

IN LOVING MEMORY

Daniel "Danny" Allen Willis

SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 - MARCH 24, 2025





*Celebration of Life*

4 p.m., Friday, March 28, 2025

Munden Funeral Home, Morehead City, NC

Officiated by The Rev. Ashley Simpson

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**OPENING PRAYER**  
Rev. Ashley Simpson

**"ANDANTE CANTABILE" (SONATA OP. 14)**  
Carolyn Meadows

**EUGLOGY**  
Rev. Ashley Simpson

**WORDS OF REMEMBRANCE**  
Jeremy Turnage

**TRIBUTE VIDEO**

**"THE OLD RUGGED CROSS"**  
Ryan Baysden

**CLOSING PRAYER**  
Rev. Ashley Simpson

**"AMAZING GRACE"**  
Carolyn Meadows

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Daniel "Danny" Allen Willis, 69, of Beaufort, North Carolina, passed away at his home Monday, March 24, 2025.

Born on September 1, 1955, in Morehead City, North Carolina, Danny was the son of the late Mary Lillian Smith of Morehead City. He grew-up in the "Promise Land" section of Morehead City and spent countless hours in his youth fishing and enjoying the waters of the Crystal Coast.

Married for 34 years to Joy Knox Willis, they enjoyed various activities together including coaching local sports teams, NASCAR racing, and working on his vintage Mustang.

Although retired from Carteret-Craven Electric and Pepsi Co., Danny spent his retirement years outdoors working with his family's landscaping and tree service overseeing crews and mentoring younger employees.

Danny is survived by his wife Joy, his son Adam Daniel Willis (Christian), a daughter from a previous marriage Toni Marie Willis, a stepson Jeremy Paul Turnage (Ellen), a sister, Mary Beasley of Elizabeth City, NC and five grandchildren Jordan, Junuh, Alex, Alyssa, and Ellie.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be sent to Crystal Coast Boots & Badge which supports local First Responders c/o 892 Hwy 70, Otway, NC 28516.

Family and friends are welcome to submit online condolences at [www.mundenfuneralhome.net](http://www.mundenfuneralhome.net).

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**May the road rise to meet you,  
may the wind be always at your back,  
may the sun shine warm upon your face,  
and the rain fall soft upon your fields  
and until we meet again,  
may God hold you in the palm of His hand.**