



Walter Delmar Barnett

October 15, 1945 - September 30, 2025

Walter Delmar Barnett, 79 of Louisville, passed away Tuesday, September 30, 2025.

Walter was born October 15, 1945, to his late parents Mary (Mattingly-Markwell) and Estill Barnett. He is also preceded in death by his wife Patricia Ellen (Cason) Barnett; three sisters, Blanche, Bessie and Annie; three brothers, Jimmy, Louis and Junior.

He has worked 54 years as a forklift operator and a truck driver for the Vogt Vault Company.

Survivors include his four children, Keisha Wafart (Jacob), Terry McAllister, Dennis McAllister and Rocky McAllister; a sister Irene Reed (Denny); two brothers, Jack Barnett and Russell Barnett (Peggy), seven grandchildren, many great grandchildren and granddogs Melody and Abby.

Visitation will be 11:00 -8:00 Saturday and funeral services will be held 4:00 P.M. Saturday at the Owen Funeral Home 5317 Dixie Hwy.

Cemetery Details

Cremation to Follow

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Homes - Dixie Highway
5317 Dixie Highway
Louisville, KY 40216
(502) 447-2600
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Service

OCT 4. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ I will always remember Walter walking on his hands up and down the stairs. Playing baseball in the field and someone I will keep nameless breaking a window and we all ran as fast as we could to Moms. Going on a Sunday drive passed a place that was full of adults who were swinging and not so together. You got out of the car and looked over the wall, came running jumped in the car and said lets get out of here. Stopping by Moms for lunch and having a bologna sandwich. Bringing her vases that have been thrown away. We all are going to miss you but we will always have our memories. Say hi to our loved ones until we meet again.

Janet - October 05, 2025 at 12:34 PM

MG

“ Many great memories with my Buddy Walt. I will always be grateful for the generosity and kindness he should to me and the wisdom he shared with me. Rest in peace 🙏 my friend.

Martin Greenwell - October 03, 2025 at 03:33 PM

TF

“ Teresa Barnett While and family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Walter Delmar Barnett.



Teresa Barnett While and family - October 03, 2025 at 01:58 PM

TW

“ I came to Vogt Vault 32 years ago; my first real office job out of college. Walter couldn't wait to correct me on all the things I was doing wrong. With him being the same age and having the same disposition as my dad and me having the same name as his beloved Patty, we were destined to become friends. I sealed the deal by giving him haircuts, baking him chocolate chip cookies and marrying his coworker. We were Vogt Vault family. I left there 29 years ago but Walter always got his cookies and I always got that smile out of him whenever I would show up. I'm going to miss seeing that smile. I know you are happy to be reunited with Patty.

With Love dear friend,
Tricia Washer

Tricia Washer - October 03, 2025 at 10:19 AM

HW

“ Henry and Debbie Ward planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Walter Delmar Barnett.

Henry and Debbie Ward - October 02, 2025 at 04:04 PM

HW

“ Henry and Debbie Ward purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Walter Delmar Barnett.



Henry and Debbie Ward - October 02, 2025 at 04:04 PM

HW

“ I've know Walt for 15 years and I counted him as a good friend. We spent time discussing a lot of subjects from history to religion. Walt really enjoyed watching history documentaries as well as watching Friday night wrestling with his daughter, Keisha and her family! He was always ready to help me in my job, making it easier for me. He was a great guy!

When my daughter Ellie died, he honored me by attending her visitation and funeral.

Walt told me he loved God and that meeting his wife in heaven was his ultimate desire.

It was an honor to have known you old friend. Rest in peace Walt.

Henry Ward - October 02, 2025 at 03:57 PM

KB

“ I was fortunate enough to work around Walter some over the last 7 years. He was a really great guy. Always kept you laughing with some of the stories he had. He was a great worker and always gave good advice. He will be missed. R.I.P. Walter.

Kevin Brooks - October 02, 2025 at 02:21 PM

JH

“ I've known Walter all my life remember when I was little I'd always keep a eye on him because they told me he was going to get me I'm going to miss you buddy 27 years of working beside you and you always had a good way of making a bad day good R.I.P buddy you were one of a kind

Joshua Hoskins - October 02, 2025 at 06:15 AM

AR

“ We will miss you Walt I remember when I came to Vogt 4years ago you treated me like I belonged as apart of the family always nice and welcoming. What I really appreciate is the love and kindness that you showed to my kids when I brought them to work . We love you and we will miss you



Ian said rest in paradise friend it is a great pleasure to have gotten to know you and become close with you. He appreciates all your guidance and love you showed him.

Anna Ian Lexi and Zara

Anna Richie - October 01, 2025 at 07:48 PM

TW

“ My childhood is filled with memories of Uncle Walter. He had a kindness about him that was unmistakable. I'm positive his brothers and sisters were there to welcome him home. Sending prayers of love and light to his children and grandchildren.



Teresa Barnett While - October 01, 2025 at 06:49 PM

HW

“ Walter was a friend of mine, we would take about the good old days, I'll miss him. Henry

henry wafart - October 01, 2025 at 06:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Walter Delmar Barnett.

October 01, 2025 at 03:57 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Walter Delmar Barnett.



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