



## William Lee Easterling, Sr.

April 26, 1932 - May 21, 2019

William "Lee" Easterling, Sr., 87, of Summerville, husband of the late Marylyn Fleming Easterling, passed away on Tuesday, May 21, 2019 at Village at Summerville.

Family and friends are invited to attend his visitation Saturday, May 25, 2019 from 6 o'clock to 8 o'clock at James A. Dyal Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Sunday, May 26, 2019 at 2 o'clock at Bethany United Methodist Church Spell Chapel, 118 W 3rd St., Summerville, SC 29483. Burial will be on Tuesday May 28, 2019 at 10 o'clock at Elmwood Memorial Gardens, 501 Elmwood Avenue, Columbia, SC 29201. A memorial service will also be held on Sunday, June 2, 2019 at 2 o'clock at The Village at Summerville, 201 W 9th North Street, Summerville, SC 29483.

Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to a charity of one's choice.

Lee was born on April 26, 1932 in Barnwell, SC, son of the late Eugene Mayson and Mabel Alderman Easterling. He graduated from Dreher High School in Columbia, SC. He received his BS in Chemical Engineering from University of South Carolina and later attended University of Delaware where he received an MBA. He served in the US Navy for 2 years. After living in several states up north, the Easterlings gave away their snow shovels and

made Summerville, SC their home in 1983. Lee volunteered with his wife at Middleton Place giving Garden tours.

Survivors are: one son: William "Bill" Lee Easterling, Jr. (James "Jim" Tice) of Columbia; sister in law: Martha Brown Easterling of Greenville; brother in law: Astor B. Fleming, Jr. (Catherine) of Brunswick, GA; and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to his wife and parents he is predeceased by daughter: Virginia "Anne" Easterling; siblings: Emily Anne Easterling Leitner and Eugene Mayson Easterling, II.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at [www.jamesadyal.com](http://www.jamesadyal.com).

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483 (843)873-4040.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **25.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

James A. Dyal Funeral Home  
303 S. Main Street  
Summerville, SC 29483  
(843) 873-4040  
<https://www.jamesadyal.com>

## Service

MAY **26.** 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethany United Methodist Church - Spell Chapel  
118 W. 3rd S. Street  
Summerville, SC 29483

## Graveside Service

MAY **28.** 10:00 AM (ET)

Elmwood Cemetery  
501 Elmwood Avenue  
Columbia, SC 29201

# Tribute Wall



“ James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William Lee Easterling, Sr.



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**James A Dyal Funeral Home** - May 24, 2019 at 03:23 PM

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“ I doubt that you will see this since it has been several years since Lee passed away, but I worked with Lee at NCDOL in Winston-Salem for about 5 years. He was such a joy to be with and a very capable and competent co-worker. Lee loved to tell often corny jokes and was always quick with a smile and a friendly greeting. I have nothing but fond memories of Lee. Keith Murphy

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**Keith Murphy** - August 25, 2023 at 11:26 AM



“ William Lee Easterling, Sr.

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September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM

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“ To the Easterling family, my heartfelt sympathy goes out to you for your loss. I weep with you (Romans 12:15). May you find comfort in knowing that your dear one is safe in the memory of God , who will remember every detail about him and with the work of his hand, bring him back to life again. (Isaiah 25:8)

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**Kay Richardson** - May 23, 2019 at 12:31 PM

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“*Kate Miller lit a candle in memory of William Lee Easterling, Sr.*



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**kate miller** - May 23, 2019 at 05:52 AM