



# James Pete Wrigley

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It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of James Pete Wrigley, a devoted husband, loving father, proud grandfather and great-grandfather, and loyal friend, who passed away peacefully on October 3, 2025 at the age of 78.

Born on September 8, 1947 in Indiana, James was a man of quiet strength, steady presence, and a sharp, warm sense of humor that lifted the spirits of everyone around him. He lived his life with integrity, humility, and a deep devotion to his family — always showing up, always standing strong, and always knowing how to make you smile, even in the hardest moments.

He was the rock of his family — dependable, protective, and full of wisdom. Whether you needed advice, a helping hand, or just someone to listen, he was there without hesitation. James shared a life full of love and partnership with his beloved wife, Shirley Wrigley, for 53 years. Their bond was one of true companionship — built on love, laughter, and a lifetime of shared memories.

He was a proud and supportive father to Melinda Riggs and Amonica Wrigley, a grandfather whose stories and jokes brought joy to four grandchildren, and a great-grandfather who always had a twinkle in his eye for his 9 little ones. His legacy lives on in every hug shared, every lesson passed down, and every smile he inspired.

He had a way of making people feel safe, seen, and loved. His laughter filled rooms, his advice grounded us, and his presence brought peace and comfort like no other. He is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Shirley Wrigley, his two children: Melinda Riggs and Amonica Wrigley; four grandchildren: April Joseph (Hayden), Sabrina Daniels, Ashlie Hall (Joshua), and Dillon Arnold (Ashley); and nine great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Dorothy Wrigley and his sister, Samantha.



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A celebration of life will be held on October 10, at 10 AM at Spring Hill First Baptist Church in Longview, TX.



## Events

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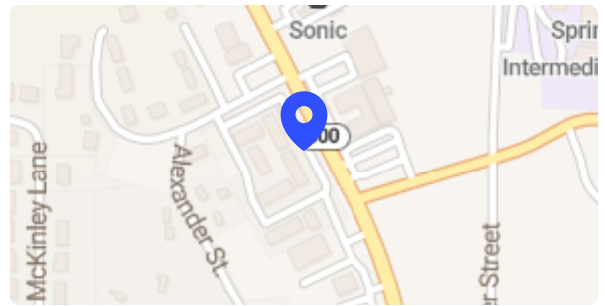
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### Celebration of Life

 **Friday**, October 10, 2025

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

 **Spring Hill First Baptist Church**  
4001 Gilmer Road, Longview TX





## Tribute Wall

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**Kayla Mcdowell & Family** sent a Days of Sunshine Bouquet to the Wrigley family.

October 10 at 5:06 AM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of James.

October 9 at 11:09 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Wrigley family.

October 9 at 11:09 AM



**Rick & Stacy Messenger And Nancy Annette** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wrigley family.

October 9 at 5:37 AM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of James.

October 8 at 12:54 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Wrigley family.

October 8 at 12:54 PM





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**Cyndy Huggins** posted:

Kenneth and I both thought a lot of Pete. I enjoyed working with Pete many years and always knew he'd have a kind word. He was such an inspiration when Kenneth was diagnosed with cancer and was so good at checking on him. Pete will always have a special place in my our hearts. We love you, Shirley, and family. He was also a wonderful Pawpaw ☐

October 7 at 8:31 PM



**Stephanie Osteen** lit a candle in honor of James.

Pete was an amazing man, always made you feel cared for and was a super husband to Shirley. My prayers are with you Shirley and Your family. Gid bless

October 7 at 6:17 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Magnificent Life Spray to the Wrigley family.

October 7 at 9:22 AM





## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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