



Mitchell Speight

April 15, 1943 - May 13, 2025

Paul Mitchell Speight, 82, entered the gates of Heaven on May 13, 2025, surrounded by his loving family.

A native of Mount Airy, North Carolina, he was the son of the late Paul F. and Mabel Redwine Speight. Mitchell enjoyed a long and successful career, serving as a regional vice president for Thurston Motor Lines and later retiring from R&L Carriers. He was a proud member of the Hejaz Shriners and served faithfully as a lifetime deacon at Fairview Baptist Church.

To his grandchildren, he was affectionately known as Pop, and to his friends, simply Mick. He cherished every moment with family and friends, especially the adventures they shared—whether on the beach, the river, fishing at the lake, or exploring dirt roads on Glassy Mountain. A true sports enthusiast, he rarely missed a game when the Clemson Tigers were playing.

Surviving are his wife of 55 years, Faith Craig Speight of the home; two daughters, Angela Dentler (Brian) and Lisa Huskey (Chris); a brother, Ernest Speight (Bernice); a sister, Barbara Speight Hill (Charles); eight grandchildren, Luke Huskey (Emma), Hannah Huskey (Mo), Madeline Fitzgerald (David), Eden Huskey, Sydney Dentler, Abi Huskey, Jake Dentler, and Natalie Dentler; and a great-grandchild, Alba Huskey.

Mr. Speight was predeceased by a daughter, Crystal Michelle Speight; and two brothers, Hugh Speight and Don Speight.

Mitchell will be remembered as a caring son, a devoted husband, an encouraging father, and a fun-loving brother. He leaves his legacy of love for

his family, faith in Jesus, and loyalty as a Tiger fan.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, May 18, 2025, at Fairview Baptist Church (Greer) conducted by Rev. Brad Lynch and Dr. Paul Welch.

Burial will follow in Fairview Baptist Church Cemetery.

Visitation will be held 1:15-2:15 p.m. Sunday, May 18, 2025, at Fairview Baptist Church.

Pallbearers will be Luke Huskey, Jake Dentler, David Fitzgerald, Gerald Ramsey, Pierce Williams, and Chris Haas.

The family will be at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Fairview Baptist Church Building Fund, 1300 Locust Hill Road, Greer, South Carolina 29651.

Online condolences may be made to www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Baptist Church Cemetery

1400 Locust Hill Road
Greer, SC 29651

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 18. 1:15 PM - 2:15 PM (ET)

Fairview Baptist Church
1300 Locust Hill Road
Greer, SC 29651

Service

MAY 18. 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Angela and Lisa, thoughts and prayers during the loss of your dad. He was a good man and will be missed.* ”

Melinda Fowler - May 22, 2025 at 12:28 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mitchell Speight.* ”



May 17, 2025 at 11:11 AM

SH

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to Faith and her loving family. Faith and Mitchell were very special members in our Sunday School class. We will miss Mitchell and we will gladly welcome Faith back into our class. We love you all. Sherill* ”

Sherrill Huff - May 15, 2025 at 09:41 PM

WO

“ *Will & Alyssa Oglesby purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mitchell Speight.* ”



Will & Alyssa Oglesby - May 15, 2025 at 02:36 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mitchell Speight.*



May 15, 2025 at 11:21 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mitchell Speight.

May 15, 2025 at 11:21 AM



“ *Forever Our Angel Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mitchell Speight.*



May 14, 2025 at 09:28 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of P. Mitchell Speight.

May 14, 2025 at 09:28 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to read this, he fought hard and was cared for so tenderly by his wife, Fairh. Mitch was a good friend to all. RIP Carole Pearson Horton.*

Carole Pearson Horton - May 14, 2025 at 09:11 AM

DR

“ My condolences to the family it was truly my pleasure to work with him for very short time he was a sweet ma, I will truly keep the family in prayer Faith you was an amazing wife to him and my heart goes out to you right now, but I will keep you in my prayers.

Deborah Rush - May 14, 2025 at 12:42 AM

BS

Gail & I feel for you and the entire family at your loss. I will always remember when Mitchell was in the trucking business and he and I were always cutting up with each other. What a great guy he was.
Bryan Stokes

Bryan stokes - May 14, 2025 at 09:26 AM