



Adam Willard

February 4, 1976 - February 17, 2019

Willard, Adam, of Cedar Hill, Missouri was born February 4, 1976, in St. Louis, Missouri, to Garry and Christa (nee Tanner) Willard and entered into rest, Sunday, February 17, 2019 at the age of 43 years, 13 days.

He is preceded in death by his grandparents, Ralph Willard, Lorene Willard, James Tanner and Ingaborg Tanner.

He is survived by,

His wife Tara (nee Vierling) Willard,

Four (4) children, Dalton Willard, Chase Willard, Alayna Willard, and Ava Willard,

two (2) siblings, April Whittle and Gary Dewayne Willard,

and many other family and friends.

Adam was a loving husband, father, son, brother and friend to all who were lucky enough to know him. He was a true family man in every sense of the word. He supported his family by working as a painter in the construction industry for the past 20 years. He loved hunting especially with his family on

the family farm. He had an amazing green thumb and was an avid outdoorsman. Adam was also a bee keeper; He loved nature & everything natural. Although he wore many hats, he always took care of others and put others first. You could trust Adam because he was a man of his word. He gave the best hugs and was the glue that held everyone together. He will be fondly remembered for his beautiful smile and great sense of humor. Adam will be dearly missed by all who were lucky enough to know and loved him.

Visitation Friday, February 22, 2019 from 3:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri. Service Saturday, February 23, 2019 (12:00) 1:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Cedar Hill, 8265 Local Hillsboro Rd, Cedar Hill, MO 63016. Interment at First Baptist Church of Cedar Hill, 8265 Local Hillsboro Rd, Cedar Hill, MO 63016 after service. Memorial donations may be made to the family for funeral expenses. <https://goo.gl/FfWFSA>

Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community at www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **22**. 3:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Cedar Hill
6300 Highway 30
Cedar Hill, MO 63016
(636) 274-4100
info@stlfuneral.com
<https://www.stlfuneral.com>

Visitation

FEB **23**. 12:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Cedar Hill
8265 Local Hillsboro Rd.
Cedar Hill, MO

Funeral Service

FEB **23**. 1:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Cedar Hill
8265 Local Hillsboro Rd.
Cedar Hill, MO

Interment

FEB **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Cedar Hill
8265 Local Hillsboro Rd.
Cedar Hill, MO

Tribute Wall



“ *Adam Willard*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *I had the pleasure of working with Adam only a few times but I could tell he was a dedicated family man and a hard worker. My thoughts and prayers go out to the Willard family.*

Jeff Gruchala - February 22, 2019 at 07:04 PM



“ *May God watch over the entire family as they go through the unbearable heartbreak and loss of Adam.*

Friends forever, Barb and Bill Siebert

Barbara Siebert - February 22, 2019 at 03:57 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.*



February 22, 2019 at 12:40 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.*



February 22, 2019 at 11:25 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.*



February 22, 2019 at 11:22 AM



“ *Although we are cousins, I regret that I wasn't able to know Adam better. Our rare family get-together times give me a lot of memories of his beautiful smile and his genuine hugs. When Adam hugged you, you felt it all the way to your soul. His hugs were filled with sincere love. Even though we only visited a few times, I knew one thing. HIS CHILDREN were the center of his life. He loved them so much. He has left an incredible legacy. I hope Dalton, Chase, Alayna and Ava know they had the greatest dad any child could ever ask for. His dedication to his kids was a thing of beauty and inspiration. RIP Adam Willard.*



Pat Bouck - February 22, 2019 at 09:03 AM

FA

“ Thoughts and prayers to all the family of Adam Willard

Floyd Allyn - February 22, 2019 at 07:54 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.



February 22, 2019 at 02:39 AM

GK

“ Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to the Willard family. We've heard many stories from their very proud Father.

Gary & Lisa Klump - February 21, 2019 at 04:27 PM

JL

“ Adam was one of the most easiest going, sweetest guys. And his smile was so contagious. I am so blessed to have had him as a friend growing up. He will be missed by so many!
Prayers to Tara, his children, his siblings, his father and the rest of his family ♡

Jamie Lovett - February 21, 2019 at 12:59 PM

HV

“ Heather Vollmar sent a virtual gift in memory of Adam Willard



Heather Vollmar - February 21, 2019 at 12:05 PM

JG

“ I have always remembered Adam for his gentle kindness and his smile. Sending so much love and so many prayers to Tara, Dalton, Chase, Alayna and Ava!

Jessica Gates - February 21, 2019 at 10:43 AM

JG

“ Jessica Gates lit a candle in memory of Adam Willard



Jessica Gates - February 21, 2019 at 10:36 AM

JC

“ I got to know Adam through working with him as a painter. We were both new to the company at the time and saw each other a lot on working night jobs. I could tell right away that Adam loved his life and his family. His work ethic impressed me and I told him that the last day we were on the job together. He shared good advice with me on raising a loving family. Overall, he will be remembered as a hard working, entertaining, and selfless man to me. I'm blessed that I got to work with him and learned a couple of life lessons.

Jason Chadbourne - February 21, 2019 at 02:26 AM

SH

“ My husband and I met Adam & Tara through his father Gary who has been a dear friend to Tom and I through the years. My memories of Adam are of his beautiful smile and gentle spirit. One time we visited his home and were wowed by his beautiful flower gardens and strawberry patch. The love he had for his family was evident and something wonderful to behold. We are heart broken for his whole family who will always be in our thoughts and prayers. May God comfort this beautiful family with his everlasting love....

Sherrie - February 20, 2019 at 11:30 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.



February 20, 2019 at 11:57 AM

KM

“ Kim Matthews lit a candle in memory of Adam Willard



Kim Matthews - February 20, 2019 at 11:51 AM

KM

“ *To The Willard Family!*

I would like to say, I did not personally get to meet Adam, but I did in spirit & prayer. I also was there to comfort & pray for Tara at the scene of the accident. I met some of the family at the hospital & you are a very close & loving family. My heart grieves & hurts every night having to witness what I did. Please know that your family is in my thoughts & prayers every day & night. I have grandkids the ages of Adam & Tara kids. I would love to meet them one day. Please know that from the comments, you will forever have Adam in your hearts.

Kim Matthews (eyewitness & guardian angel)

Kim Matthews - February 20, 2019 at 11:50 AM

AW

Thank you Kim. You are an amazing woman. Adams sister, April

April Whittle - February 20, 2019 at 08:44 PM

LB

Kim, you are honestly the most beautiful person I have ever met! We are eternally grateful for you. You have become a member of our family. You saved Tara's life and were there to comfort her. Thank you for being such an amazing gift from god, you are Tara's guardian angel! 💕💕💕

Lisa Breyfogle - February 20, 2019 at 10:41 PM

PB

Our words could never thank you enough. But God put you there for a reason. Bless you for staying at the scene that I'm sure was horrific. You are truly an angel. I hope to meet you some day. May God comfort you and continue to be with you always. Patti (Adam's cousin)

Pat Bouck - February 22, 2019 at 08:26 AM

AW

Kim I hope we can get together sometime for lunch. I would love to see you soon, I think my neices are nephews would also. Just knowing what you know is questions answered that eaz myself and our families minds. Thank you truly you are a blessing , April

April Whittle - February 22, 2019 at 11:40 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.*



February 20, 2019 at 11:28 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.*



February 20, 2019 at 10:15 AM

AW

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



April Whittle - February 20, 2019 at 08:45 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Adam Willard.



February 19, 2019 at 11:46 PM



“ I would like to share a story. When Uncle Gary moved to Crest Manor in the early 80s. Adam and I was at the playground, I was throwing rocks towards the woods. I told him to move so I didn't hit him. Needless to say I did hit him right in the head, he began to bleed all over his head, I was so upset that I hit him that I ran home and hid in my room crying my eyes out. Every time I saw him that was the story I always remind him. He always smiled and said something humorous to downplay me. He will be missed by so people. RIP Adam Willard

Bill willard - February 19, 2019 at 10:34 PM



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Bill willard - February 19, 2019 at 10:31 PM

AW

“ My little brother Adam could never be replaced. He was "that guy" the one with a loving heart and smile and a hug that could never be forgotten. Adam was the glue that could peice together any problem. With gracious words and positive words, made so many people stop and think. Is he an angel here on earth???? His smile was the first thing to see when he walked into a room. Followed by a loving squeezing heartfelt hug. No matter the circumstances. Adam was very logical and still continued to proceed to fix a problem if there was one. His love,hugs and genuine man that he was will never be forgotten.

April Whittle - February 19, 2019 at 10:16 PM

BW

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Bill willard - February 19, 2019 at 10:29 PM

SH

Words seem so small at a time like this. May God give you and your family extra stength and comfort in your time of griief and sorrow. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you. Your Rochelle family, Sandy Hall and Chad Hall

sandy hall - February 20, 2019 at 07:38 PM

CH

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in this very difficult time.

Ollie , Sarah, Cecil , Oren and Dakota Hamilton

Cecil Hamilton - February 21, 2019 at 08:45 PM



April, you are so right. His beautiful smile and his genuine hugs are what I will remember most. He was a true treasure. Love, Patti

Pat Bouck - February 22, 2019 at 08:33 AM



Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. The mangrum family

Mary Mangrum - February 22, 2019 at 10:48 AM

JR

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Willard and Vierling family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Your CBC of Pevely family,

Jodi Redman

Jodi Redman - February 19, 2019 at 10:12 PM



IW

“ He was so kind and so patient and he loved his kids more than he loved anything.

Ingrid Wright - February 19, 2019 at 09:28 PM