



## Gerard Van Houtte

February 19, 1946 - June 28, 2014

Conway... Gerard "Jerry" Van Houtte, age 68, passed away Saturday, June 28, 2014.

Jerry was born in Charleroi, Belgium a son of Margarethe Van Houtte and the late Henry Van Houtte. He retired from the U.S. Navy after 20 years of service, serving two tours in the Vietnam War. Jerry also played soccer in Spain for three years for the Navy. He was employed with the U.S. Postal Service for nineteen years before retiring in order to care for his parents. Jerry was a member of Brown Swamp United Methodist Church.

Surviving, in addition to his mother of Conway, are one sister, Monique Glowacz and her husband Ted of Conway, one brother, Fred Van Houtte and his wife Diane of Conway, his nieces and nephews, Vanessa Jodoin, Freddy Van Houtte, Jr., Jason Van Houtte, Renee Taylor, and Lisa Hill, one great niece, Kayla Taylor, and two great nephews, Preston and Keith Van Houtte.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM Wednesday, July 2, 2014 at Brown Swamp United Methodist Church with Rev. Jo Anna Fallaw officiating.

Committal services, with military honors, will follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6-7 PM Tuesday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Brown Swamp United Methodist Church, 4725 Hwy 501 West, Conway, SC 29526.

Please sign an online guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is serving the family.



# Cemetery Details

## Brown Swamp United Methodist Church Cemetery

4725 Highway 501 West  
Conway, SC 29526

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

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4725 Highway 501 West  
Conway, SC 29526

# Tribute Wall

CJ

“ *By chance, is this the same Gerard P. Van Houtte as in thr picture taken 40years ago?*



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chrysalis jaleco - January 27, 2019 at 07:59 PM

DN

“ *Bonsoir,  
Je ne sais pas pourquoi tout d'un coup j'essaie d'entrer en contact avec Gérard. Nous étions trois amis Gérard, Mario et moi, Noël. Et puis Gérard est parti vers l'Amérique et nous avons perdu sa trace. Je pense que plus de 50 ans après il n'y a que Monique qui puisse me reconnaître et me répondre. Souvenir :Pregherro de Adriano Celentano. Monique je ne sais plus en quelle année on s'est revu et j'aimerais savoir ce que tu es devenue depuis si longtemps. J'espère te lire bientôt. Avec toute mon amitié et de bons souvenirs.*

*Noël.*

*noel.dethaey@outlook.com*

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De Thaey Noël - November 16, 2016 at 02:13 PM

AB

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Please accept my deepest sympathy. May you find comfort from your memories, as well as God's word the bible. Why do people we love die? Romans 5:12 says: "That is why, just as through one man (Adam) sin entered into the world and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men because they had all sinned." How loving of God to promise what is found at Revelation 21:4 which says, "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.”

A. Bell - July 15, 2014 at 04:57 PM



Are you a JW? 😊

Monica Jaleco - June 10, 2024 at 10:47 PM

WU

“ RIP Sailor and Vietnam Vet !!!!!



Wayne Williams - USMC - July 05, 2014 at 11:09 AM

BC

“ JERRY WAS ONE OF THE BEST PEOPLE I HAVE EVER HAD THE PLEASURE TO MEET ,HE WAS SO HUMBLE, HE WILL BE MISS BY ALL ,RIP MY FRIEND. BRENDA COLBURN



BRENDA COLBURN - June 30, 2014 at 10:55 AM