



Charles James Withrow

April 27, 1922 - July 30, 2011

Services for Mr. Charles James "Candy Jim" Withrow", age 89 of Lindale, are scheduled for 7:00 PM on Tuesday evening, August 2, 2011 in the Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Efrem Collins officiating. Private Interment will be in the Lindale City Cemetery. Mr. Withrow died on Saturday, July 30, 2011 in the Hospice Homeplace in Tyler. He was born on April 27, 1922 in North Hampton, Massachusetts to Samuel Lewis & Ruth Edgerton Withrow and moved to Lindale in 1946 where he owned & operated the Lindale Candy Company for 54 years. Candy Jim was a veteran of World War II serving in the United States Army and was a member of the Lindale First United Methodist Church and the Lindale Masonic Lodge #848. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ruby Withrow, Step Sons, Alvin Sebring and R.W. Sebring, Step Daughter, Peggy Sebring McDaniel Smith, and Sister and Brother-In-Law, Mary Jane and Wiley Martin.

Mr. Withrow is survived by his wife: Mrs. Lillian Garner of Ben Wheeler, grandchildren: Michael Sebring, Harold Sebring, Tony Sebring, Ronald Wayne Sebring, Johnny Sebring, Shawn McDaniel, Rhonda Weith, and Kay Compton, step-children: Claude Garner, Frank Garner, David Garner, Brian Garner, and Susan Drebes. Numerous great and great great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews including, Charles Martin and Ruth Buchanan. Honorary pallbearers will be customers of the Lindale Candy Company, Masonic Brothers and the Garner Family.

Family will receive friends from 6:00 PM until 7:00 PM service time on Tuesday evening at the Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale.

Tribute Wall



“ Charles James Withrow

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ Charles James Withrow

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ I first met Mr. Jim at the office where I worked. He and Mrs. Lillian were such a delight, and Mr. Jim never ceased to make me smile. I count myself blessed to have met him. Lillian and family I pray God comforts you with his presence.##imported-begin##Sandy Thompson##imported-end##

August 09, 2011 at 03:08 PM



“ Such a wonderful man. He asked my Dad, Jack Turner, to hand make a broken part for one of his candy machines. The machines were too old to buy parts for. He gave Dad loads of candy many years after that and we would visit his shop as well to make special purchases. May Jim Rest in Peace and my heartfelt prayers to ALL of his family.
In Christian love,
Mati'##imported-begin##Mati Turner-Fager##imported-end##

August 07, 2011 at 07:24 AM



“ Jim was such a special person to our family. Jim was kind enough to bring his van all the way to Houston because we had taken my dad Tommy to md Anderson and Jim thought dad would be more comfortable. He was a special one of a kind person and I will pray for you and your family during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Amanda Terry venerable##imported-end##

August 03, 2011 at 11:02 PM



“ Brian and Family, My prayers are with you during this difficult time. I only met Jim once, but through you have seen the great amount of love and respect you had for him. I don't know the words to say to help to ease your pain, but know I am keeping you all in my prayers! And always know, I am here for you! Love ya much!
Susan##imported-begin##Susan Tanner##imported-end##

August 02, 2011 at 04:50 PM



“ Jim,
Thanks for all the good times and all the great memories. Will miss you greatly.##imported-begin##Janell Gallegly##imported-end##

August 01, 2011 at 08:52 PM



“ Jim -Thanks! You never tried to replace our father, or let us forget who he was! You did however, fill a void.
I will miss our frequent conversations, and your unique take on life! Most I miss the happy feelings you brought to my family, especially my mom.I remember everyday what a child or animal does when it first wakes up! Jim it was a pleasure, I will miss you.##imported-begin##Brian Garner##imported-end##

August 01, 2011 at 11:13 AM



“ Jim came into our lives after suffering the loss of our father. I feel that God gave him to us to help heal that pain. He was a wonderful man, wonderful husband, friend, and soulmate to my mother. I am glad that you are now at peace. Know that you will always be remembered with much love and admiration. Jim I will always remember that that slice of bread always has two sides!##imported-begin##Susan Drebes##imported-end##

July 31, 2011 at 09:53 AM