



## Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett

October 4, 1954 - July 12, 2014

Raymond "Ray Ray" James Hamlett, Jr., 59 of 121 Edwards Ct Danville, VA died suddenly on Saturday, July 12, 2014 as a result of a motorcycle accident.

Ray Ray was born on October 4, 1954 in Danville, VA a son of the late David Lee Jones, Sr., and Mary Anne Taylor Gregory who survives. He spent all of his life in the Danville area where he worked for Whites Construction as a truck driver. He served his country in the US Navy.

Ray Ray was known for his love of his family, motorcycles, fishing, and drinking beer.

In addition to his mother he is survived by two daughters, Mary Jane Hamlett of Richmond, VA and Jennifer Ray Hamlett Hogan of Sutherlin, VA; a step son, Jonathan Lee of Chatham, VA; two brothers, Curtis Lee Hamlett and wife Stephanie of Panama City, FL, and David Lee "Bones" Jones, Jr. and Rhonda of Danville, VA; two grandchildren, Zachary Hogan and Timothy Milam; and a host of cousins, extended family members and friends.

He was predeceased by his grandparents, James Otis Taylor and Erma S. Taylor; and a brother, Troy Lane Jones.

A celebration of life service will be conducted on Tuesday, July 15, 2014 at

11:00 a.m. at Deeper Life Fellowship with the Pastor Wayne Reece officiating.

The family will receive friends on Monday night from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the church and at other times they will be at the residence of his mother, Mary Anne Gregory at 156 Crystal Lane, Danville, VA 24540.

In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial be made to the church.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 14. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Deeper Life Fellowship  
2307 S Boston Rd  
Danville, VA 24540

## Celebration Of Life

JUL 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

TL

“ Teri L.Hamlett=Newhook lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett



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**Teri L.Hamlett=Newhook** - September 08, 2014 at 11:37 PM

PS

“ Patty Sabine lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett



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**Patty Sabine** - July 22, 2014 at 01:12 AM

RB

“ Ray and I worked together at Oakwood Homes for many, many years I have never met a person in my lifetime that had such a positive outlook on life. He was the happiest person I've ever seen everyday laughing so sweet never seem to have a bad day. The Lord will surely will welcome a heavenly saint in { RAY,RAY} . My heartfelt tears of sadness for his Mom,& Family will be such a void forever. My life was blessed for having the pleasure of having the joy of getting to know Ray and working with him it was a privilege to have known him. I loved him like a brother and he loved everybody that he met. Ruth Ann Ball

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**Ruth Ann Ball** - July 17, 2014 at 03:46 AM

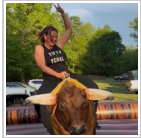


“ *Betty Hudgins lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett*



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**Betty Hudgins** - July 16, 2014 at 05:48 AM



“ *RIP Ray. We are really gonna miss you friend. Praying for your family.*  
*Mike Vaughan & Jessica South*  
*Ringgold, Va*

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**Jessica South** - July 15, 2014 at 11:47 AM



“ *To the family of dear Ray:*  
*There are many ideas as to the condition and hope for those that have passed, but what is important is what our Creator says. He lets us know why people die. He also lets us know that when ones pass, they "know nothing at all." (Ecclesiastes 9:5) They are simply sleeping, but not for long, for one day "all those in the memorial tombs will hear [Jesus] voice and come out." (John 5:28, 29; 11:11, 43) Your Ray will live again, but this time in a world where suffering and death are no more. (Psalm 37:29; Revelation 21:4) Until then, know that you are invited by our "God of all comfort," Jehovah, to "throw all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you." (2 Corinthians 1:3, 4; 1 Peter 5:7; Psalm 83:18) Take care Hamlett family.*

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**Aries** - July 14, 2014 at 09:48 PM

TM

“ *Ray Hamlett was a friend of mine for many years. He was always so cheerful especially in the mornings, always had something funny to say. I loved it when he laughed, we had some good times. I have been best friends with Cheri for years and will always be by her side. Ray was the love of her life, and he will be missed by many. My heart goes out to all the family and all his friends.*

Teresa Milam - July 14, 2014 at 08:56 PM

TM

“ *Teresa Milam lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett*



Teresa Milam - July 14, 2014 at 08:40 PM



“ *Joyce Hammock lit a candle in memory of Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett*



Joyce Hammock - July 14, 2014 at 08:29 PM

RB

“ Ray,Ray you will be greatly missed. I sure will miss your hugs and that great big smile you would meet me with every time we would meet you. Our hearts go out to all his family and friends love you.

*Ricky & Lisa Brandon  
Milton, NC*



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**Ricky & Lisa Brandon** - July 14, 2014 at 04:17 PM

CS

“ Share a memory of Raymond "Ray Ray" Hamlett, or send a condolence to the family...

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**Cathy Stratton** - July 14, 2014 at 02:39 PM

CW

“ Ray was such a wonderful person! He will be missed by many. RIP sweet angel!



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**Candi Walters** - July 14, 2014 at 02:26 PM

SM

“ **RIP BROTHER!!**  
*My Prayers to Friends And Family.*

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**Stephen Mitchell** - July 14, 2014 at 11:00 AM

WK

“ So sorry for your loss. Tom and Wendy keck.



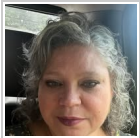
wendy keck - July 14, 2014 at 09:47 AM

KC

“ Ray Ray was a wonderful man ....Always had a big smile and hug waiting for me ...I was glad to call him my friend .Bones and Rhonda my heart breaks for you and all of the family

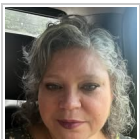


Kelly and Darrell Chaney - July 14, 2014 at 05:47 AM



“ Ray Ray was a special person. He will always be in my childhood memories. Riding horses, motorcycles, & dancing. As a kid enjoyed watching him dance at family gatherings. He had a huge heart. He will be greatly missed.

Michelle Fowler - July 13, 2014 at 08:21 PM



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Michelle Fowler - July 13, 2014 at 08:21 PM

 Angela  
Bibee

“ Ray Ray was definitely one of a kind. He had the biggest heart of anyone that I've known. He would always make you laugh no matter what kinda day you may be having. His smile was contagious and his soul was bright as the stars in the skies. Ray Ray you may be gone but you will never be forgotten. Rip so long my friend. Love, Angela

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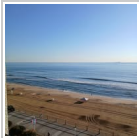
**Angela Bibee** - July 13, 2014 at 07:34 PM

CA

“ Ray had the sweetest smile and a big heart. We would see each other from time to time and he always had that sweet smile and a big hug to give. I am so sad for his entire family and my thoughts and prayers go out to you all. He was a free spirit and he will sadly be missed.

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**Cindy Moore Anderson** - July 13, 2014 at 05:41 PM



“ R.I.P. Ray Ray! You will be missed by all who knew you! You would just light up everyone you came in contact with! Bones. Sorry for your lost! Remember the good times and be proud of all the times you were able to spend with him up until the last minute! We loved Ray and you!

Love,  
Lynn Adkins Ringgold, VA  
and  
Mike Adkins Goodyear, AZ

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**Katherine Herndon Adkins** - July 13, 2014 at 05:37 PM