



Mr. Gene Ayers

February 3, 1933 - August 20, 2024

Mr. Augustus Eugene “Gene” Ayers, age 91, of Commerce, GA died Tuesday, August 20, 2024 at his residence. Mr. Ayers was born in Commerce to the late John W. and Roxie Inez Smallwood Ayers. He was a veteran of the United States Army and a member of Sandy Creek Baptist Church. Mr. Ayers was retired from the Georgia Department of Transportation.

Mr. Ayers is survived by his wife, Patricia “Pat” Howington Ayers of Commerce; sons, David Ayers (Loretta) of Nicholson and Chris Ayers (Lynn) of Benbrook, TX; and granddaughter, Ansley Ayers.

Funeral services will be at 2 PM, Saturday, August 24 at the chapel of Little-Ward Funeral Home with Rev. Crist Camden and Rev. Don McKelvey officiating. Interment will follow in Howington Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday from 5 to 7 PM.

Little-Ward Funeral Home, Commerce is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Howington Cemetery

Memorial Dr.
Nicholson, GA 30565

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 23. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Little-Ward Funeral Home
115 State Street
Commerce, GA 30529
(706) 335-3175
lwfh@windstream.net
<https://www.little-wardfuneralhome.com/>

Service

AUG 24. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Little-Ward Funeral Home
115 State St.
Commerce, GA 30529

Tribute Wall

TP

“ I was blessed to meet him in 2017 which I hand dug 16 hole for his cows . He taught me how to fluff hay I was just glad I got to meet him until we meet again

Tim pittman - August 24, 2024 at 10:21 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.



August 23, 2024 at 01:50 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.



August 23, 2024 at 08:45 AM

MH

“ Mack and Barbara Hamilton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Gene Ayers.

Mack and Barbara Hamilton - August 22, 2024 at 04:41 PM

MH

“ Mack and Barbara Hamilton purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.



Mack and Barbara Hamilton - August 22, 2024 at 04:41 PM

DS

“ Danny Shackelford planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Gene Ayers.

Danny Shackelford - August 22, 2024 at 11:24 AM

DS

“ Danny Shackelford purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.



Danny Shackelford - August 22, 2024 at 11:24 AM

EB

“ Elaine Tolbert Buice lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gene Ayers



Elaine Tolbert Buice - August 22, 2024 at 09:59 AM

KH

“ Dear Pat, Chris and David, My heart goes out to you all. I know how much he meant to you. Losing someone so close is very hard. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.”

Kathy Adams Hines - August 22, 2024 at 09:48 AM

RK

“ Randell Kinsey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gene Ayers



Randell Kinsey - August 22, 2024 at 09:18 AM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.



August 22, 2024 at 09:10 AM

KL

“ Kay Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gene Ayers



Kay Lewis - August 22, 2024 at 08:35 AM

KL

*I was his barber.. 🇺🇸
I will miss him.. love to Ms. Pat & family..*

Kay Lewis - August 22, 2024 at 08:38 AM

WW

“ We have many happy memories of Gene, Pat, and the boys growing up in Nicholson Baptist Church. We send thoughts and prayers for all of you.

Wesley and Beverly Wells

wesley & beverly wells - August 21, 2024 at 11:01 PM

LA

“ Praying for your family

Laura Ayers - August 21, 2024 at 10:35 PM

KH

“ Kenneth J Howington purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.



Kenneth J Howington - August 21, 2024 at 02:09 PM

KH

“ Kenneth J Howington planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Gene Ayers.

Kenneth J Howington - August 21, 2024 at 02:09 PM

TR

“ *The Tillers, Gillmans, and Rutherfords purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Gene Ayers.*



The Tillers, Gillmans, and Rutherfords - August 21, 2024 at 01:57 PM