



Steve Harris

September 17, 1952 - December 15, 2019

Steve Harris, born in September 1952, passed away in December, 2019 at the age of 67. He was preceded in death by his father, John Carrol Harris, Sr., and his mother, Mary Patten Roberts Harris. Steve is survived by his wife of thirty eight years, Debbie LeBeau Harris, his son, Matthew Ryan Harris, his daughter, Lauren Juliana Harris, a grandson, Dylan Beatty Killingsworth, brother J.C. Harris (Sandra), and sisters Pattye Hall (Larry), and Barbara Carter (Nebo), his nieces, cousins, and friends. Steve was a wonderful man, and the best son, husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend. He graduated from Vancleave High School in 1970 and from the University of Southern Mississippi in 1974. Steve was a member of Mt. Pleasant United Methodist Church in Vancleave and held many administrative positions through the years. He was a trustee at the New Prospect United Methodist Campground in Vancleave. Steve worked at Chevron USA in Pascagoula for 33 years, retiring in 2010. He always tried to do the best job he could possibly do at work and cared very much for his colleagues at Chevron. Steve loved to spend time with his grandson, Dylan, doing all the things a Papa and grandson do together. He loved to ride his Harley, especially with his friend, Jim Flurry. He loved to fish with family and friends. Steve really loved to deer hunt from the time he was a young man and could always tell the best stories about those deer hunts. He also liked to play golf but was never as good as he wanted to be. The annual Camp Meeting was a favorite of his and he looked forward to it every year. At home Steve loved to work in his yard and always had the family pool in beautiful condition. He liked to keep his truck in tip top shape and and enjoyed sitting outside at night waiting for the stars to shine. Everyone agrees that he he was a master cook on the grill and anyone who every ate one of his steaks, ribs, or brisket would agree. His mastery of seafood was delicious whether, boiled, grilled or fried. The annual family vacation to the Smokey Mountains was always a favorite of his along with his Harley trips with friends. Steve always took great care of his dogs throughout the years. He worked hard from the time he got up until bedtime. We never heard him say an unkind word about anyone. He was faithful to God, loving, compassionate, intelligent, and most of all kind to all. If all human beings were made like Steve the world would be a wonderful place. We love him and may he Rest In Peace. Visitation will be Saturday January 4th, 2020 from 10:00 to 11:00 am at Mt. Pleasant

United Methodist Church in Vancleave. A celebration of life, in his honor, will begin at 11:00 am from the church sanctuary. In lieu of flowers the family wishes donations to be made to Mt. Pleasant United Methodist Church or New Prospect United Methodist Campground. Friends and family may sign the online registry and share condolences to the Harris family at www.holderwellsfuneralhome.com. Holder-Wells Funeral Home, 4007 Main Street, Moss Point, Mississippi is in charge of arrangements.

Comments



“ I worked in the Estimating department with Steve at Ingalls in the 70's. He was a good man. Lost contact over the years.

George Hinkel - December 22, 2019 at 09:04 PM



“ I always enjoyed working with and talking with Steve. He was a really terrific person and a pleasure to be around. I am so sorry.

Norm Lewis

Norm Lewis - December 21, 2019 at 11:16 AM



“ Steve was a co-worker and a good friend. We shared the same love of hunting with beagles and many hunting stories. My sincere condolences and prayers to the family during this difficult time. He was a true blessing to have for a friend.
Sincerely,
Nelson & Beverly Copeland

Beverly Copeland - December 18, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ I worked at the refinery with Steve. He was always kind but very punctual in his knowledge of the refining process. He was the major influence in my promotion to Head Operator in which I will forever be grateful. My sincere condolences to all the family during this time of grief. The wonderful memories of his life help heal the hurt during this sad time.
Sincerely,
Kebo Lowery.

Kebo Lowery - December 18, 2019 at 09:35 AM



“ We worked with Steve during our time in Pascagoula. He was one of the nicest people we knew and a wonderful person to work with. Our most sincere sympathies for your loss.

Every time we hear George Strait's song "Cowboys Like Us" we think of Steve and the stories of his trips on his Harley.

Phyllis Enright & Mark Barbay

Phyllis Enright - December 18, 2019 at 02:47 AM



“ I worked with Steve in many assignments over the years at Chevron. Steve truly cared about other people, and always strived to do the right thing. I am deeply saddened by Steve's passing, and my thoughts are with Debbie and his entire family.

Bob Phillips

Bob Phillips - December 18, 2019 at 12:51 AM



“ Steve was a great friend and co-worker. My prayers for Steve's family and his huge circle of friends as we remember our friend and grieve together.

Burl Brewer - December 17, 2019 at 04:13 PM



“ Steve was fully committed to all of his endeavors including family and career. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of loss and grief.

Louis and Amy Henry - December 17, 2019 at 04:10 PM



“ Steve was always upbeat and helpful and I enjoyed working with him.
God bless his family
Bill Samuel

Bill - December 17, 2019 at 01:49 PM



“ I always held Steve in high regard - both personally and professionally - and he will be missed.

Our sincere condolences in your loss.
Sincerely- Steve & Phyllis Smith

Steven Smith - December 17, 2019 at 01:32 PM