



Michael Leon Wilson

September 27, 1950 - March 6, 2025

Michael Leon "Pappy" Wilson, age 74 passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, March 6, 2025, surrounded by family.

Born in Danville, IL on September 27, 1950, to the late Paul Revere & Lethel Anna Viola (Johnson) Wilson, Michael enjoyed a fulfilling life. As a youngster, Michael was able to travel with his parents and siblings, going to several states, but Colorado was one of his favorites. He later graduated from Georgetown High School (Georgetown, IL) 1967.

After retiring from Tee Pak in Danville, Illinois, following over forty years of dedicated service, he moved to Pickens, South Carolina. In his retirement, he cherished spending time with his beloved family. He also enjoyed days at the lake, fishing, camping, and relaxing with his dogs, Copper and Auggie.

Michael is survived by his four children: Michelle Wilson Smith of Charleston, South Carolina; Mitchelle (Jennifer O'Dell) Wilson of Pickens, South Carolina; Matthew Wilson of Oakwood, Illinois; and Marcus (Amanda Hopper) Wilson of LaGrange, Georgia. Known as "Pappy" to all, he took great pride in his 14 grandchildren and one great-grandson. He is also survived by three of his nine siblings: Jerry (Anne Wilson (Danville, IL); Pauline (Claude) Osborne (Milton, FL); and William (Charity) Wilson (Danville, IL); and several nieces & nephews.

He will be deeply missed by all.

Palmetto Cremation Service is assisting the family at this time.