



Larry Adams

May 12, 1948 - September 11, 2025

Larry Adams, age 77, of Forrest City, died Thursday, September 11, 2025, at his home in Forrest City. He had been in poor health for the past several months.

Larry was born May 12, 1948, in Forrest City, and was the son of John Lloyd Adams and Martha L. Gunn Adams Watson. He lived in Forrest City most of his life, retired in 2016 as an engineer for the Waxler River Boat Company, and was a martial artist.

Larry is survived by his mother, Martha L. Watson of Forrest City, one daughter, Angela Jones, and husband, Allen, of Forrest City, four sons; Dustin Adams, and wife, Jessica, of Forrest City, Alex Adams, and wife, Amanda, of Colt, James Melton of Wynne, and Steven Melton, and wife, Jennifer, of Forrest City, twenty-six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel, 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, with burial in Forrest Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday, 6:00 till 8:00 P.M., at Stevens Funeral Home. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may log on to stevensfuneralhome.net for the online registry.

Cemetery Details

Forrest Park

Hwy 1 South
Forrest City, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Stevens Funeral Home
220 North Washington
Forrest City, AR 72335
(870) 633-5400
info@stevensfuneralhome.net
<https://www.stevensfuneralhome.net/>

Funeral Service

SEP **16**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Interment

SEP **16** (CT)

Forrest Park
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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Adams.*



September 16, 2025 at 01:27 PM



“ *Angela Crippen lit a candle in memory of Larry Adams*



Angela Crippen - September 16, 2025 at 12:45 AM



“ *Love Billy & Tracey purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Larry Adams.*



Love Billy & Tracey - September 15, 2025 at 05:11 PM



“ *Love Billy & Tracey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Adams.*

Love Billy & Tracey - September 15, 2025 at 05:11 PM

SH

“ I'm sooo sorry for your loss. The world has lost a great man. He will forever be missed. Sending prayers up for you all.

Shannon - September 15, 2025 at 12:06 PM

SH

“ 1 file added to the album *Pictures of Larry*



Shannon - September 15, 2025 at 11:48 AM

TA

“ I just heard of Larry’s passing. I am so sorry for your loss, my thoughts and sincere condolences are with the family.

Larry, was a dear friend to me, he was my first martial arts instructor in Forrest City Arkansas at the National Guard Armory back in early 1972. I attended his school for several months before transferring to Memphis. Larry was a great mentor for me during my martial arts training and as an instructor. We visited one another continuously at martial arts tournaments throughout the region through the 1970s and early 80s.

Larry was a special guy he was a great driver, mentor and a lot of fun to be with. I lost touch with Larry during the 90s and beyond while I moved to Missouri. But recently re-connected and he still was that outstanding person, that I just love sharing stories and conversations with.

Again, I would like to express my heartfelt condolences to the entire family for your loss. Larry will be greatly missed by everyone, as he was such a true outstanding person.

Tommy Andrews



Tommy Andrews - September 15, 2025 at 07:56 AM

SF

“ Scott Gunn and Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Larry Adams.



Scott Gunn and Family - September 14, 2025 at 09:31 PM

SF

“ Scott Gunn and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Adams.

Scott Gunn and Family - September 14, 2025 at 09:31 PM

DA

“ I miss my friend and send prayers for his family. I have many memories of fun times from when we younger. Dale Andrews

Dale Andrews - September 14, 2025 at 09:12 PM

DG

“ I remember when Larry whipped Chuck Norris at EACC. Larry had him in the floor blubbering. Chuckie came to town with a chip on his shoulder. Larry was liked by everybody (except Norris)
Larry always treated me like a friend

Douglas Gray - September 12, 2025 at 05:56 PM