



## Virgil Phillip Hayes

July 14, 1959 - February 10, 2023

Virgil Phillip Hayes was born July 14, 1959 to Mr. Thurman Hayes and Mrs. Virginia Johnson. He was educated in the Barrow County School System.

Raised in the Apalachee Shoals Missionary Baptist

Church, Virgil sang in the youth choir as a young child. He was baptized at a young age by the late Rev. B. Z. Daniels in the Apalachee River.

Virgil was married to the late Margie Snowden Hayes who preceded him in death. To their union, they were blessed with two children: Lecretia Hayes and Markee Hayes.

He loved working on cars and heavy machinery with his uncle Yogi Morrow. That passion led him to work at Thrall Car Manufacturing Company, which is now Roy Aircraft, as a machine welder for several years. Although his life story is complex, Virgil loved the life he lived and lived the life he loved.

Our loved one departed this life on Friday, February 10, 2023. He leaves to cherish his memories: Mother: Virginia (Rufus) Johnson. Father: Thurman Hayes; Daughters: Tasha (Deandre) Jackson-Harris (Monroe, GA), Lecretia Hayes (Griffin, GA); Sons: Varian Hayes (Riverdale GA), Arlo Phillip Hayes (Monroe, GA), Travis Wheeler (Winder, GA), Markee Hayes (Winder, GA); Sisters: Evangelist Sheena Hayes (Bethlehem, GA), Pastor Priscilla Baker (Winder, GA), Jenetta Hendricks (Atlanta, GA); Brothers: Matthew Mark Hayes

(Bethlehem, GA), and Hison (Dianne) Hayes (Statham, GA); Uncles: Lenton Morrow (Detroit, MI), Larry Hayes (Grayson, GA); Aunts: Inez Carroll

(Hamilton, GA), Barbara Chaney (Lithonia, GA) 11 grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## Receiving Friends

FEB 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Appalachee Shoals Baptist Church  
553 Tanner Bridge Circle  
Bethlehem, GA 30620

## Service

FEB 18. 12:00 PM (ET)

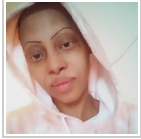
Appalachee Shoals Baptist Church  
553 Tanner Bridge Circle  
Bethlehem, GA 30620

# Tribute Wall



“ *Virgil Phillip Hayes*

October 22, 2023 at 04:48 PM



“ *Miss u Daddy rest easy ol man*



**Lecretia Hayes** - February 19, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Douglas Stephens lit a candle in memory of Virgil Phillip Hayes*



**Douglas Stephens** - February 17, 2023 at 11:54 AM



“ *Donna Smith lit a candle in memory of Virgil Phillip Hayes*



**Donna Smith** - February 16, 2023 at 02:44 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Virgil Phillip Hayes.* ”



---

February 14, 2023 at 08:24 AM