



Mr. Ralph "Ike" Hanley

April 29, 1932 - August 16, 2025

Mr. Ralph Lamar "Ike" Hanley, age 93, of Hull, GA died Saturday, August 16, 2025 at St. Mary's Hospital. Mr. Hanley was born in Commerce to the late Leroy and Mary Linda Burnette Hanley. He was a member of New Hope Baptist Church in Nicholson, a United States Air Force veteran, and served during the Korean War. Mr. Hanley was a retired used car dealer.

Mr. Hanley is survived by his wife, Bonnie Metcalf Hanley of Hull; daughters, Cindy Hawks (Lenn) and Sandra Phillips (Timothy) both of Hull; grandchildren, Katie Futral (Wesley), Tressie Alexander (Scott), Zach Hawks (Sarah) and Jennie Dyer (Cody); and great-grandchildren, Jarrett, Jackson, Janna Faith, Mason, Gideon, Savannah, Adalyn, Simeon, Luke and Rhett.

Funeral services will be at 11 AM, Wednesday, August 20 at New Hope Baptist Church with Dr. Zach Hawks and Rev. Wendell Hanley officiating. Interment will follow in New Harmony Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Tuesday from 6 to 8 PM.

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

Cemetery Details

New Harmony Baptist Church Cemetery

8816 Hwy 334
Nicholson, GA 30565

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 19. 6:00 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

AUG 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Hope Baptist Church
40 Old Kings Bridge Road
Nicholson, GA 30565

Tribute Wall

CB

“ Bonnie, I was so sorry to come across Mr. Ralph's obit, and hope you and your family will accept my sincere condolences, although late, at his passing. Oddly enough, I was searching for you hoping to say hi and see how you are. You and Aunts Lois and Barbara (Bob) are the only elder relatives I have, so I was just wondering how you are. Please know I think of you often



Christine Crumley Brown - September 13, 2025 at 08:45 AM

CB

My middle name didn't post. It is Crumley. I am James' niece, John and Betty's older daughter.

Christine Crumley Brown - September 13, 2025 at 08:48 AM

JD

“ Sandra and family, I'm sorry for your loss. May God give peace, comfort and strength during this difficult time and in the days ahead.

Julie Davis - August 18, 2025 at 09:20 AM

KM

“ I did not know Mr Ike Hanley. I heard my late husband mention his name. My late husband installed poultry equipment into poultry houses. That is how he got to know Mr Ike, he thought a lot of him. Now they are talking in heaven about everything.
Prayers to all the family 🙏🌹🙏



Karen Kirk McEver - August 17, 2025 at 09:19 PM

ML

Ike and Bonnie have always been special people to me. They cared about everyone . Seeing how they loved each other and their family and their friends was always inspiring to me as a younger adult. The Lord blessed them with long years and now Ike is blessed with a new body.

Mike Lester - August 18, 2025 at 09:24 AM

KS

My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. I always loved the Hanley's! Mr. Ike and Mrs. Bonnie are the best!

Kimberly Wofford Sums - August 18, 2025 at 04:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Ralph "Ike" Hanley.

August 17, 2025 at 07:22 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Ralph "Ike" Hanley.



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