



## Henry Wilson Mercer

March 21, 1959 - September 23, 2022

Mr. Henry Wilson Mercer, age 63 of Ocilla, GA passed away Friday, September 23, 2022 following a sudden unexpected death. Mr. Mercer was born March 21, 1959 to Florine Revis Mercer and the late Wilson Mercer. He was preceded in death by a brother: Ronald E. Mercer.

Mr. Mercer, a native of Ocilla, GA, was a general contractor working with mobile homes. With in high school Mr. Mercer, was very active in sports. He excelled in both football and baseball. He was a member of Spring Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors include:

His mother: Florine Revis Mercer of Ocilla, GA

1 Son: Christian Glisson of St. Augustine, FL

2 Sisters: Susan Evans of Ocilla, GA  
Rose Mary Christie of Atlanta, GA

1 Grandson: Christian Glisson, Jr. of Tifton, GA

1 Niece, 1 Nephew and several cousins

The graveside service and interment will be held Saturday morning, October 1, 2022 at 10:30 AM at New Hope Cemetery with Rev. George Carroll Paulk officiating.

The family will receive friends Saturday morning, October 1, 2022 from 9:30 AM until the funeral hour of 10:30 AM.

Ricketson Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## New Hope Cemetery

977 New Hope Church Road  
Ambrose, GA 31512

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 1. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *condolences to his family*



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**carson loveless** - August 29, 2024 at 05:51 PM



“ *Henry Wilson Mercer*

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November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM

AD

“ *Miss Florine, Rose Mary, Susan, I am so sorry for your loss. Being an only child, Henry was like a brother to me. My memories of him are too numerous to mention. Even as we got older, whenever we got together, it was like we'd never been apart. I will always cherish these last couple of years and the memories we shared when he'd come by to visit. Know that he talked about y'all and how much he loved y'all every time we talked. Praying for y'all, Anthony and Marilyn Dove*

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**Anthony and Marilyn Dove** - September 30, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Henry Wilson Mercer.*



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September 30, 2022 at 11:55 AM

KM

“ I enjoyed watching Henry play baseball for the Irwin County Indians. He was a superb player. I always found him kind and friendly. He joined my church and I got to know him as a grown man. He seemed to love the Lord. We will miss him at Spring Hill as I know you all will. You have my condolences. Karel Mobley

Karel Mobley - September 29, 2022 at 08:23 PM

RC

Thank you so much Ms. Mobley. We love you all for being so supportive and kind. He will live on in our hearts💙

Rose Mary Christie - September 30, 2022 at 06:07 AM

AD

“ My memory of Henry was in tomato fields, tobacco fields and ball fields. He was always there and worked hard. Family, yall are in my prayers.

Alex Dix - September 29, 2022 at 12:30 PM

RC

Thank you Alex. This is Rose Mary. I'll tell Mama, it will mean a lot to her.

Rose Mary Christie - September 30, 2022 at 06:10 AM

MS

Sorry for your loss. I remember Henry as one of the best athletes in Irwin. May God be with you.

mike sirmans - September 30, 2022 at 07:57 AM

MW

Henry will always be remembered and I am thankful that knew him ! Praying for you and the family during this time !

Maria Wells - October 01, 2022 at 09:58 AM