



Ronald A. Hayes

March 11, 1946 - February 3, 2018

Ronald A. Hayes, 71, of Eltham, Virginia passed away February 3, 2018. He was a licensed Master Electrician who owned and operated his own electrical contracting business for 25 years.

Ronald was a devoted husband, father, grandpa and brother. He was dearly loved by his family and friends. He never met a stranger, and would talk to or try to help both stranger or friends in need. It seemed he knew someone almost everywhere he went. Serving was part of his nature. As a young man, he served his community proudly in the Mechanicsville Volunteer Fire Department and throughout his life he faithfully served his Lord in the church as a teacher, choir member and deacon. Ronnie had a passion for fishing, boating, hunting, gardening, grilling, history, NASCAR and cheering for the Washington Redskins. He loved laughing, debating, listening to oldies music, dancing with his wife and traveling (mainly to the beach or river).

Ronnie is survived by his wife of 50 years, Carolyn; a son, Matthew Hayes (Theresa) and grandchildren, Benjamin and Lillian; a sister, Sandra Noble; a brother, Lloyd Hayes (Linda); a niece, nephews and extended family members.

A funeral service will be held 2 p.m. Wednesday, February 7th at Liberty Baptist Church, 15810 Liberty Church Road, Lanexa, VA 23089. The family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Vincent Funeral Home, 9923 Pocahontas Trail, Providence Forge, VA 23140.

Memorials may be made to American Heart Association, www.heart.org. or

American Diabetes Association.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, Providence Forge Chapel
9923 Pocahontas Trail
Providence Forge, VA 23140
(804) 966-7075

Service

FEB 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Liberty Baptist Church
15810 Liberty Church Rd.
Lanexa, VA 23089

Tribute Wall

TH

“ Hi! I'm Theresa, the daughter in law. I have heard so many stories the past few days about Ronnie. A lot I've heard before but some were new to me. My story with him started about 14 years ago. I don't remember when we met for the first time, but that tells me he has treated me like family since day 1. He was as close i could get to a dad that I haven't had in a few years...not that I was trying to replace my dad. My favorite vacation was with my family and Matt's family. We went to nags head I want to say in 2006. So, I don't know if we were hungry around dinnertime but by the end of the night we were. We went to a seafood place, I think we ordered and the lights went out. We then went to Pizza Hut. We went in the driveway and then was like, no we don't want pizza. We then Preceded to go to several seafood places. Since Ronnie was allergic to seafood he had to ask the restaurant if all the food was cooked in the same pans as the seafood and all said yes. So after what seemed to be to least 10 places and hearing the grumbling from my grandpa we went back to Pizza Hut. We may have been hungry but that was the best time we had..It was an adventure and that's the kind of person he was...he was fun. Ronnie was genuine and he sure gave what he had 100 percent. He was my tv buddy when I went to Matt's house before we got married and a lil after too. He would say how much just sitting with me and not necessarily talking much how much he loved us being there to visit and he said he is eating it up. The past 2 years I saw the love he had for my kids and being selfish I'm sure going to miss that and miss his beautiful heart and presence. Thank I know where he is at and he is all better off then any of us right now. Thank you.

theresa hayes - February 14, 2018 at 05:05 PM

MS

“ Carolyn, Matthew and family,
I have such sweet memories of Ron and the Hayes family from our days at First Baptist together. Ron truly was a caring and generous man. I'm blessed to have shared a little bit of life with him. My prayers for you are for God's grace to provide. Ron served his Lord well. We've missed you over the past years but precious friends always hold a place in our hearts.

Michele Smith - February 07, 2018 at 06:55 PM

NC

“ Ronnie was one of the nicest people I have ever known. He will be missed by many people! Nancy Canny

Nancy Canny - February 06, 2018 at 03:42 PM

MM

“ 7 files added to the tribute wall



Mary Beth Meek - February 06, 2018 at 02:01 PM

MM

We will miss you Uncle Ronnie. We pray you are at peace. Love and prayers to the family. Mary Beth, Frank, Samantha and Shelby

Mary Beth Meek - February 06, 2018 at 02:04 PM

RF

“ Love and Prayers . He was a precious man .

Rhonda French - February 06, 2018 at 12:15 PM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss!



Thomas & Libby Widgeon - February 06, 2018 at 06:04 AM

MC

“ To the family, The precious memories will bring you ROSES IN DECEMBER!!! BOB AND MARIANNA CHESTNUTT

marianna chestnutt - February 05, 2018 at 05:04 PM

FW

“ Sam, you and your family are in my heart today. May God grant you grace in the coming days of adjustment.

Faith West - February 05, 2018 at 02:00 PM

CC

“ Carole And RN Coffman lit a candle in memory of Ronald A. Hayes



Carole and RN Coffman - February 05, 2018 at 11:43 AM

BH

“ Carolyn,
I am very sorry to hear about Ron's passing. I enjoyed talking with him when y'all were coming to Corinth and when you came to the Pharmacy. I'm sure you will miss him greatly! May God be with you and your family during this time of grief. God bless, Billy Hott

Billy Hott - February 05, 2018 at 09:54 AM

JP

“ Carolyn,
We are so sorry to hear about Ron. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Judy and Glenn Palmer - February 05, 2018 at 09:37 AM

VB

“ *Veda & Dick Boswell lit a candle in memory of Ronald A. Hayes*



Veda & Dick Boswell - February 04, 2018 at 07:32 PM