



## Larry "Hodgie" Barber

March 5, 1948 - December 20, 2012

Larry "Hodgie" Barber - Age 64 of Nashville. December 20, 2012. Preceded in death by his parents, Dick and Lassie Barber; brothers, Hollie, Roy, and Jerry; sisters, Shirley, Judy, Mary, and Jake. He is survived by his wife, Pam Barber; children, Sandy Rush (Tom), Kevin Barber (Liz), Jeremy Barber (Allison), and Jennifer Barber; grandchildren, Ashley and Jason Tallent, Zachary and Jeremiah Barber; brothers, Sam, Pete, Donnie, and Bubba Barber; sisters, Sandra Bobbitt, Sally Bobbitt, Diane Kyle, and Doris Barber; numerous nieces and nephews. Much loved husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend. He was a Teamster and former business agent for Local 480. As a child he worked as the score keeper at Sulfer Dale Ball Park. Visitation at Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home Saturday from 12-8pm and Sunday from 10am-8pm. Service Monday at 10:30am, Johnny Parrish officiating. Interment at Spring Hill Cemetery. Family and friends to serve as Pallbearers.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Larry "Hodgie" Barber*

October 14, 2022 at 08:02 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss*

**Cathy O'Neal Proctor** - December 25, 2012 at 12:51 AM



“ *Larry was one of the boys. He was always there for you. He was a real good friend and I will miss him.*

**Don Felts** - December 24, 2012 at 02:31 PM



“ *An old friend will be sadly missed. We'll play football again in the courtyard of heaven.*

**William Bennett** - December 23, 2012 at 11:40 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to Larry Barber's family for their loss of a great man, kind soul and wonderful spirit. Larry Barber 'Popa Cat' IS the man everyone loves. He could fit in, talk to anyone, in any kind of setting. Pops brought everyone together, with his internal wisdom and kindness to everyone that walked in his life. He always reminded me to tell my dad I loved him on every Fathers Day - that's the kind of person Popa Cat was to me. I will always be grateful I was lucky enough to cross paths with Larry and share some amazing times with him across the country. I will always love and miss you Pops.*

**Justin Nofal** - December 23, 2012 at 04:28 PM

RB

“ So sorry for your loss. I know I'm probably not wanted to be seen at the funeral home by most in the Barber family. Please accept my sincere condolences.

Rose Phillips Brocius - December 23, 2012 at 03:12 AM

TJ

“ praying for the BARBER family,so sorry to hear about larry,i will miss talking to him on facebook,he would always ask about my brother jerry,we grew up in north nashville with the BARBER family,and my brother jerry worked with him at ups,

TOLRDO [BYRD ] JACKSON - December 23, 2012 at 12:46 AM

ML

“ My deepest condolence. His memory and spirit will live on - Miss ya Pops!

Melissa Lacey - December 22, 2012 at 11:49 PM

DC

“ Pam & kids brothers and sisters our prayer's are with you. He was my Best Friend he always had my back and told me so. He was great at any thing he done,he talk a lot about family coming up as a kid how hard times were but he said you no it made me strong. So my friend we will miss everything about you. Love you Hodgie but you new that.

Don and Cookie Cherry - December 22, 2012 at 10:32 PM

KH

“ Larry was well respected as a teamster and friend. He will sadly be missed by his UPS family.

Kevin Hamm - December 22, 2012 at 07:55 PM

KB

“ What do say aboutt about someone who was. Once the love of your life and part of your life for over 50 years without offending his current family. I guess  
Coould sum it u by saying hat i told  
our granddaughter. ourgranddaughter,Ashley,when she asked a couple of years ago if her granddaddy was a good man and I told her,yes,he was agood man. I will miss him. He gave me teo wonderful children tat I know he loved and was proud of,

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**Kathy barber** - December 22, 2012 at 04:57 PM

BH

“ We are so saddened by the loss of our dear friend/"brother". There are so many great memories of Hodgie. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with Pam and all of his family.

*Much love from Bobby and Lori and family*

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**Bobby Hooberry** - December 22, 2012 at 03:53 PM

PS

“ Sally,  
So sorry to hear about your brother. Thoughts & prayers are with you from our house.

*Love Ya,  
Pam & George*

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**Pam Sell** - December 22, 2012 at 03:46 PM

SD

“ Our thoughts and prays go out to the family. He will be greatly missed by all his friends from UPS. Such a Great Guy.

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**Sherrie & Ricky DeBow** - December 22, 2012 at 03:37 PM

MO

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to you all.*

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**Mary Owens-Jakubowski** - December 22, 2012 at 02:07 PM

BW

“ *So sorry to hear of Hodgies passing. When Hodgie started to driving it didnt take long for him fit right in with the guys. He always kept you laughing and guessing,whats next? He was great co-worker and freind.*

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**Bill Wauford** - December 22, 2012 at 01:56 PM

DC

“ *Pam,kids,family Hodgie was loved by all. He was Superman to me he always had my back for 30 years.He as always trying to help someone any way he could.My last words to him was I love you brother. RIP*

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**Don and Cookie Cherry** - December 22, 2012 at 04:44 AM

LG

“ *Dear Pam,  
My heart goes out to you and the kids. I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Just know Hodgie is in a better place today.He was a great guy and I know he loved you and his family with all his heart. He was a good man. He will be missed by everyone who had the great honor of knowing him.  
May God with with you through these next few months while adjusting to his absence in your life. Call me if you ever need to talk. I won't be able to attend the services since I will be in Gulf Shores with Amy and her family for Christmas. Just know that I love you. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Linda Allen Gunn*

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**Linda Allen Gunn** - December 22, 2012 at 03:45 AM

BD

“ I'll never forget when Hodge and Sam drove all the way to Hartsville when my mother died. The big ox hugged me until I couldn't breath. I loved being with him and Roy and Jerry playing cards. They felt like my brothers. I hope they hold a chair open.

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**Bruce Day** - December 21, 2012 at 11:30 PM

MC

“ my thoughts and prayers are with you. i considered hodgie a good friend.

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**mike crecelius** - December 21, 2012 at 11:18 PM

JP

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Jerry & Mary Preston** - December 21, 2012 at 11:00 PM

JP

“ Going to miss you "POPS"!

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**Jean Pierre** - December 21, 2012 at 10:07 PM

KT

“ There will never be another Pops! You're greatly missed.

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**Kevin Tankersley** - December 21, 2012 at 09:27 PM

TV

“ I am very sorry for your loss...Tim & Kristin VanDeGejuchte

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**Tim VanDeGejuchte** - December 21, 2012 at 08:54 PM