

Donald Eugene Horne, Sr.

April 25, 1935 - June 24, 2019

Donald Eugene Horne, Sr. - 84

Of Valdosta passed away Monday, June 24, 2019 in Langdale Hospice House. He was born on April 25, 1935 in Hahira, GA to the late Charlie & Esther Nell (Millirons) Horne. Donald worked as a commercial tire salesman for Goodyear for over 35 years. He was an avid Nascar fan, enjoyed watching sports and spending time with his cat, Sammy Joe. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by son: Junior Horne; daughter: Teresa Ann Selph; brother: Wade "Bo" Horne; sisters: Betty Sue "Teeny" Boykin & Sylvia Cardin Grandson Roy Eugene Radney

Survivors Include: 2 Daughters & Son-in-law: Tammy Maine-Luke of Valdosta, Donna & Ronald Radney, of Valdosta; Son: Scottie Lyle Horne, Hahira; 8 Grandchildren: Jeremy Maine (Jill), Dustin Radney (Courtney), Jamie Horne, Angela Radney, Heather Horne, Samantha Horne, Jaxon & Hayden Radney; Great Grandchildren: Ella Claire & Courson Radney, Harper Everleigh Maine, Kaleb Radney, Kameron & Khole McLeod, Brother & Sister-in-law: Jake & Priscilla Horne, Valdosta; Sister & Brother-in-law: Dorothy & Ken Godwin, Valdosta; Former Spouse and Mother of Children: Beth Smith, Valdosta; Beloved Cat: Sammy Joe.

Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 AM Thursday, June 27, 2019 in the Valdosta Chapel of Music Funeral Services with burial following at Friendship Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 6:00 until 8:00 PM on Wednesday June 26, 2019 at the funeral home. Sympathy may be expressed online at www.musicfuneralservices.com. The Horne family is being cared for by the professional and caring staff of Music Funeral Services, Valdosta.

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Events

Friendship CemeteryUnion Road

Hahira, GA, 31632

JUN Visitation 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Music Funeral Services/Azalea Crematory 3831 N Valdosta Rd, Valdosta, GA, US, 31602

JUN Service 11:00AM

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Comments



TO ALL OF THE HORNE FAMILY.

I AM SO SORRY FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR FATHER AND BROTHER, MAY THE LORD GIVE YOU COMFORT AND PEACE AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME.THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS FOR ALL OF YOU. IN JESUS LOVE CAROL D. HOWELL

CAROL D HOWELL - June 27 at 11:44 AM



66 Thank you very much for your thoughts and prayers. **Donna Radney** - June 28 at 11:08 AM



Donald was a great influence on my early career in the automotive industry. He taught me how to mount and dismount commercial tires, how to run a service truck, and how to take care of his customers. I also saw how he took care of his kids even after they were grown. He was the best man in our wedding at St. Johns in Valdosta in 1995. Store 2446 215 W. Hill Avenue lives on in my heart. Many of the lessons he taught me at the old Goodyear store I have passed on to the many employees and co-workers I have trained in the last 26 years. I am thankful to have had his influence in my life. Pictured are people he worked with at 215 W Hill Avenue. We used to post these on the Wall of Pride in the store. From the Gold Plate to the Cherokee, he led the way, a true legend in the tire business. You will be missed but you'll also be remembered.





Tim Coxwell - June 27 at 11:32 AM



Tim, thank you so much for your kind words about our father. It is truly a blessing to know that his legacy as a businessman lives on through you. And to know that he was such a mentor to you is awesome!!! Thanks for posting the pictures as well. Donna Radney

Donna Radney - June 28 at 11:07 AM



Carl and Donald shared many good times together, Goodyear working days, dune buggy, always there for each other. ONE OF KIND! Memories and stories to tell. A man of many gifted trade by working with his hands. Dear children know! love you all and your Dad was a hardworking man with a big heart. The condition Carl is in will not allow me to share this news. Hold to God's unchanging hand and one day you can be with him.



Mrs. Dell: Daddy and Mr. Carl did indeed share many good times. They were two peas in a pod. Thank you for your kind words. I hate to hear that Mr. Carl is not doing well. We love y'all too.

Donna Radney - June 28 at 11:15 AM



66 Stay strong and know I am praying for all.

Ardella Vedas - June 28 at 07:40 PM



So sorry to learn of Donald's illness and passing. Always enjoyed visiting with him at the Goodyear store. He was a good friend to many and know he will be missed by his dear family. Thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Ann Williams Hall - June 26 at 12:48 PM



66 Thank you very much Mrs. Hall for your kind words and prayers.

Donna Radney - June 28 at 11:17 AM



I am sorry to hear about your Dad, Tammy, I know he will be missed by you and Donna, Y'all did a wonderful job taking such good care of him. Now he is in his resting place my sympathies to you both!!!!! Sherry Putnal

Sherry Putnal - June 25 at 07:38 PM



66 Thank you Sherry.

Donna Radney - June 28 at 11:18 AM



I just wanted to say I could not have ask for a better dad. He loved his family and always worked hard to do more than just provide. He was well respected and had many many friends. I know for myself Tammy and Donna he will be missed. There was on one Donald Eugene Horne aka Pop Horne.

Scottie Lyle Horne - June 25 at 04:26 PM