



## William Robert Lange Sr.

January 22, 1933 - November 12, 2019

Greer, SC – William Robert Lange, 86, of Greer SC, passed away on Tuesday, November 12, 2019. He was the widower of Edna Louise Lange. Born in Meriden, Connecticut, he was the son of the late Emil Lange and Esther Bauchmann.

Mr. Lange's occupation was Sr. Printed Circuit Designer/CAD Operator in the manufacturing industry. He was also a track official with USATF, he helped with the Special Olympics and Boy Scouts (he himself was a former scout who made the rank of Order of the Arrow). He loved gardening and woodworking. Was a former member of The First United Methodist Church of Wallingford and a member of the Memorial United Methodist Church of Greer. Mr. Lange was a BIG fan of the UCONN Huskies Women's Basketball Team.

Mr. Lange is survived by his daughters Dawn (John) Schimelfanick and Karen Lange, son; William Lange Jr., grandchildren; Kristin and Scott Schimelfanick as well as many other family and friends.

The memorial service will be held Saturday, November 23, 2019 at 11:00 AM at Living Waters Funeral Home and Crematory; 529 Spartanburg Hwy. S. Lyman, SC 29365.

Condolences may be left at [www.livingwatersfh.com](http://www.livingwatersfh.com)

Living Waters Funeral Home & Crematory  
Lyman



# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Living Waters Funeral Home and Crematory  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Track & Field community's thoughts and prayers are with all in the Lange family. He was such a great mentor to all of us. Such an inspiration as well to be so active and to share all his knowledge with us who were blessed to have worked alongside him. I will personally miss our time early in the mornings before the meet and listen to him talk about his family and his new items he had made at home. He was so proud of his family and this showed as he talked. I will miss all his hand made implements that he came up with to assist us at meets and his instructions. He was a genius to me to have made these and I valued every input he gave me.*

*Valerie Beesley Sykes*

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**valerie beesley sykes** - November 22, 2019 at 10:42 PM

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“ *Dawn & John,  
Sorry to hear the loss of your dad.  
Kathie & Walt Damm, Leland, NC*

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**kathie damm** - November 22, 2019 at 09:49 PM



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“ Dawn & Karen - Bill (and Edna too) will always be in my heart with wonderful memories. Bill's quest in finding his ancestors was non stop and he was so infatuated with family past and present that one had to enjoy listening to him tell about his discoveries. Edna and I were friends for many, many years and I was so very honored to be asked to be Karen's Godmother. Many wonderful dinners were had at their table and they were both always a joy to be with. Our sympathies are with you all as well as our prayers. Also, thank you so much for all the wonderful photos. I so enjoyed seeing every one of them.  
Love, Grace



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Grace A. Lange-Way - November 21, 2019 at 02:58 PM



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Living Waters Funeral Home & Crematory - November 20, 2019 at 10:51 AM

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“ *Good thoughts and prayers for the Lange family. I worked with Bill at a number of college and youth track meets. He was a positive influence on all those around him. We miss him.*

*George Illingworth*

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**George Illingworth** - November 20, 2019 at 09:37 AM