson) of Murfreesboro, TN; Miranda Britt "Mandy" Morrah of Anderson; Cassandra "Sandy" Morrah Whiteford (Robert Howard "Bobby" Whiteford, Jr.) of West Union; and three grandchildren: Elizabeth "Brooke" Robinson of Murfreesboro, TN; John "Miller" Whiteford and "Sarah" Britt Whiteford both of West Union.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 PM, on Monday, June 28, 2021, at Walhalla Presbyterian Church with burial to follow at Oconee Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 – 6:00 PM, on Sunday, June 27, 2021 at Davenport Funeral Home.

Flowers are accepted or memorials may be made to Walhalla Presbyterian Church, Attn: Building Fund, P.O. Box 917, Walhalla, SC 29691.

The family is at the home.

# Cemetery Details

## Oconee Memorial Park

1923 Blue Ridge Boulevard  
Seneca, SC 29672  
<http://oconeememorialpark.com?>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 27.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home  
311 S Highway 11  
West Union, SC 29696  
(864) 638-3611  
[davenportfhome@gmail.com](mailto:davenportfhome@gmail.com)  
<https://www.davenportfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

**JUN 28.** 2:00 PM (ET)

Walhalla Presbyterian Church  
600 East Main Street  
Walhalla, SC 29691  
<https://sites.google.com/site/walhalla-presbyterian-church/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. John William Morrah III*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM

SK

“ *Sandy King lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



Sandy King - July 05, 2021 at 01:48 PM

KA

“ *Kathy Addis lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



Kathy addis - July 03, 2021 at 02:50 PM

RH

“ *Robert & Amy Harvey lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



Robert & Amy Harvey - July 02, 2021 at 02:24 PM

JJ

“ *Juanita Burrell Johns lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



Juanita Burrell Johns - June 30, 2021 at 01:30 PM

BH

“ Annette and family,

*I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your beloved husband and father. I never got to meet John other than thru the stories of everyday life that Annette blessed us with at Pine Street Elementary. It has been many years since I have seen or spoken with Annette but I will always remember that whatever Annette and "the girls" needed Johnny provided from the heart. His love for his family was always reflected thru Annette's stories. You have my deepest condolences during this time of profound loss. Remember that John is resting now and watching over you all. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Barbara Hamberg*

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**Barbara Hamberg** - June 30, 2021 at 12:09 AM

FR

“ “E” and I are so sorry for your loss. We are praying for you and your family.

*Flora and “E” Riley*

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**Flora Riley** - June 29, 2021 at 01:39 PM

KL

“ I send my love and condolences to Annette and her family! I am very sorry for the death of Johnny. He was a very kind person to me and Annette holds a very special place in my heart! My prayers are with all of you!



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**Kathy Burfiend Ladd** - June 29, 2021 at 10:28 AM

BT

“ Brian & Rhonda Tippett lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



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**Brian & Rhonda Tippett** - June 28, 2021 at 10:18 PM



“ *John Kim Herndon lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



John Kim Herndon - June 28, 2021 at 02:41 PM

SH

“ *Doug and Susan Hollifield*



Susan Hollifield - June 28, 2021 at 07:39 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.*



June 27, 2021 at 11:17 PM

SM

“ *Sherry Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



Sherry Moore - June 27, 2021 at 09:09 PM

JR

“ *So sorry for your loss. Johnny was a classmate of mine. He was such a gentleman, smart and courteous at all times. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Judy Griffin Reynolds.*

Judy Reynolds - June 27, 2021 at 08:57 PM

JL

“ Janet Ledford lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



Janet Ledford - June 27, 2021 at 08:12 PM



“ Dawn Merritt lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



Dawn Merritt - June 27, 2021 at 08:00 PM

JW

“ Jerry (Byrd) & Frankie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III

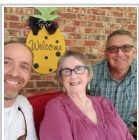


Jerry (Byrd) & Frankie Williams - June 27, 2021 at 07:44 PM

OM

“ My heart breaks for all of you. My love and prayers are with you. He was a great man. Love, Ouida

Ouida McDow - June 27, 2021 at 07:44 PM



“ Barbara Pearson lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



Barbara Pearson - June 27, 2021 at 07:24 PM

MM

“ *Annette and family,*

*Betty and I are really saddened by Johnny's passing. He was one of my best friends all through school and we had a lot of fun together, especially playing football as early as 1st grade. Lots and lots of memories are coming back. One is of Johnny leading Tad O'Dell and me on a sprint across the 50-yard line at half-time of the '64 Gator Bowl, displaying the large State Championship banner. (Don't know how we got away with that). Another is of Johnny and his dad getting me a ticket and taking me to a sold-out Clemson-Carolina game before I left for Vietnam in 1971. Just two of the many good times we had. This past Monday I kept thinking of Johnny and told myself I needed to call or email him soon. Sure wish I had not procrastinated on this. Our sympathy and prayers are with you all.*

Mike and Betty Martin - June 27, 2021 at 05:16 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.*



June 27, 2021 at 03:18 PM

GH

“ *Gerald And Christa Howard lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



Gerald and Christa Howard - June 27, 2021 at 02:59 PM

LT

“ *Oh, Annette and Family, we are so sorry to learn of John's passing. What a friendly man John was. I will always appreciate his friendship and kindness to my brother, Bobby Lee. John seemed to always support you, Annette, in every activity at school and in life . That is a wonderful quality in a husband. Praying for peace.*



*Louise L & Clarence Towe*

Louise & Clarence Towe - June 27, 2021 at 02:06 PM

BD

“ *Bobbie Duncan lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Bobbie Duncan** - June 27, 2021 at 01:12 PM

JT

“ *Joye Teachman lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Joye Teachman** - June 27, 2021 at 12:18 PM

JA

“ *Judy And George Abrams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Judy and George Abrams** - June 27, 2021 at 10:46 AM

JA

*So very sad and prayers and good thoughts for family. George always considered Johnny his best friend and loved him like a brother. Peace and blessings be with you during this time.*

**Judy and George Abrams** - June 27, 2021 at 10:48 AM

JA

*George spent the day yesterday going over all of his memories of time he and Johnny spent together. The late afternoon that George and I headed to the beach for our honeymoon Johnny and several others were waiting for us on the side of the road on the way to Columbia. We lived in an apartment right up the street so we were always together.*

**Judy Abrams** - June 28, 2021 at 11:09 AM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.*



June 27, 2021 at 10:40 AM

JF

“ *I will be praying for the family during this very difficult time of adjustment.*



**Judy Fricks** - June 27, 2021 at 09:28 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.*



June 27, 2021 at 09:25 AM

AC

“ *Ann Crumpton lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Ann Crumpton** - June 26, 2021 at 11:19 PM

ST

“ *Sandra Wald Tippett lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Sandra Wald Tippett** - June 26, 2021 at 10:29 PM

AB

“ Prayers for the family



Audrey Barker - June 26, 2021 at 08:24 PM

DB

“ John was member of Ware Shoals High State Championship football team in 1964. Great guy!  
Dan Branyon

Dan Branyon - June 26, 2021 at 06:18 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.



June 26, 2021 at 06:08 PM



“ Heartfelt Memories was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.



June 26, 2021 at 05:59 PM

BD

“ So sorry to hear about Johnny. I have such good memories of him during high school as he was a wonderful friend and classmate. My thoughts and prayers are with Annette and family.

Betty Higgins Derrick - June 26, 2021 at 05:13 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.*



June 26, 2021 at 04:55 PM

TR

“ *Terry Rankin lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Terry Rankin** - June 26, 2021 at 04:36 PM

DN

“ *Deepest sympathy, love and prayers!*  
*Doug and Linda Reese Nix*



**Doug and Linda Reese Nix** - June 26, 2021 at 03:44 PM

RA

“ *Rod & Katherine & Kristy Albertson lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III*



**Rod & Katherine & Kristy Albertson** - June 26, 2021 at 03:19 PM

CH

“ *I am truly sorry and am praying you you all.*

**Chappelear** - June 26, 2021 at 02:14 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.



June 26, 2021 at 02:11 PM

JD

“ Jerry And Becky Dyar lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



Jerry and Becky Dyar - June 26, 2021 at 01:39 PM

BJ

“ Becky Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



Becky Johnson - June 26, 2021 at 01:38 PM

BT

So very sorry for your loss Annette. Prayers for you and your family during this difficult time.

BECKY RHODES TOOLE - June 27, 2021 at 04:53 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.



June 26, 2021 at 01:32 PM



“ Starbucks Coffee Condolences was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.



June 26, 2021 at 01:30 PM

JL

“ Jess&marcella Langston lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



jess&marcella langston - June 26, 2021 at 01:14 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Morrah III.



June 26, 2021 at 01:02 PM

JO

“ John was my supervisor at Beacon. He was always a great person to work with and a great friend. Will always remember the summer the girls worked with us. Praying for you all

Joyce Owens - June 26, 2021 at 12:58 PM

JO

“ Joyce Owens lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Morrah III



Joyce Owens - June 26, 2021 at 12:53 PM

SH

“ So sorry for your loss! Prayers for the family 🙏 Steve & Debbie



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**Steve Harvey** - June 26, 2021 at 12:29 PM