



## Estill Ray Dummitt

July 13, 2008

Conway...Estill "Ray" Dummitt, age 66, of Waccamaw Lakes Drive, died Sunday, July 13, 2008 at the Medical University of South Carolina. Rev. Dummitt was born in Baltimore, MD, a son of the late Emory Estill and Agnes Marie Armstrong Dummitt. Rev. Dummitt was pastor at First Apostlic Church on Forestbrook Road. He worked with the Youth Advocate Program with Horry Georgetown Youth Advocate Program, Inc. Rev. Dummitt was a US Air Force Veteran. He was owner and operator of Waccamaw Seamless Gutters. Surviving are his wife Sharon Dummitt of Conway; three sons, Danny Dummitt, Darren Dummitt both of Seattle, Washington and Dean Akers of San Antonio, Texas; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; three brothers, Gene Dummitt of Kentucky, Bill Dummitt and Rodney Dummitt both of Ohio; one sister, Patricia Garherdt of Florida. A memorial service will be held 1:30 PM Saturday from First Apostlic Church on Forestbrook Road with the Rev. David Kelly officiating. Burial will be private. Family requests no flowers. Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ Ray. Thinking of you today as it is your Birthday. Tomorrow will be 1 yr. since you passed away. You are thought of each and every day and you sve people to God even after your death. James Akers, Brendas son id getting baptized today, says he wants be like You, Dean, Bill, and rest of family who have given them selves to God. Love&Miss You Pat&Jim###imported-begin###Pat Gerhardt###imported-end###

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July 12, 2009 at 07:33 AM



“ It's been nine months, & I'm missing you like crazy! Everyday I think about the days we spent together & the "I like fast Papaw" memories! I wonder everyday if you & your grant granddaughter would of had the same grant memories! When I see the way Grandma looks at Alivia & the laughter they share, I can see your face appear! I think the most important thing is that you got to see her face before you choose to see it everyday from above! Love & Miss You Daily! Your 1st Granddaughter###imported-begin###Andrea###imported-end###

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April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I can't imagine you being gone..... even though it's been three months. I CAN image you being in heaven. I know you're free of pain, I know you're perfectly happy, singing on the streets of gold. I love you forever. I'll miss you till I get there. Love, Carla.###imported-begin###Carla Dummitt###imported-end###

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October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Papaw, Papaw you have been the greatest person in the world to me. I could not have asked for a better person to come into my life as you and mamaw have. I will always and forever love you GOODER!!! I will never forget all the memories that we had made together.##imported-begin##Brianna Lampkins##imported-end##

August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I am sorry i was unable to make it for the memorial.Uncle Ray I loved you and Aunt Sharon very much.I know you are in Gods company now.Sharon I will always be here if you need someone to talk too. Leeanne Daniels##imported-begin##Leeanne Daniels##imported-end##

August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ God had Ray's wings ready for him. He will forever remain in our heart.##imported-begin##william eastman##imported-end##

July 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon and family, and my dearest neighbor Pat: My deepest synpathy to all of you. You are all in my prayers as is Ray. Had the good fortune of meeting Ray at Pat's wedding and wished I had the chance to get to know you both better. May God bless you all. He will give you all the strength and love to get through the days ahead.##imported-begin##Sandra Mallory##imported-end##

July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Uncle Ray was a wonderful person,uncle,and preacher. I will miss him very much. To may Aunt Sherron, I will always be here when you need me and want to talk like you have always been for me. I love you and will be thinking of you and praying for you.##imported-begin##Jessica Montgomery##imported-end##

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July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, my memories of Ray are many but the one i cherish most was his love for you and the boys. He loved God and waited for this day a long time and he is finally in " The Master's Hands". I am here if you need to talk or just let go. I love you Loretta##imported-begin##Loretta##imported-end##

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July 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, You know that I love you and you can call or come talk to me anytime night or day. I like to think that Ray is now talking with Mom about what he could not find to say about her at her services. Come when you are ready. Love always##imported-begin##Coletta Jo##imported-end##

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July 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sorry for your loss. You will be missed greatly. love gene and aunt red##imported-begin##Gene & Aunt Red Looney##imported-end##

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July 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I love you very much. You were like a dad to me. I will always remember all of the precious memories that we shared with you and mom. You truly were an example of what you preached. Heaven has gained a precious Jewel. You will be forever in our hearts. One day we will see you again. Mom, Darren, Danny & Dean I love you and will keep you in our prayers. Love, Donna May

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July 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Dad? This is not a time for sorrow, sadness or a heavy heart. For it is a time of great rejoicing for our salvation has been bought. This is not a time for hurting, disappointment or sorrow. For this is a time of great thanksgiving for we know who holds tomorrow. This is not a time for tears, or in our grief to run and hide. For this is a time you lived for, this cannot be denied. This is not a time to question and fill the heavens with endless whys. For this is time of great peace, that's why the tears fill my eyes. This is not a time of loss, all though it surely could appear to be. For this is a great understanding, your now forever alive in me. Danny

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July 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. I was shocked to hear the news about Ray through Sue. Ray is in a better place now with the Lord and someday we will all be reunited with him. I still remember the time we were at your home with Shannon and Sue. You are special Sharon and take care. Ginny

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July 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, you and the boys, have my Heartfelt sympathy. I have many memories of Ray that I treasure. I loved to hear him sing "I Can't Complain". He was a great man, who lived what he preached, and he will be missed greatly by all who knew him. Love you very much.##imported-begin##Ruth Looney##imported-end##

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July 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Aunt Sharon, I will never be able to express in words the great respect and admiration I have for Uncle Ray. I will miss him always.##imported-begin##Eric Dummitt##imported-end##

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July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I LOVED YOU WITH ALL MY HEART... YOU WERE THE ONLY UNCLE THAT I DIDNOT EVER HAVE AN ARGUMENT WITH. I WILL ALLWAYS CHEERISH THE TIMES I SPENT WITH YOU ON OAKWOOD DRIVE, FOR THESE WERE SOME OF THE BEST CHILDHOOD MEMORIES I HAD. AUNT SHARON., YOU KNOW HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU, AND I AM ONLY A PHONE CALL AWAY.DANNY AND DARREN..... THOUGH WE HAVENOT SEEN EACH OTHER IN QUITE SOMETIME, MY HEART IS FILLED WITH SADNESS FOR YOU. I AM HERE IF YOU NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO. MY BABY BROTHER DEAN, I KNOW THAT YOUR HEART ACHES , BUT I KNOW THAT YOU WILL BE THE STRONGEST OF EVERYONE. FOR YOU KNOW THAT GOD HAD A REASON. I LOVE YOU ALL VERY MUCH. UNCLE RAY WILL ALWAYS BE ALIVE IN OUR HEARTS FOR THE FACT THAT HE WAS A GOOD MAN THAT EVERYONE LOVED AND STILL DOES.##imported-begin##BRENDA SUE##imported-end##

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July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, you & your family are in our prayers. I was deeply saddened to read of Ray's passing. He was a wonderful man of great morals and values. He has gone home, but, someday we will all walk with him again. What a glorious day that will be!##imported-begin##Scott & Lori Thompson Monica, Stephen, Lorna, Diana, Brenda & Katrina, Clara, & Hanna##imported-end##

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July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, I want to sent my prayers and thoughts to you at this time of sorrow. As I read the notice in the Chronicle Telegram I thought back to my time with Ray at Sears. He was one who taught a young kid how to work on cars and gave me a stong ethic on how to treat fellow workers. I still use Ray's example of treating people who work under me as my rule book. I also thought of the help he gave me trying to teach me wood working. I am still not very good at it I never had his patience but I have often thought of Ray when I am doing a wood working project around the house. I know that Ray is rejoicing with our Lord. And someday soon we too will have that opportunity. May God strengthen you, may God give you peace, may God make you smile when you think about Ray...he is with God smiling now. Sincerely, Ron Hill##imported-begin##Ronald Hill##imported-end##

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July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon, as I was driving back home I had time to reflect on my memories of Ray. I wanted to let you know that one of the strongest thoughts that kept coming to mind was listening to preach and sing. I can honestly say that evening though I have not heard him for a long time now; I can still picture him on the pulpit in Elyria. He was also one of the family members that I would look forward to seeing at the reunions. I enjoyed playing golf and horseshoes with him as well. I know that he will be missed tremendously by everyone that knew him.##imported-begin##Scott Looney##imported-end##

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July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I only had the privalege of knowing you a few short months,,but I know you were a wounderful and truly devoted person.It was an honor having you as a brother-in-law. Pat and I will miss you very much.....Jim##imported-begin##James Gerhardt##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sharon we were so sorry hear about Ray. There are no words that can take away the hurt and sorrow. Only the Lord can comfort us. You and Ray have always had a special place in our hearts. We are praying for the Lord to comfort you and your family in your time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Gary and Kay Merryman##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ my sympathy goes out to and yours on the lose of your loved one.##imported-begin##james gerhardt##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ 1 Corinthians 15:20-22 But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man. For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive.##imported-begin##Chaplain CPT Dean Akers##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ We want to send our condolences to Sharon and the boys. More than 20 years ago, we purchased our home on Chamberlain Rd. in Grafton from the Dummitts. Though we have not seen you in many years, we still think of you and send your our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Maggie Kelch##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ SHARON YOU ARE IN OUR PRAYERS. WE ARE SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS, BUT YOUR LOSS IS HEAVEN'S GAIN. WE CONSIDER YOU PART OF OUR FAMILY AND IF THERE IS ANYTHING WE CAN DO WE WILL DO IT.##imported-begin##LIZ AND BOB LONG##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ May we extent our condolences to the Dummitt family. Surley Ray will be missed by all. Mel & Barb##imported-begin##Mel & Barb Zapotosky##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ SHARON, YOU MAY NOT REMEMBER US BUT I WORKED WITH RAY AT SEARS FOR SEVERAL YEARS AND I HAVE OFTEN THOUGHT OF RAY. I CAN TELL YOU I ALWAYS HAVE HAD THE UTMOST RESPECT FOR RAY. WE ARE DEEPLY SADDENED TO HAVE READ OF RAY'S PASSING. THE DUMMITT FAMILY'S LOSS IS TRULY "OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST'S" GAIN.##imported-begin##DOUGLAS & CAROLYN VARNEY##imported-end##

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July 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Papaw you will forever be missed! Alivia and I will always be your angels here on earth! Now that you are the son you've always wanted to be, make sure you keep good hands on Mamaw and your great-grandbabies! For now we'll need your help more than ever! Love you Papaw!##imported-begin##Andrea Dummitt##imported-end##

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July 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ RAY WAS MY BROTHER IN LAW IN NAME BUT IN MY HEART HE WAS MY BROTHER AND HE WILL ALWAYS HAVE PLACE IN MY HEART AND I WILL MISS HIM VERY MUCH LOVE YOU RAY##imported-begin##janice evens##imported-end##

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July 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ he was well loved will miss him, we are all praying for his family, love you sister sharon dummitt,##imported-begin##rosilee d butler##imported-end##

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July 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Our hearts are heavy with sorrow in the passing of Ray, A great BROTHER but full of many wonderful happy memories of a great person that will never leave our hearts. He was a great man who lived for God. Sharon we will always be here for you and the boys. Love, Rodney and Becky###imported-begin###Rodney and Becky Dummitt###imported-end##

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July 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you Aunt Sharon. I know Uncle Ray is probably playing golf and telling jokes in paradise right now.###imported-begin###Aaron Dummitt###imported-end##

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July 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Papaw, I love you with all my haert. You will be in my dreams and heart forever. I will miss you so much. I will do everything I can for Mamaw.###imported-begin###Mary Beth###imported-end##

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July 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I loved you very much...Thanks for always being there for me.... Your sister.And ill be here for Sharon,and she has a place with me when ever she wants it.Pat###imported-begin###Patricia Gerhardt###imported-end##

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July 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM