



## Mr. Mark Houston Haney

October 26, 1937 - November 25, 2023

Mark Houston Haney, 86, of Walhalla, SC, passed away peacefully in the comforts of his home on Saturday, November 25, 2023.

Mark was born in Spartanburg, SC to the late Paul Ebenezer and Cecil Flora Swift Haney. He retired from Chicopee and was a veteran of the United States Army. Mr. Haney enjoyed reading the daily newspaper, listening to WGOG, telling stories, and living life to the fullest on his own terms.

In addition to his parents, Mark was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Juanita B. White Haney.

No funeral or memorial services will be held.

Personal condolences and memories may be shared at [www.davenportfuneralhome.com](http://www.davenportfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

CG

“ I'm saddened to have just learned of Mark's passing. I am a "Haney" cousin; great-granddaughter of Frank and Eliza Haney. Mark talked with me over the phone several times about the history of the Haney family (Buck & Catherine), and even came to Greenville once to visit with us. I will always cherish that time.



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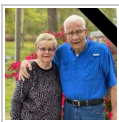
**Cathy C Gilreath** - February 25, 2025 at 06:59 AM

JH

“ My uncle Houston. My father was his big brother. He definitely lived his life on his terms. I had never met a man quite like him, and I know that I will never meet a man like him again. I don't know if there even are men like him, not anymore. I don't think someone like my uncle will truly ever exist again in this day and age. I learned much from him. I always enjoyed his stories, and even more so the deliberate, slow southern drawl which gave such color and depth to them. He used words that are just not used in the current times. One of the things I spose I took away from my time with him. After my father died, he took me to the Salmon river with him. A place where time had seemed to forget, and if I had ever fancied myself a mountain man at 10 years old, well, I understood that it was far from the TV version of Grizzly Adam's I was fond of in the 70's. I remember the smell of his leather, and the creak of his holster, where when we were hiking through the wilderness endlessly, almost lulled me to sleep, and gave comfort knowing that he was strong enough, as well as proficient enough with his magnum pistols of choice to defend against large predator attacks. His sense of humor, like my father's was infectious, however his sternness was also just as. You knew, just with a look what was going on, and from just a look, something behind the eyes, as with my father as well, you knew what seems to be impossible to even emote with a thousand words today. He was a very complex man, but without pretense or seeming to be. I am saddened that I have missed his passing as I had hoped to be able to see him again. Perhaps I will, perhaps he'll have a fire up ahead waiting.

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**James Haney** - March 28, 2024 at 08:12 PM



I work for a gentleman, Rodney Cox, who was very good friends with your uncle and he just found out tonight about his passing. He sends his deepest condolences and says there is a book that his wife, Chana, wrote about their life on the salmon river. It has your uncle in it. He would love to mail you a copy if you would like to read it. I hope this message finds you since this was almost a year ago.

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**Amber Leigh** - October 11, 2024 at 10:29 PM

JL

“ *jess&marcella langston sent a virtual gift in memory of Mark Haney*



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**jess&marcella langston** - December 04, 2023 at 10:57 AM

JL

“ *jess&marcella langston sent a virtual gift in memory of Mark Haney*



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**jess&marcella langston** - December 04, 2023 at 10:51 AM

JT

“ *Julie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mark Haney*



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**Julie Thompson** - December 04, 2023 at 08:36 AM

JL

“ *jess&marcella langston sent a virtual gift in memory of Mark Haney*



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**jess&marcella langston** - December 02, 2023 at 12:34 PM

RH

“ *RICKEY HOLDEN lit a candle in memory of Mark Haney*



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**RICKEY HOLDEN** - December 02, 2023 at 12:23 PM

NJ

“ *Nina James lit a candle in memory of Mark Haney*



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**Nina James** - December 02, 2023 at 11:42 AM