



Tommy Gilbert

January 15, 1940 - November 26, 2015

Tommy Gilbert, of Lexington, TN passed away Thursday morning after a lengthy illness. He was 75 years old. He traveled all over the U. S. and internationally as a champion pro-wrestler. He held many, many championships during his long tenure.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Peggy Gilbert; his daughter, Kim Peters (Trent), of Baldwin, MS; his son, Doug Gilbert (Melissa), of Lexington; his brother, Bobby Gilbert (Evelyn), of Jackson; his grandsons, Casey & Cody (Hannah) Wood, his great grandchildren, Sydnie, Eddie and Stephanie.

He was predeceased by his son, Pro-Wrestler Eddie Gilbert, his parents, Arlie & Ruby Gilbert, and his mother and father-in-law, Margie & W. J. Davis.

Funeral services will be Saturday, November 28th at 2 PM at Reed's Chapel in Lexington with burial to follow in Lexington Cemetery.

Visitation will be Friday 4 PM – 9 PM and Saturday 9 AM until service.

Pallbearers serving will be Police Chief Roger Loftin, Asst. Chief Barry Roberts, Commander Jeff Middleton, David Stanhope, Robbie McCready and Josh Box.

Cemetery Details

Lexington Cemetery

Natchez Trace Drive
Lexington, TN 38351

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 27. 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

GF

“ Greg Franklin lit a candle in memory of Tommy Gilbert



Greg Franklin - November 28, 2015 at 07:47 PM

LB

“ Our dear friend Peggy, Larry and I are so sorry for your loss. Know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Remember you will have many yrs of memories and people who care about you and will be there for you. God Bless, Lucy and Larry Butler.

Lucy and Larry Butler - November 28, 2015 at 02:23 PM

JB

“ Jeff And Michelle Bowles lit a candle in memory of Tommy Gilbert



Jeff and Michelle Bowles - November 28, 2015 at 11:35 AM

JB

Peggy, so sorry for your loss.

Jeff and Michelle Bowles - November 28, 2015 at 11:36 AM

LC

Peggy and family.. I am so sorry you lost your loved one. He was one in a million and will certainly be missed. Love to all and prayers.

Linda Cabler - January 06, 2016 at 08:49 PM

JF

“ *John ,Mike Gilliam, and Carol Denisiuk and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Tommy Gilbert.*



John ,Mike Gilliam, and Carol Denisiuk and Family -
November 28, 2015 at 09:56 AM

DH

“ *My deepest condolences for the loss of a husband and father and friend of many. I had the wonderful experience of meeting and talking to Tommy twice; once in Lexington TN and again in Burns TN. The Gilbert family and friends will be in my thoughts and prayers*

DALLAS HARALSON - November 28, 2015 at 04:55 AM

CM

“ *My deepest sympathies to the family. Tommy was a wonderful friend for many, many years. I will miss him terribly. You have left a lasting impression on a lot of people. Rest in peace. Carolyn Minga*

Carolyn Minga - November 27, 2015 at 09:37 PM

DW

“ *Debbie Wright lit a candle in memory of Tommy Gilbert*



Debbie Wright - November 27, 2015 at 03:36 PM

RS

“ Praying for your family!!



Rhonda Sanders - November 27, 2015 at 11:02 AM

LH

“ Lisa Hart sent a virtual gift in memory of Tommy Gilbert



lisa hart - November 27, 2015 at 09:03 AM

DD

“ Donna Darrough lit a candle in memory of Tommy Gilbert



Donna Darrough - November 27, 2015 at 08:10 AM

SW

“ SUSAN WHITE-SHUFFLIN lit a candle in memory of Tommy Gilbert



SUSAN WHITE-SHUFFLIN - November 27, 2015 at 02:20 AM

SW

My deepest sympathy to the family.

SUSAN WHITE-SHUFFLIN - November 27, 2015 at 02:20 AM

BW

Tommy, I will miss you but never forget you. You was a good friend and a worthy opponent in the ring. You and Eddie was the first matches with Ken and myself. I still have the video tapes and watch them ever so often. Ken and Eddie was just getting started in wrestling and you gave Ken good advice and he always said how much it meant to him to have you and Eddie as friends. We are going much to soon and to fast.

Buddy Wayne - November 28, 2015 at 11:11 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Tommy Gilbert.*



November 26, 2015 at 08:53 PM