



Obituary

Born: Tuesday, June 15, 1954

Died: Monday, March 4, 2019

Mr. Ricky H. Mattox, age 64, of Blackshear, passed away Monday afternoon (3/4/19) at his residence following a short illness.

Born June 15, 1954 in Alma, GA, he was a son of the late Sands Stanley and Cleo Henderson Mattox. He lived all of his life in Pierce County where he was a 1973 graduate of Blackshear High School. He had worked for CSX Railroad, was a security officer at Satilla Regional Medical Center (now Memorial Satilla Health), and had been a self-employed bail bondsman. He was a member of Southgate Baptist Church.

Service Summary

Visitation

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Wed Mar 06, 2019

Hart Funeral Home

210 Johnson Street
Blackshear, GA 31516

Funeral Service

11:00 AM Thu Mar 07, 2019

Hart Funeral Home Chapel

210 Johnson Street
Blackshear, GA 31516

Ricky will be remembered as a true comedian, bringing laughter and excitement wherever he was with his jokes and impersonations of local friends and family.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Tracy "Oats" Mattox; 2 sisters, Latrelle Judkins and Alice Altman; and his father-in-law, Charles Bowen.

Survivors include his wife, Becki Bowen Mattox of Blackshear; 3 sisters, Clovis Simmons (Gene) of Clinton, SC, Joyce Anderson (Ed) of Smyrna, GA, and Vicki Brigman of Blackshear; 2 brothers, Troy Mattox (Sue) and Shelby Mattox (Gail), both of Blackshear; his mother-in-law, Rena Gibbs Bowen of Blackshear; 2 sisters-in-law, Jami Bowen and Joli McQuaig (Alton), both of Blackshear; a brother-in-law, Mark Bowen (Teresa) of Blackshear; his daughter, Staci Castro of Blackshear and her children, Nicholas Bennett, Gabriel Castro, and AnnaLeigh Castro; and many special nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

A funeral service will take place on Thursday (3/7/19) at 11 AM in the chapel of Hart Funeral Home. Burial will follow in the Beulah Baptist Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday evening (3/6/19) from 6-8 PM at the funeral home.

Sympathy may be expressed by signing online at www.hartfh.com.

Hart Funeral Home of Blackshear is in charge of arrangements.