



## Lewis E. "Wimp" Williamson

May 26, 1931 - July 23, 2018

Lewis "Wimp" Williamson age 87, of Sardis, OH passed away Monday July 23, 2018 at Ohio Valley Medical Center in Wheeling, WV.

He was born May 26, 1931 in Fly, OH, the son of the late Lewis C. and Emma Merckle Williamson.

He was married to Wanda Bouch in 1950 and they kept the vows they gave to God by becoming as one. They were pretty inseparable. He and Wanda did a lot of traveling, seeing many landmarks, parks, and such. They were in 46 of the 48 original states. Wimp always took his hat off when he crossed the state line. He was Ohio proud.

Lewis was a hard worker, as a boy, he helped farmers, and after graduation, worked at Rittman Box Board, Construction, PPG and worked 35 years at Conalco, and was a member of USWA Local # 5760.

Lewis was a sports fan and took time to play with his children and help manage Little League, Pony League, and Legion baseball.

He attended Sardis United Methodist Church and was an active member teaching young adults, serving on committees and helped the Manna program.

Next to his wife, yes, before her, he loved God and missed few services.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Michael Williamson and a brother, John Williamson; and his in-laws.

Survivors include his wife of 67 years, Wanda Bouch Williamson; three sons, David (Teri) Williamson of Kill Devil Hills, NC, Larry Williamson of

Middlebourne, WV and Mark Williamson of Sardis, OH; one daughter, Elaine Williamson of Sardis, OH; two sisters, Carol Beaver of Sardis, OH, and Marilyn Boyer of Dundus, OH; good brother-in-laws, Larry Boyer and Ken Beaver. He loved all eleven grandchildren; fifteen great-grandchildren. He had many great friends at #5760 retirees, relatives, fine neighbors and church people. Everyone who knew Wimp, loved him.

Family will receive friends Thursday from 2-4 pm and 6-8 pm at Grisell Funeral Home 37234 Mound St. Sardis, OH with services being held at Sardis United Methodist Church Friday at 1 pm with Jim Miller officiating.

Interment will follow in Sardis Cemetery.

Contributions can be made to Sardis United Methodist Church Manna Program 37240 Fifth Ave. Sardis, OH 43946.

# Cemetery Details

## Sardis Cemetery

State Route 255  
Sardis, OH

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 26. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Sardis  
37234 Mound Street  
Sardis, OH 43946  
(740) 483-1302  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

JUL 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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37234 Mound Street  
Sardis, OH 43946  
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## Funeral Service

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JUL 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

Sardis United Methodist Church  
37240 Fifth Ave.  
Sardis, OH

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Martha Forrester lit a candle in memory of Lewis E. "Wimp" Williamson*



Martha Forrester - July 26, 2018 at 11:50 AM

MR

“ *So sorry for the family. I didn't know him personally but had Mark, his son, and Bobby Beaver in class at Sardis Elementary. They were great kids, so I know of "Wimp's" influence upon them. You look so much like your dad, Mark!*

Marilyn Riggenschach - July 25, 2018 at 08:41 PM

DF

“ *Deron & Tracey Farnsworth and Families purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Lewis E. "Wimp" Williamson.*



Deron & Tracey Farnsworth and Families - July 25, 2018 at 08:04 PM

MF

“ *Mary Valentine & family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Lewis E. "Wimp" Williamson.*



Mary Valentine & family - July 25, 2018 at 12:12 PM

PN

“ Williamson Family, my deepest sympathy on the passing of Mr. Williamson. He was a friend of my Father, and I always enjoyed visiting with him and his wife at the retirees dinners. God does not make any finer person as your husband, father, great and great-great grandfather, etc. The older generation had a work ethic that is missing today. I am sorry I will be unable to come to the funeral home due to previous commitment, but you will be in my thoughts and prayers. In Christian Love, Pandora

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Pandora Neuhart - July 25, 2018 at 07:15 AM

FM

“ My deepest sympathy to the families I worked at Conalco / Ormet with David



Fred McDonald - July 24, 2018 at 03:27 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lewis E. "Wimp" Williamson.



July 24, 2018 at 12:40 PM



“ *Three Cross Throw was purchased for the family of Lewis E. "Wimp" Williamson.*



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July 24, 2018 at 12:37 PM