



Wade W. H. Grady

November 13, 1929 - January 11, 2019

Wade William Hayden Grady transitioned from this life peacefully on January 11, 2019 at the age of 89. He was born on November 13, 1929 in Murphy, NC to Jesse and Elva Grady.

Wade joined the US Army in April 1946 as an automotive mechanic and was assigned to the 542nd Signal Heavy Construction Company. Soon after joining he boarded the USS Altman headed toward the Pacific, stopping in Manila, Okinawa Japan, and other Pacific Countries. He served his country honorably in the Pacific Conflict during World War II and was awarded the World War II Victory Medal.

Wade was a maintenance technician for Big C Liquor Company for many years providing building maintenance services for the stores in the area before they closed down permanently.

Wade was an active member and faithful Sunday school attendee at St. John Independent Free Methodist Church of Tavares, Florida.

He leaves to cherish precious memories his devoted wife of 43 years, Mary Grady. He was preceded in death by his parents: Jesse and Elva Grady; 7 brothers and 2 sisters, 2 Sister-in-law, Johnnie Mae Grady and Lizzie Grady. He will be sadly missed by his wife and Children: Brenda Mitchell (Willie), Yolanda Wright (James), Jesse Wade, and Thelma; Grandchildren, Tunica Mitchell, Willie Mitchell, Jr., Tatyana Grady, Dontavious Anderson, Jr., and

Autumn Rain Lesky; Great Grand-Children, Tyshon Mitchell-Williams and Syriah Williams; Nephews, Anthony and Thomas Grady; Nieces, Martha Ann Lucas-Grady, Ruby Ware (Johnny), Shirley Dailey (Harold), Jackie Barrette-Collins, Mary Barrette-Waller, Marva Henderson, Lynette Grady, Yerda Grady, Lashanda Grady; Godchildren, Terrance Lane, Kristie Alston (Donald), Mercie Allen, Zackary Vaughn, and Anthony Walters, Jr. along with a host of other nieces, nephews, family and friends.

A Homegoing Service will be held Saturday, January 19, 2019 at 2:30 pm at St. John Independent Free Methodist Church in Tavares, Florida. Pastor Lillie Ann Brown will be officiating. All are welcome for viewing and visitation from 1:00 p.m. to 2:15 pm on Saturday. His interment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida on 01/22/2019 at 11:30 pm. Condolences and flowers to the family may be made online by visiting: <https://www.zandersfuneralhome.com/obituaries/Wade-Grady/#!/TributeWall>.

Cemetery Details

Florida National Cemetery

6502 S.W. 102nd Ave,
Bushnell, FL 33513

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 19. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

St. John Independent Free Methodist Church
120 N. Bloxham Ave.
Tavares, FL 32778

Service

JAN 19. 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wade W. H. Grady*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Wade W. H. Grady.*



January 19, 2019 at 09:33 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wade W. H. Grady.*



January 19, 2019 at 09:11 AM



“ *I will miss you dearly, even though I thought you were a little touch but now I see, you were only preparing us for what the future was going to be ahead of us...and 1 lesson you taught me & it ALWAYS stayed attached 2 me even after all these years...you said to me 1 day!! Never be afraid of rejection, all someone can ever do is tell you, yes or no and its up to you to decide what you want to do with that, you either take it or leave it!!*

Melisa Blair - January 17, 2019 at 05:34 AM

GI

*Late condolences, thoughts and prayers to Mary and the entire family.
Ms. Gail Isaac-Thomas
Eustis*

Gail Isaac-Thomas - January 25, 2019 at 05:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Wade W. H. Grady.*



January 16, 2019 at 08:39 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Wade W. H. Grady.*



January 16, 2019 at 07:15 AM



“ *Reflections of Glory Wreath was purchased for
the family of Wade W. H. Grady.*



January 15, 2019 at 07:36 PM

CB

“ *Uncle Wade you will be missed.*



CURTINE BIVINS - January 15, 2019 at 04:12 PM

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Your presence through your beautiful wife will be missed. I got to enjoy you through her stories and pictures. May you now be in Heaven watching over your entire family and enjoying yourself. Rest easy.

Sabrina Rachel - January 16, 2019 at 01:08 AM