



## Mr. Wayne J. Austin

December 2, 1939 - August 5, 2015

Services for Wayne J. Austin, 75, of Spring Garden will be Friday, August 7, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. at Thompson Funeral Home with Dean Beard and Stan Jones officiating. Burial will follow at Carmel Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday from 1-3 p.m. at the funeral home. Mr. Austin passed away Wednesday, August 5, 2015 at Gadsden Regional Medical Center. Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Sue Austin of Spring Garden; one daughter, Karen Grogan (Scott) of Cedartown, Ga.; one son, Ricky Austin (Dana) of Spring Garden; five grandchildren, Austin Robertson, Alex Robertson, Riley Austin, Cooper Austin, and Jaci Austin; one sister, Linda Nabors (Welton) of Piedmont; one brother, Keith Austin (Kathy) of Piedmont; and several nieces and nephews. Pallbearers will be Johnny Reedy, Shon Austin, Labron Nabors, Bo Batey, Rodney Broome, Howard Pittman, and Jeff Formby. Mr. Austin was a longtime resident of Spring Garden and was a member of Lozahatchee Masonic Lodge #97 of F&AM. He was a strong supporter of Spring Garden athletics and his community. He was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. He is preceded in death by his parents, Norman and Exa Lee Austin. In lieu of flowers, the family suggest donations be made to The Summit for Intellectually Disabled Adults, 309 Hazel Street, Centre, AL 35960 in memory of Wayne Austin and in honor of Austin Robertson.

# Tribute Wall

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“ We are praying for your family. We know how your hearts are aching. Nothing in life is worse than the passing of a family member that is loved so much. Please understand why we are unable to attend services.

*Don Minton  
Louise Minton*

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**Gerald D. Minton** - June 20, 2018 at 04:02 PM

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“ Sue, Karen, Ricky and family I am sorry for your loss Wayne was a good man and will be missed by us all. If there is anything I can do for any of you don't hesitate to call. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Kenny

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**Kenny Ingram** - June 20, 2018 at 04:02 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss. I know he will be missed by his family and friends that loved him so much.

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**Wayne and Glenda Naugher** - June 20, 2018 at 04:02 PM

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“ Wayne's family> My thoughts and prayers to each of you at this time. I met Wayne some years ago with Mr Merle Grimes . Wayne was a friendly person that you enjoyed meeting and talking to. May God bless and comfort each of you. Resp, Wendell Rakestraw, Woodsbend Community.

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**Wendell Rakestraw** - June 20, 2018 at 04:02 PM