



Rayford Haynes Pait

February 23, 1941 - February 29, 2020

Rayford Haynes Pait age 79, passed away Saturday, February 29, 2020.

Born in Bladenboro, NC and was married and lived in Hartsville, SC, he was a son of the late Ralph and Leola Pait. A resident of Surfside Beach for over 40 years, Rayford was a man of few words, loved to work and spend time with his family and friends, he also loved his fur babies Cocoa and Pepper.

Rayford was preceded in death by a brother, Horace Pait and a sister, Dorothy Johnson.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Carolyn Pait; children, Crystal (Paul) Groce of Bryson City, NC, Gary Pait (Elieser) of Miami, FL and Terry Pait (Lisa) of Fort Mill, SC; grandchildren, Melody (Joshua) Joyner, Chad (Alysia) Johnson, Paul (Alysaunde) Groce, Austin Pait, Ethan Pait and Olivia Pait; step grandchildren, Vanessa Groce, Jessica Groce, Stuart Swinford and Sarah Catherine Swinford; three great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; brothers, David Pait, Jerry (Betty) Pait, Phillip Pait and Mark Pait; sisters, Imogene Price, Rose Marinier and Phyllis (Freddy) Pait.

The family will receive friends from 5:00-7:00 PM Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel.

A graveside service will be held at 1:00 PM Friday, March 6, 2020 at Hester family Cemetery in Bladenboro, NC.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, PO Box 1000 Dept 142 Memphis, TN 38101-9908.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel
11528 Highway 17 Bypass
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576
<http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Rayford Haynes Pait*



Goldfinch Funeral Home - March 03, 2020 at 12:08 PM



Candice Stroud

“ *Rayford was a wonderful, caring man. He was always available to help my Mom. We have loved this family for so long. Our sincere sympathy and prayers are with you.*
Candice Stroud

Candice Stroud - March 09, 2020 at 12:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rayford Haynes Pait.*



March 09, 2020 at 09:07 AM

JG

“ We have lost one *VERY* special guy! Always happy & friendly - they just don't make many like him! We are terribly sadden & will always miss him - he was like family!

Carolyn - you are in our thoughts & prayers.

Jerry & Gaye Greene

Jerry Greene - March 05, 2020 at 05:21 PM

LW

“ Love David, Gina, and Nadine Whritenour purchased the *Country Basket Blooms* for the family of Rayford Haynes Pait.



Love David, Gina, and Nadine Whritenour - March 03, 2020 at 02:26 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of Rayford Haynes Pait.



March 03, 2020 at 11:04 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Rayford Haynes Pait.



March 03, 2020 at 09:07 AM

AP

“ *Angie Pait lit a candle in memory of Rayford Haynes Pait*



Angie Pait - March 03, 2020 at 06:01 AM

Amy Poe

“ *My prayers are for my brother-in-law Terri Pait and the family. Much love ❤️*



Amy Poe - March 02, 2020 at 11:03 PM

RS

“ *Rebecca Skinner lit a candle in memory of Rayford Haynes Pait*



Rebecca Skinner - March 02, 2020 at 06:38 PM

LE

“ *carolyn christie gary and terry my heart go out to you guys i know what you feel now but God will help you to come through this rayford and i were friends and worked together for over 20 years and he was a hard working man and a man of few words i will miss seeing him at hardees when he came home your whole family is in our thoughts and prayers God bless if i can help you know where i am love yall*

leroy - March 02, 2020 at 06:08 PM

BD

“ *Billy Dalrymple lit a candle in memory of
Rayford Haynes Pait*



Billy Dalrymple - March 02, 2020 at 03:00 PM