



Mr. Marvin Merrell Harris Jr.

December 6, 1939 - January 23, 2024

Marvin Merrill Harris, Jr. of Commerce Georgia passed away on January 23, 2024 at the age of 84. He is survived by his wife of 63 years Brenda Forrester, 2 children son Mark Harris (Kimberly), daughter Catherine Born, 5 grandchildren Jack (Jay) Grant III, Victoria, Marcus and Duncan Harris, Jared Born, 1 great-granddaughter Autumn Grace, Sister Betty Walker, many nieces and nephews, he was preceded by his parents Marvin Merrill & Maude Hudson Harris, Sr., along with brother James (Jimmy) Harris.

Marvin was born and raised in Atlanta, Georgia, where he was an alumni of Henry Grady high school, he was a millwright for more than 32 years of service with General Motors, Doraville Ga. Marvin was a member of the Georgia Air National Guard with 6 years of service and was honorably discharged in 1963, and a member of New Salem Methodist church, Commerce.

Marvin could light up a room with his smile, friends and family will always remember his unique spirit. He had the ability to create or build most anything he put his mind to, his willingness to help anyone in need anytime, he relished teaching his grandsons to drive the "big tractor" and rescuing tiny kittens and puppies. Marvin often laughed and said besides his family the greatest accomplishment he made was finally mastering the art of boiling an egg.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, January 30th at 2:00 P.M. from the chapel of Little-Ward Funeral Home with Rev. Alan Carmichael officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday from 5PM to 8PM. Interment will follow at New Salem Methodist Church Cemetery.

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

Cemetery Details

New Salem Church Cemetery

2170 GA HWY 59
Commerce, GA 30530

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **29**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

JAN **30**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *City of Roswell Fleet Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Marvin Merrell Harris Jr..*



City of Roswell Fleet Family - January 30, 2024 at 07:31 AM



“ *Our sympathy for your loss Red, Sally and family*

Sally and Red - January 29, 2024 at 03:40 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mr. Marvin Merrell Harris Jr..*



January 26, 2024 at 10:02 PM