



Thomas Blake Rice

October 6, 1970 - December 28, 2013

Pawleys Island

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Blake Rice, age 43, died Saturday, December 28, 2013 at his residence surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Rockingham County, NC, Blake was a graduate of Coastal Carolina University. He loved the University of North Carolina and was an avid golfer and fisherman who also enjoyed spending time with his family. Blake is predeceased by his father Clifford Emerson Rice.

Survivors include his loving mother, Dottie Rice; brother, Clay (Lizzie) Rice, Columbia; nephews, Emerson and Turner Rice; aunt, Laura Jean King, IN; uncle, Ray Leal, GA.

A private family memorial service will be held. Friends are invited to attend a Time of Sharing at the home of Blake's mother at 5:00 PM Monday, December 30, 2013.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the American Cancer Society, 950 48th Ave N., Suite 101, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577, www.cancer.org/donate or to the Children's Home Society of North Carolina, PO Box 14608, Greensboro, NC 27415-4608, www.chsnc.org

Sign an online guest book at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries
Goldfinch Funeral Home, Pawleys Island Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

BR

“ *Dottie, I am sorry to hear of your loss. I did not know that Blake had cancer. Please know that I am thinking of you during this sad time.*

Sincerely,

Sara and Jerry Leonard, Charlotte, NC

Becky Ricks - December 30, 2013 at 10:48 AM

BR

“ *Dotti, I am deeply saddened to hear of your loss. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Sincerely,

Becky Ricks - Charlotte, NC

Becky Ricks - December 30, 2013 at 10:34 AM

TJ

“ *Teresa & James lit a candle in memory of Thomas Blake Rice*



Teresa & James - December 30, 2013 at 08:53 AM

JT

Blake you will always be in our hearts! We will miss you so much. Love you Blake. James & Teresa

James & Teresa - December 30, 2013 at 08:55 AM

SJ

“ To the family in their time of sorrow, the upright and blameless man Job expressed faith in the resurrection saying, in his intense suffering: “O that in Sheol (Hebrew, the grave) you would conceal me, . . . that you would set a time limit for me and remember me! If an able-bodied man dies can he live again? . . . You will call, and I myself shall answer you. For the work of your hands you will have a yearning.”—Job 14:13-15. Yes, please take comfort that our Creator longs to bring those in his memory back from the grave.

Sharon Johnson - December 29, 2013 at 09:38 PM

SL

“ Met Blake at TGIFridays in Myrtle Beach - sweet, wonderful guy and fun to be around. I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with the family. Sherry Lesley

Sherry Lesley - December 29, 2013 at 03:16 PM