



## Mr. Nelson Hard

July 8, 1960 - December 4, 2016

Memorial service will be held at 7 PM, Tuesday, December 13, 2016, at Village Chapel for Nelson Hard, 56, of Gadsden, who died Sunday, December 4, 2016. Village Chapel Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of services. Nelson was an avid bass fisherman and was known to be a huge fan of John Force and NHRA drag racing. He worked in auto glass for 30 years, and loved his furbabies.

He was preceded in death by his father; brother; and son, Justin Rhodes.

Nelson is survived by his lifelong partner and wife, Angie Leek; granddaughter, Emmalee Rhodes; daughter, Jessica Hard; furbabies, Apache, Lily, and Oscar; and the crew.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the family.

Special thanks to all his friends, dealerships, body shops and to anyone who loved Nelson; you are greatly appreciated during this time.

The family will receive friends from 5 PM until the time of the service.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Village Chapel Funeral Home  
101 Vandell Blvd  
Gadsden, AL 35904  
(256) 547-5557  
<https://villagechapelfuneralhome.com>

## Memorial Service

DEC 13. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

SP

“ I will miss you my old friend, you would make the days better at my body shop when you came by. Always had a smile on your face and a joke to tell. Love you and miss you brother. Shawn Pierce, aka Pierce auto collision

Shawn Pierce - December 15, 2016 at 05:35 PM

AL

Thank you Shawn Pierce for you kind words. Yes, he always had a joke to tell and a smile and a coke. Keep me in your prayers ... Angie

Angie Leek - January 09, 2017 at 12:57 PM

WG

“ My heart broken! You were Angie's rock Nelson! Why!! Is the big question only God knows that reason! My prayer for Angie that's she will be the strong women that she has always been and know there is a lot of people that love and support her everyday!! She my feels so alone but always know I will always be here for you!!! I love you Nelson RIP! And I love you always and forever Angie!! God bless you in every way!

wanda gullede - December 11, 2016 at 10:06 AM

MW

“ I'M SURE AM GONNA MISS TALKING TO U , U COMING TO MY BODY SHOP, N U HANGING OUT N TALKING WHILE U WORKED! MAY UR FAMILY HAVE PEACE N COMFORT THAT THEY NEED THROUGHOUT THEIR LIVES HERE ON EARTH WITHOUT U!! SEE N TALK TO U AGAIN ONE DAY!! R.I.P MY FRIEND..... MIKE WALKER (AKA) MIKE WALKER BODY SHOP

MIKE WALKER - December 10, 2016 at 03:14 PM



“ I'm missing the love of my life. My life is shattered beyond belief. Please keep me in your prayers ... I love you Nelson with all my heart and soul.. forever broken hearted </3



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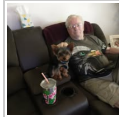
**Angie Leek** - December 10, 2016 at 11:56 AM



“ Love to see Ala. Play football games. We will miss you for ever

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**Katherine Rhodes** - December 08, 2016 at 09:22 PM



Loved talking to you when Angie and I were skyping. Those little waves in the background will be missed. Love Big Sis

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**Portia Hopper** - December 09, 2016 at 10:51 AM



Thank you too Big Sis... Love you, Lil' Sis

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**Angie Leek** - December 11, 2016 at 09:28 PM