



John W. Ray

August 10, 1948 - November 30, 2016

Myrtle Beach...John W. Ray, age 68, passed away unexpectedly at his home on Wednesday, November 30, 2016.

Mr. Ray was born August 10, 1948 in Aynor, SC, a son of the late Dave and Lorene Ray. He was a member of Christ United Methodist Church and was an accountant with the accounting firm of Holbert and Holbert, PA in Myrtle Beach for the past 50 years. He enjoyed working out at Gold's Gym in Myrtle Beach, where he was a member for the past 30 years. He also loved traveling, going to the beach and spending time with his family. Mr. Ray was a member of the Myrtle Beach Masonic Lodge # 353 and the Omar Shrine Club. Mr. Ray graduated from Aynor High School in 1966 and had just recently celebrated his 50th class reunion. He was also a member of the inaugural graduating class of Horry-Georgetown Technical College, where he studied accounting.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Ray was predeceased by his younger brother, Terry.

Surviving are a son, John David Ray of Myrtle Beach, his sister, Faye R. Bradham of Conway, two brothers, Charley Ray (Dianne) of Conway and Jerry Ray (Alice) of Aynor, three nieces, Becky Hubbard, Barbie Bradham and Jenn Parker, a nephew, Joey Ray and his business partner of 50 years, Windle Skipper.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel with Pastor Jeff Dunn officiating. Burial will follow in

Aynor Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM Friday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be sent to Christ United Methodist Church, 2901 Fantasy Way, Myrtle Beach, SC 29579.

Please sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com <<http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>>

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Aynor Cemetery

99 Jordanville Road
Aynor, SC 29511

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel
608 Beaty Street
Conway, SC 29526

Funeral Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel
608 Beaty Street
Conway, SC 29526

Tribute Wall

JM

“ There was one part of tax season that I actually looked forward to. That was the chance to come and visit with Mr. Ray. I was usually in his office for a couple of hours, but very little of that time was spent talking about taxes. He always had a kind word, warm smile and good advice. He was a longtime family friend. Deeply saddened by this news.
- John Marlow and Family



John Marlow - December 02, 2016 at 04:00 PM



“ 60 files added to the album Life Tributes



Goldfinch Funeral Home - December 02, 2016 at 03:04 PM

JW

“ John David, Thinking of you and remembering you in prayer. I'm so sorry for your loss.

Julia Wellons - December 02, 2016 at 02:05 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of John W. Ray.



December 02, 2016 at 09:02 AM



“ So sorry for your families loss! Prayers for all of you!

Rick Philemon - December 02, 2016 at 07:51 AM



“ So sorry for your loss . May God be there to offer his comfort and blessings. Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers.
Terry Bannan

terry bannan - December 02, 2016 at 07:50 AM



“ We were shocked and saddened to learn of JohnWayne's passsing. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Johnny and Rachel Allen

Johnny Allen - December 01, 2016 at 10:40 PM



“ So sorry to hear of John's passing! He was just at my father's funeral (Carrol Holshouser) on October 13th. John was such a sweet and compassionate man! He did my parents' accounting and tax returns for 30 years and he truly cared about them and our whole family. We will surely miss his sweet smile. Prayers for your family that God will grant you His Peace and Strength.

"Sam" Cox - December 01, 2016 at 10:23 PM

GO

“ Sorry to hear about your loss .I have always thought a lot of John. I remember when he was going to HGT.

George Oliver

George Oliver - December 01, 2016 at 05:56 PM

BB

“ John David,

My wife and I were so sad to hear of John's passing. I considered your Dad a good friend and I as sorry that I will not be able to attend his service as I will be out of town.

*Please let me know if there is anything that I can do for you.
Deepest Sympathy*

Bart & Lisa Buie

Bart Buie - December 01, 2016 at 01:25 PM

BY

“ i always like john his smile and friendliness to me. I am sorry to hear of this. god bless his family
bruce young

bruce young - December 01, 2016 at 12:52 PM

LA

Johnny ray Ray of sunshine your infectious simile and love of life will always be close In my heart! Cheers my friend

laura - December 01, 2016 at 10:17 PM

MB

“ John was always available with a helping hand and a smile, when needed. Sending our deepest sympathy to the family - he will be missed - and May He Rest in Peace.
Sincerely, Marcia and George Bovit

Marcia and George Bovit - December 01, 2016 at 12:33 PM

JA

“ To the family of John Ray!
My deepest sympathy.

Judy M. Allen - December 01, 2016 at 12:28 PM