



Mr. Larry Andrew McCoy

March 22, 1952 - December 3, 2025

Larry Andrew McCoy transitioned to his eternal home on December 3, 2025. He was 73 years old at the time of his passing. He resided in Durham, NC, but Fayetteville, NC was always his home that he so deeply loved.

Larry was born on March 22, 1952, to the late Neil and Novella McCoy. He was the knee baby out of the 11 siblings. He was born in Fayetteville, NC, where he lived most of his life. He was a very good friend to so many, and he never met a stranger wherever he went. He will be sincerely missed by all who know him. Larry loved eating a good home cooked meal, listening to music, spending time with loved ones, and he loved his sports. Football was his favorite sport. Larry was a die-hard Carolina Panthers fan. He also really enjoyed attending his grandson's sporting events, from football, basketball, and baseball, and he made sure he never missed a game.

Larry attended the Cumberland Country School System. He is a graduate of E.E. Smith High School, Class of 1971. Where he played football and in 2024 was inducted into the E.E. Smith Alumni Sports Hall of Fame for being part of the 1968 Co-Championship Football team.

Larry was a hard worker and worked at various places in Fayetteville. He worked at Healy wholesale and Texfi Industry for most of his career and retired from Cumberland County Department of Social Services (DSS) as a

Custodian Supervisor. He was also employed at the Greyhound Bus Lines where he loved sharing his smile and meeting people as they traveled.

Larry loved the lord and dedicated his life to Christ. He was a member of St. Paul Full Gospel Church and later moved his membership to The Advance Church where he attended when he visited Fayetteville. While in Durham he attended World Overcomers Christian Church faithfully. Everyone who knew Larry and saw him saw his sweet smile; he loved to dance and would help in any way he could. Now, when we hear a song, we will always remember him snapping his fingers and moving to the beat in his heart and that sweet, sweet smile.

Larry leaves to cherish his precious loving memories, his daughter, Paula Hargrove, his son-n-law, Kenneth Hargrove, grandson, Ethan Hargrove, all of Durham, NC who he lived with until his passing. Three siblings: Patricia Moore (Don) of Michigan, Linda McCoy of Fayetteville, NC, and Roger McCoy (Linda) of Michigan; A very Special Friend: Benita Smith of Fayetteville, NC. A host of nieces and nephews; a special thank you to his nieces Sabrina and Ameka, and many other relatives, friends, and the Perry and Hargrove Family who loved him dearly.

Larry is predeceased by his parents; Neil and Novella McCoy; and 8 siblings.

Previous Events

Viewing

DEC **14**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Colvin Funeral Home Chapel
2010 Murchison Road
Fayetteville, NC 28301

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Colvin Funeral Homes & Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Larry Andrew McCoy*



H. M. Colvin Funeral Home - December 12, 2025 at 12:34 PM

CM

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Curtis McNeill - December 14, 2025 at 07:06 PM

PA

Wow.. Thank you... Thank you for this memory. I have saved this and will add it to his photo album.

Paula - December 17, 2025 at 03:27 PM

DM

“ *Don, Pat & Marlana purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Larry Andrew McCoy.*



Don, Pat & Marlana - December 12, 2025 at 07:53 PM

KL

“ My Condolences to the family Karvellis Lee

Karvellis Lee - December 11, 2025 at 07:44 PM

MN

“ Sending condolences& prayers to Mr. MCcoy family,he will be missed at the Senior Center in Durham,he was sooo much fun and well loved and always love to dance 🕺RIP Larry!

Melissa Nunn - December 11, 2025 at 07:14 PM

PA

Thank you Melissa. He loved the center and enjoyed going. He thought this was his job and would say every Friday, they didn't give me my check...lol. I would just laugh and say for real Larry.. lol

Paula - December 17, 2025 at 03:26 PM

YL

“ Sending condolences! Love Doug, Yvette and Diante' Lyons!

Yvette Lyons - December 10, 2025 at 11:13 AM

PA

Thank you Lyons...:-)

Paula - December 17, 2025 at 03:26 PM

PH

“ Larry met no stranger. My family adopted him and loved him like their own. He was forever smiling and dancing to the song in his heart. And he loved family. Larry you will be forever in our hearts. I love you and it was an honor to see your smile every day. Love your daughter. I love you.

Paula Hargrove - December 09, 2025 at 07:37 PM

AD

*Paula and the McCoy family , you all have my deepest sympathy 🌸
🙏 I will surely miss Larry smiling! Just another soldier gone home ❤️*

Ann Dawes - December 13, 2025 at 04:43 PM

DH

*“ Larry was a very very fun and happy uncle he
will truly be missed nobody will never take
D103 FM and say it like him*



Deborah Hawkins - December 09, 2025 at 07:19 PM

SB

*“ Larry was a great Uncle. He brought much
love, laughter and fun to our family. He was
admired by all, he never met a stranger.
Everywhere he went he was greeted with
pleasantries and smiles! He will always be
remembered with LOVE! Uncle Larry we will miss you but we won't
ever forget you! Get your well deserved REST!*



Sabrina Briggs - December 09, 2025 at 09:18 AM

EJ

*“ Elder John L & Cynthia G Johnson lit a candle
in memory of Larry McCoy*



Elder John L & Cynthia G Johnson - December 09, 2025 at 06:54 AM

PA

Thank you Elder John and Cynthia. This candle will burn forever in his memory.

Paula - December 17, 2025 at 03:25 PM

CM

“ I have known Larry since 7th grade at Washington Dr and we graduated from E E Smith 1971. Larry was quite gentle man he will be truly be missed. RIP

Curtis McNeill - December 08, 2025 at 10:00 PM

PA

Thank you, Curtis, for your tribute. It brings a smile to my face to see the message for my dad.

Paula - December 17, 2025 at 03:22 PM