



James S. Wright Jr.

July 16, 1966 - March 5, 2026

COLEBROOK – It is with great sadness that the family of James S. Wright, Jr., 59, of Colebrook, announces his sudden and unexpected passing on Thursday, March 5, 2026, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital.

He was born on July 16, 1966, in Concord, N.H., the son of the late James S. Wright, Sr., and Katherine (Carr) Downs.

Over 30 years ago he started his own family in the north country. He was a craftsman; a man of many talents and hobbies including forging, carpentry, painting and building model cars. He was so proud to show off his latest masterpiece.

James was a devoted husband, father and grandfather. He is loved and survived by his wife and best friend, Liz Wright; son Michael Palmer, and wife Ashley; daughter Katie Bourassa, and husband Aaron; daughter Kristina Wright, and fiancé Jayson; son James Wright III, and wife Maru; and grandchildren Bruce, Carter, Nick, Jade, Lucien, Tucker and Avery. He will be truly missed by them all.

There are no public calling hours. The family will have a celebration of life on a later date.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 18. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Monadnock Congregational Church (services online bit.ly/ColebrookMCC)

147 Main St

Colebrook, NH 03576-3069

(603) 237-4980

This is a pot luck gathering and anyone is welcome to contribute a dish. Bring your memories to share.

Tribute Wall



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of James S. Wright Jr..



April 16 at 08:26 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James S. Wright Jr..

April 16 at 08:26 AM



“ So very sorry for your loss.
Barbara Welch

Barbara Welch - March 20 at 07:55 PM



“ Debbie Bedard lit a candle in memory of James S. Wright Jr.



Debbie Bedard - March 19 at 05:45 PM

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“ Arnold Rowe lit a candle in memory of James S. Wright Jr.



Arnold Rowe - March 08 at 12:39 PM

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Missed working with him at the Tillotson glove Mill, IGA and bumping into him around town. He was kind as a good person should be. He will be remembered by the Lord up above.

Arnold Rowe - March 08 at 12:42 PM

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“ Erica, Pete, Kylie & Dylan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of James S. Wright Jr..



Erica, Pete, Kylie & Dylan - March 08 at 06:40 AM



“ Rita Donnell lit a candle in memory of James S. Wright Jr.



Rita Donnell - March 07 at 06:56 PM

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“ So very sorry to hear this he was a kind and decent man

Kim Bennett - March 07 at 03:58 PM



“ *My condolences to the family.. my husband and I will miss seeing you in our travels*



Christina Cushing - March 07 at 03:35 PM



Liz so sorry for your loss keeping you and family in my prayers

Dawn Taylor-Dion - March 07 at 04:07 PM