



Mr. Charles Todd Hayes Sr.

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Funeral Service for Mr. Charles Todd Hayes Sr., 95, of Kellyton, Alabama, will be Thursday, September 11, 2025, at 4:00 pm at the Kellyton First Global Methodist. Rev. Mike Jackson will officiate. Burial will follow in the Kellyton Memory Garden. The family will receive friends on Thursday, September 11, 2025, from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm at Kellyton First Global Methodist. Veterans Honors will be provided by the Alexander City Veterans Honor Guard.

Charles T. Hayes Sr., a pillar of strength and a beacon of generosity in his community, passed away surrounded by the love of his family. Born to the late Madison Foster Hayes and Mabel Hayes, Charles was a man of faith and family, whose legacy is carried on by his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Charles is survived by his devoted son, Todd (Lynn) Hayes of Alexander City, AL; his loving daughters, Tracy (Sammy) Teel of Alexander City, AL, and Teresa (Dale) Burns of Goodwater, AL. His spirit will live on through his cherished grandchildren, Charles (Jane) Hayes III, Al (Elizabeth) Teel, Denver "Andy" (Kassey) Burns, Carter (Ric) Hayes, Austin (Casey) Teel, and Kristian (Joseph Wallace) Dean. His great-grandchildren, Rachel Hayes, Alison Hayes, Gabriel Burns, Bryce Burns, Hunter Burns, Parker Dean, James Teel, George Teel, Mazie Teel, and Lily Teel, will grow up hearing tales of their great-grandfather's kindness and love for life.

A proud graduate of Goodwater High School where he played basketball, Charles went on to serve his country in the United States Army for two years, an experience that shaped his character and instilled in him a sense of duty. After his service, he returned to the Hayes family wood business, later becoming a self-employed truck driver, a profession that allowed him to touch the lives of many.

Charles was a man of deep Christian faith and devoted member of the Kellyton First Global Methodist Church, which guided him throughout his life and was evident in his selfless actions. His interests were a reflection of his joyous spirit; he was an avid Atlanta Braves and Auburn



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Tigers fan, a passion he shared with his family and friends. Charles also found solace in nature as a quail hunter and enjoyed the camaraderie of pitching softball.

A lifetime member of the Alexander City Elks Club, Charles relished playing cards with fellow members and was known for his friendly banter and quick wit. His commitment to his community was further demonstrated through his roles as president of the Kellyton Civitan Club and Community Club. Even in his leisure time, Charles enjoyed the simple pleasures of life, such as watching Wheel of Fortune and spending time with his canine companions.

Charles was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Nelda Ward Hayes; his brothers, Denver "Dink" Hayes, Cecil Hayes, Marlin "Doc" Hayes, Clifford "Monk" Hayes; and his sisters, Ruth H. DuPriest and Emogene H. Sorrell.

Described as faith-filled, generous, and selfless, Charles T. Hayes Sr. was a loving father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. His passing leaves a void in the hearts of those who knew him, but his memory will continue to inspire acts of kindness and service in the community he loved so dearly. Charles's life was a testament to the enduring power of love, and his story will be told with pride and affection for generations to come.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to Kellyton First Global Methodist Church, P.O. Box 62, Kellyton, AL, 35089.

Radney Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Charles Todd Hayes.






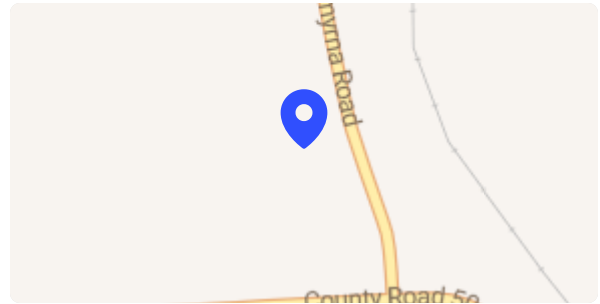
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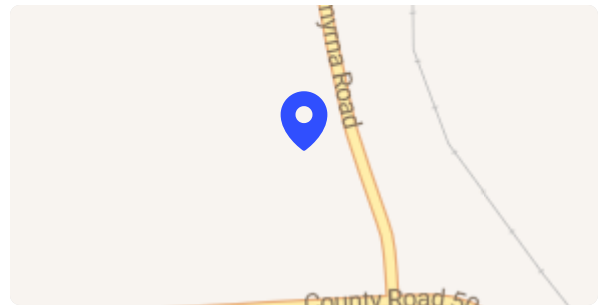
Visitation

-  **Thursday**, September 11, 2025
-  2:00 PM - 3:30 PM CT
-  **Kellyton Global Methodist**
5 Smyrna Rd, Kellyton AL 35089




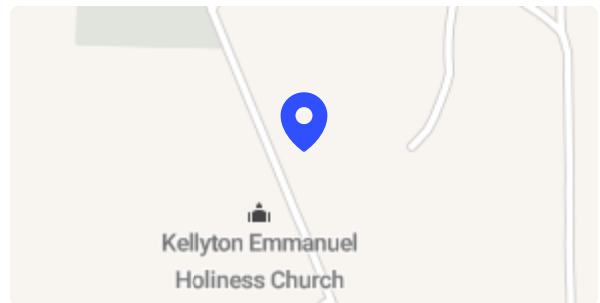
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Cemetery Details

-  **Kellyton Memory Gardens**
135 County Rd 87, Kellyton AL 35089





Tribute Wall

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Radney Funeral Home shared a **Video**.



September 10 at 11:01 AM



Martha Wall lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Martha Wall lit a candle in memory of Charles Hayes



September 18 at 7:41 AM



Nancy Crew lit a candle in honor of Charles.

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September 11 at 9:06 AM



Joe Neighbors lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Mr. Charlie is one great man. I remember him when I was a small child. My parents back in the day would host Rook Card games championships. Mr. Charlie was one of the champions. I'll always remember those old days when life was so simple. Mr. Charlie, you've earned your wings....



September 11 at 8:48 AM



Debra Dunn posted:

Todd and family, I'm so sorry to learn of your Father's passing. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

September 10 at 5:06 PM



Debra Dunn lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Debra Dunn lit a candle in memory of Charles Hayes



September 10 at 5:03 PM



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GD

Gregory Dunham lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Gregory Dunham lit a candle in memory of Charles Hayes

September 10 at 4:41 PM



LS

Love, The Jones', Badke'Sand Gulette'S sent a Lavender Reflections Spray to the Hayes family.

September 10 at 12:38 PM



TF

The Transportation Team At Burr & Forman sent a Large Basket Garden to the Hayes family.

September 10 at 11:03 AM



TF

The Transportation Team At Burr & Forman planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Charles.

September 10 at 11:03 AM



CS

Charlotte Shivers posted:

Todd, Tracey & Teresa, so sorry to hear about Charlie. Just want you to know that you guys are in my thoughts and prayers. God bless each one of you!

September 10 at 8:53 AM

JS

Jeff And Karyn Sorrell sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Hayes family.

September 10 at 8:51 AM





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Jimmysanford posted:

Mr Charlie was always good to be around, and I along with everyone that knew him will miss him and cherish the friendship he bestowed to us all. Thoughts and prayers for the family,RIP my friend.

September 10 at 8:21 AM



Media

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September 10 at 11:01 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Charles by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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