



## George Hayes,

October 3, 1931 - May 5, 2007

Mr. George Kenneth Hayes, Sr., age 75 of Calhoun, passed away Saturday, May 5, 2007 at his residence following several months of declining health. He was born in Gordon County October 3, 1931, son of the late Olen and Mamie Bohannon Hayes. Mr. Hayes was a retired farmer and former Police Chief for the City of Calhoun. He was a member of Farmville United Methodist Church. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a daughter, Nancy Joyce Hayes; a grandson, George Kenneth Mauldin; and a sister, Virginia Bohannon Carney.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Carolyn Bowen Hayes; a son, Kenneth Hayes and his wife Laura; two daughters, Sue Hite and her husband Mac, and Jerrie McDougale and her husband Steve, all of Calhoun; two brothers, Billy Hayes and his wife Dovie of Chatsworth, and Hayward Bohannon of Calhoun; three sisters, Betty Stewart of Calhoun, Nan Barnette and her husband Billy of Calhoun, and Marge Tolbert of Rome. Eleven grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services for Mr. George Hayes will be conducted Monday, May 7, at 3:00pm from the Farmville United Methodist Church, with Rev. Guy Kent, Rev. Gary Hibberts, and Dr. James Shope officiating. Mr. Hayes will lie in state at the church from 2:00pm until the funeral hour. Interment will follow in the Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery. Grandsons will serve as active pallbearers and will include Hank Mauldin, Alan McDougale, Chet Hite, Cory Hayes, Cody Hayes, Brian Towe, Matt Volek, Trevor Bush, and Bill

Carlson. Honorary pallbearers will include the Senior Sunday School Class of Farmville United Methodist Church, Billy and Betty Erwin, Jack and Jane Dyer, Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Wilson, Gordon County Young Farmers, Gordon County FFA Alumni, Mrs. Fannie Jackson, Gene and Essie Ann Holsomback, and Sam and Ann Payne.

The family will receive friends at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home on Sunday after 3:00pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Heyman Hospice or the FFA Chapters of Gordon Central and Sonoraville High Schools.

Online condolences may be made and the guestbook signed at [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home is in charge of the funeral arrangements for Mr. George Kenneth Hayes, Sr., of Calhoun.

# Tribute Wall

DJ

“ *we miss and love you*

Delana jackson - March 26, 2009 at 12:54 PM

JE

“ *HAPPY FATHERS DAY DADDY, I SURE DO MISS YOU BUT I KNOW YOU AND MAMA ARE HAVING A GREAT TIME. I WILL ALWAYS LOVE YOU. GIVE EVERYONE A KISS FOR ME.*

Jerrie - June 17, 2007 at 08:25 AM

HO

“ *SUE AND MAC, WE WERE SO SAD TO HEAR OF THE PASSING OF YOUR FATHER. HE TRULY WAS A GOOD MAN AND WILL BE MISSED. MAY GOD BE WITH YOU DURING THIS TRYING TIME. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU. HAZEL AND SANDRA*

HAZEL AND SANDRA O'NEAL - June 06, 2007 at 11:07 AM

TD

“ *george was a wonderful man,,love to laugh,joke and cut up.we worked for george on the farm and thats where i got hurt,but i hold nothing against him,,him and carolyn are the sweetest people i know and would bend over backwards to help anyone he use to pick up and take our daughters sally and shana to church with him.george will be badly missed--we love you george-- rest in peace--*

Tony n Dlores dover - May 09, 2007 at 05:59 PM

TW

“ George will be missed by all who knew him. The Saddle & Harness Club has not been the same since his health declined enough that he could not attend our monthly meetings. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of George's family during this time of grieving. We were truly Blessed to have called George, friend.

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**Terry & Karen Wheeler** - May 09, 2007 at 01:04 PM

MT

“ He was the best brother anyone could ever have and I will miss him so much.

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**Marge Tolbert** - May 09, 2007 at 10:51 AM

JC

“ George Hayes,

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**Jimmy & Lois Cochran** - May 08, 2007 at 03:34 PM

LF

“ We will miss George. He was always a delight Standing at the door at Farmville church with not just a hand shake but a big hug and a pocket full of candy. I will Remember the spring and summers when he was in a hurry to purchase baling twine and tractor parts and stay long enough to invite us back to church. I will always miss him. God Bless , Lyn Russell Greene

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**Lyn Russell Greene & Family** - May 07, 2007 at 12:33 AM