# ABIE KELLY, JR.

July 6, 1947 - May 20, 2012

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#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Abie Kelly, Jr. died on May 20, 2012 at Dorn VA Hospital after a battle with lung cancer. One of eight children, he was born on July 6, 1947 to the late Abie and Evelyn Roberts Kelly. He is survived by one son, Brandon and an adoring granddaughter, Madison, both of Easley, SC. They were the center of his heartbeat. Surviving siblings: Claudette Tribble (AL), Carolyn Loretta Hinson (Elgin, SC), Pat Alemi (MD), Gene Kelly, Terry Kelly and MaryGail Douglas, all of Winnsboro. Abie was predeceased by a brother, Spencer Kelly.

Abie loved his family and friends. His greatest pleasure was to bring joy and laughter to whomever was around. He was truly a "people magnet."

Services will be at First Baptist Church, Winnsboro, SC (1373 Newberry Rd, 29180) on Thursday, May 24, 2012 at 2 p.m. with burial to follow in First Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends in the church sanctuary two hours prior to the service.

Abie loved the benefit motorcycle rides for disabled and special needs children. He was truly a Harley enthusiast. His most recent new love was his volunteering at Duncan Chapel Elementary School as a Book Buddy. In lieu of flowers, your gift in Madison's honor to Duncan Chapel Elementary School, 210 Duncan Chapel Rd, Greenville, SC 29617, for the Book Buddy Program, would honor Abie's memory and his life.

### **FUNERAL**

Thursday May 24, 2012, 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church Click for Map and Directions

#### VISITATION



#### **FACTS**

Born: July 6, 1947 Death: May 20, 2012

Place of Death: Dorn VA Medical Center

Occupation: Elevator Mechanic Hobbies: Harley Davidson

## **GUESTBOOK**

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Memorial donations can be made to:

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Thursday May 24, 2012, 12 - 1:45 p.m. at First Baptist Church

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**BURIAL** 

Thursday May 24, 2012 at First Baptist Church Cemetery

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