



## Mr. Wayne Rushing

October 27, 1944 - March 24, 2021

Memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 28, 2021, at Village Chapel for Wayne Rushing, 76, of Rainbow City, who died Wednesday, March 24, 2021. Rev. Roger Beshears will officiate.

Wayne was born in Etowah County and lived here for all of his life. He retired from Republic Steel after 18 years of work and then went on to be Sales Manager for Rainbow Tool and Machine. Wayne was a loving husband, father, and friend. He was a very friendly man and never met a stranger. He faithfully served as a deacon at First Baptist Church of Southside and Mt. Carmel Baptist Church.

Mr. Rushing was preceded in death by his parents, Claude and Elvie Rushing; and siblings, Naomi, Mary, and Claude Jr.

Wayne is survived by his wife of 54 years, Judy Rushing; daughter, Keri (Pat) Gregory; son, Chris Rushing; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to any favorite church or charity. Special thanks to Jennifer Haynie, Kendra Harris, and Kerri Benefield of Amedisys Hospice.

The family will receive friends from 2 p.m. until the time of the service. Masks will be required for entry.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 28. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry to hear of Wayne's passing.

*I saw Chris recently and he shared with me how sick his dad was. However, I did not realize he was this sick.*

*My heart and prayers go out to the family and friends. R.I.P. Wayne*

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**Evelyn Muskett** - April 08, 2021 at 10:40 PM

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“ Judy,  
*My maiden name is Nanette Swanger. I used to go to Alabama City Methodist Church. My parents were Jesse and Carol Swanger. I babysat for y'all when Keri was small. I'm so sorry to hear about Wayne. You and your family are in my prayers.*  
*Nanette S. Bumgarner*

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**Nanette Swanger Bumgarner** - April 08, 2021 at 10:33 PM

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“ *Jerry and I have many good memories of you and Wayne. We enjoyed playing cards, just visiting, and especially the time we went to Gatlinburg, Tennessee.*  
*Love and prayers are with you*  
*Judy Parr*



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**Judy Parr** - March 27, 2021 at 06:06 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Wayne Rushing.*



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March 27, 2021 at 02:40 PM



“ *Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you in the loss of Wayne as a husband, father and friend.*

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**Valerie Waddell** - March 27, 2021 at 09:33 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Wayne Rushing.*



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March 26, 2021 at 03:21 PM