



## Gary C. Fort, Sr.

July 20, 1948 - February 23, 2010

NORTH MYRTLE BEACH... Mr. Gary Cameron Fort, Sr., age, 61, of Little River Neck Road passed away Tuesday, February 23, 2010 at Seacoast Medical Center.

Mr. Fort was born July 20, 1948 in Charleston, West Virginia, a son of the late Gerald Fort and the late Virginia Eleanor Buckner Fort. He was a member of the Wampee Baptist Church and a US Army veteran serving in the Vietnam War. Mr. Fort was predeceased by one son: Gary Cameron Fort, Jr. and one sister: Arberdeen Pullen. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, son and friend to all who knew him. He was best known as "muskrat." He is survived by: his wife: Ruthie Fort of North Myrtle Beach, four children: Cathy Bush and her fiancé Paul Snider of Florida, Michael Searls and his fiancé Michelle Lubs of North Myrtle Beach, David Searls and his fiancé Angela Burton of North Carolina, and Andrew Searls Fort of North Myrtle Beach, two brothers: Randy Evans and Vernon Fort, both of West Virginia, and 7 grandchildren.

A private memorial service will be held at a later date with Pastor Michael Vipperman officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be sent to Wampee Baptist Church, 9530 Highway 90, Wampee, SC 29566.

# Tribute Wall



“ He was a True Man. He always walked with the truth in his heart, and love in his sole. He will be missed by the young and old. He always had a smile & wave for everyone. He was just our Gary.##imported-begin##Son Jia R. Nance##imported-end##

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March 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Gary was a great man. He was always willing to go out of his way for anyone. He will be missed.##imported-begin##Brian, Theresa, and Ian Shipley##imported-end##

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March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Ruthie,  
I am so sorry to hear about your husband and Andy and Nicki's grandfather. Please know that I have had all of you in my thoughts and prayers. Please tell Andy that I send him a special hug. I send my love.

Gail Horton##imported-begin##Gail Horton##imported-end##

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March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Ruthie,

*Our family was truly saddened to hear the news of Garys\' passing. We will truly miss our porch visits and chats we had with him during our stay.*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Kay and Bill Shipley and family##imported-end##*

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February 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Ruthie,

*I was so very sorry to learn of your husband\'s death. You & your family are in my thoughts & prayers at this time & in the days to come. Please give my love to Andy & Nikki.*

*Love,*

*Amanda Earnhardt##imported-begin##Amanda Earnhardt##imported-end##*

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February 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so very sorry to hear about Gary\'s passing. I always loved Gary dearly. I pray for you all.##imported-begin##Lori McCown Thornton##imported-end##*

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February 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *you will be missed  
love taylor##imported-begin##taylor robinson##imported-end##*

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February 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ we will always remember gary we loved him very much...##imported-begin##DEBBIE BOBBY& KIDS##imported-end##

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February 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ you all are in our thoughts and prayers. we will miss muskrat..i feel fortunate to talk gary last week since it was our last conversation together. take care and we will be in touch. god bless you all.##imported-begin##steve and kim lee##imported-end##

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February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Ruthie and Family,  
Our love and prayers are with you. We wished we could be there for you all. If you need anything just let us know.  
Judy Buckner  
Mike Buckner  
Gene Buckner  
Loretta and Bill Naylor##imported-begin##Loretta Buckner-Naylor##imported-end##

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February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ We love you. You will always have a place in our hearts.##imported-begin##Sandra & Bert Fort##imported-end##

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February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ I miss you deeply.##imported-begin##Gregory Fort##imported-end##

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February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Ruthie, so sorry to hear about Gary. You and family are all in our hearts.

Steve Rodeheaver,  
Bill (Sweet) Haynes##imported-begin##Steve  
Rodeheaver##imported-end##

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February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT GARY MY HEART AND PRAYERS GOES OUT TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS##imported-begin##KEN HUNLEY##imported-end##

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February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Ruthie and Family,

I have so many fond memories of Gary and your family, you are in my heart and prayers. May God bless you and keep you during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Teri Motley##imported-end##

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February 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Erin and Meredith are special people to me and their family follows right behind. I will always remember growing up with them and Ruby and Tugboat being such an important part of their lives.##imported-begin##Tracy Wheeler Anderson and Steve Anderson##imported-end##

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December 05, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Erin and family, Please know that your friends are all thinking of you and praying for your family during your time of loss. We wish that we could be there to support you, but you are always in our thoughts. Beth, Kara, Sean, Leslie, Renay, Jane, Karen, Nancy, & Michelle##imported-begin##Friends at Wren High School##imported-end##

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December 05, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ We are thinking of you at this time and wanted you to know how much Sarah thought of "Tugboat". Our prayers are with you during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Lynn and Lindsey Ethridge##imported-end##

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December 04, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Mrs. Muirhead-- I will always carry happy memories with me of you and your husband in our various activities at First Baptist Church. May God Bless You and Your Family! Much Love, Vicki##imported-begin##Victoria C. Buresch Vicki Cox##imported-end##

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December 04, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our Deepest Sympathy... Floyd and Marie Repec*##imported-  
begin##Marie Repec##imported-end##

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December 04, 2003 at 12:00 AM