



William Paul Hersey

May 24, 1948 - June 12, 2023

Mr. William Paul Hersey, age 75 of Douglas, GA passed away Monday morning, June 12, 2023 at Coffee Regional Medical Center following an extended illness. Mr. Hersey was born May 24, 1948 to Roe Hersey and Vivian Murray Hersey. Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by 3 siblings: Buddy Hersey, Chester Hersey and Wanell Heape.

Mr. Hersey, a native of Coffee County, was an electrician with CSX railroad. He was a member of the National Union of Electrical Workers. Mr. Hersey was Baptist by Faith.

Survivors include:

His Wife: Betty Dale Hersey of Douglas, GA

2 Sons: Michael Hersey of Cairo, GA

Matthew Hersey and wife Jessica of Statesboro, GA

2 Grandsons: Rhett Hersey and Riley Hersey both of Statesboro, GA

4 Siblings: Deloris Strickland and husband J. B. of Elberton, GA

Linda Gillis and husband Bouncer of Phoenix City, AL

David Hersey and wife Barbara of Broxton, GA

Howard Hersey and wife Diane of Beach, SC

A number of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

The family will receive friends, Wednesday June 14, 2023 from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM at Chapel of Ricketson Funeral Home.

The funeral service will be Wednesday, June 14, 2023 at 2:00 PM at Chapel of Ricketson Funeral Home with Rev. H. P. Murray officiating. The interment will follow at Roxie Mae Cemetery in the Wilsonville Community.

Pallbearers for the service will be: Blake Hersey, William Hersey, Eddie Creamer, Jarred Spivey, Barry Whitley and Jason Sweat.

Ricketson Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Roxie Mae

523 Roxy Mae Ch Rd
Nicholls, GA 31554

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 14. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533

Funeral Service

JUN 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Interment

JUN 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 38 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Ricketson Funeral Home - June 13, 2023 at 05:23 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of William Paul Hersey.

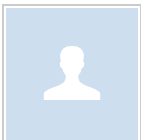
June 13, 2023 at 04:49 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Paul Hersey.



June 13, 2023 at 04:49 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of William Paul Hersey.

June 13, 2023 at 12:32 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Paul Hersey.



June 13, 2023 at 12:32 PM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of William Paul Hersey.

June 13, 2023 at 12:26 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of William Paul Hersey.



June 12, 2023 at 08:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of William Paul Hersey.

June 12, 2023 at 07:06 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of William Paul Hersey.*



June 12, 2023 at 07:06 PM



“ *Oh, Beth! I am so sorry to hear about this! I'm out of town this week but will be praying for you and your family.*

Elizabeth M Fletcher - June 12, 2023 at 07:05 PM



“ *Paul was always so kind.
He was a great Uncle. He always made us laugh and I never saw him with out a smile! He will always be with the family, in the stories that we share with each other.
Uncle Paul we love you and will keep you in our hearts, give Big Mama a hug for me!!*

God has blessed you,

The Good Looking Twin!!



Gaile Strickland Binder - June 12, 2023 at 07:00 PM

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“ *I worked with Paul and enjoyed being around him at work. His passing site surprised me, prayers for the family* ”

Levon Baxley - June 12, 2023 at 06:55 PM