



## Melvin Haney

August 13, 1949 - February 13, 2026

Melvin Samuel Haney, Jr., 76, of Greer, South Carolina, passed away February 13, 2026.

A native of Spartanburg, South Carolina, son of the late Melvin Samuel Haney, Sr. and Edith West Smith Haney, he was a retired machinist and member of Fairview Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Judy Stanley Haney of the home; two sons, Jason Samuel Haney (Lauren) of Mount Pleasant, South Carolina and Justin Cameron Haney of Woodruff, South Carolina; one daughter, Wendie Ann Rhome (Victor) of Wellford, South Carolina; one brother, Floyd D. Haney (Janie) of Duncan, South Carolina; one sister, Brenda Plemmons (Fred) of Charlotte, North Carolina; four grandchildren, Emma C. Haney, Samuel B. Haney, Jackson P. Swartzel and Charley Beth Schwartzel; one son-in-law, Tre Swartzel of Fountain Inn, South Carolina; and three sisters-in-law, Mary Smith of Spartanburg, South Carolina, Jeanette Smith of Taylors, South Carolina and Diane Smith of Roebuck, South Carolina.

Melvin was predeceased by one son, Jody Andrew Haney; one daughter, Dusty Anne Schwartzel; four brothers, Charles W. Smith, Donald R. Smith, Frankie L. Smith and James Allen Smith; and one sister, Linda Thompson. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 17, 2026, at The Wood Mortuary Chapel, conducted by Dr. Gene Lockaby. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Visitation will be held from 9:30 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. Tuesday, February 17,

2026, at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

Memorials may be made to the Jody Haney Memorial Fund, c/o Woodruff High School, 710 Cross Anchor Road, Woodruff, SC 29388.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard  
Greer, SC 29651

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.  
300 West Poinsett Street  
Greer, SC 29650  
(864) 877-3351  
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

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# Tribute Wall

FF

“ Fred and Brenda Plemmons and family. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melvin Haney.

Fred and Brenda Plemmons and family. - February 16 at 08:27 PM

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“ Fred and Brenda Plemmons and family. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Melvin Haney.



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“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melvin Haney.



February 16 at 05:11 PM

JB

“ Sorry to hear about Melvin was a great guy and good friend

John Burnett - February 16 at 04:23 PM

FT

“ From your geart faikure team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melvin Haney.

From your geart faikure team - February 16 at 08:37 AM

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AA

“ Angie AshmoreKruise lit a candle in memory of Melvin Haney



Angie AshmoreKruise - February 15 at 09:29 PM

SC

“ Sorry to hear about Melvin. He was in a class below me at Greer High, but we were friends during school and years afterward too. RIP friend.

Steve Campbell - February 15 at 06:22 PM

JM

“ Joe and Denise Michauskas planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melvin Haney.

Joe and Denise Michauskas - February 15 at 09:40 AM

JM

“ Joe and Denise Michauskas purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Melvin Haney.



Joe and Denise Michauskas - February 15 at 09:40 AM

TF

“ The Arthur Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melvin Haney.

The Arthur Family - February 14 at 07:16 PM

TF

“ The Arthur Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Melvin Haney.



The Arthur Family - February 14 at 07:16 PM

KW

“ Praying for the family. Sorry for your loss. Went to school with Melvin graduated with him. Great guy. Used to see him and his wife at the South House on Sundays. He will be greatly missed.  
Karen Jones Woodward Class of 69

Karen Jones Woodward - February 14 at 04:45 PM

DG

“ Debbee Gordon lit a candle in memory of Melvin Haney

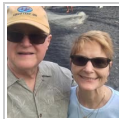


Debbee Gordon - February 14 at 03:54 PM

GC

“ Melvin was a classmate and friend of mine since the early days of my life. He was always interested in playing football and other sports. Melvin loved his grandchildren and his truck among many other things. He will be missed by all who knew him.  
Thoughts and prayers to the family. Gene Cason

Gene Cason - February 14 at 01:23 PM



Melvin and I graduated together in 69. We both had a hard English teacher for the 9th and 12th grade. Both graduated with D's for English, but were as proud as the young girls were their A's. Friends but really rekindled our friendship at the 20th reunion of HS. He and Judy visited us in Alaska and we took them fishing and in a small plane ride to see Alaska. Whenever we visit Greer we always make time to see the Hayney's. RIP brother.

James Plumley - February 16 at 10:38 PM