



Ralph Black

June 7, 2009

Leesville, SC—Ralph Black, 74, husband of DeEtte Kelley Black of Leesville, formerly of Seneca, died Sunday, June 7, 2009 at Heartland Hospice House, Columbia.

Born in Walhalla on March 24, 1935, he was the son of the late Bunyan and Nevada Hudson Black, Sr.

He served in the US Army for two years, stationed in Munich, Germany and served in the Army Reserves for five years.

Mr. Black worked as a heavy equipment operator with Thrift Brothers Construction for 45 years. He was a member of Bounty Land Baptist Church in Seneca with perfect attendance for over 30 years.

In addition to his wife of 53 years, Mr. Black is survived by daughter, Cindy (Phillip) Dudney of Leesville; granddaughter and love of his life, Savannah Nicole Dudney of Leesville; brothers, June (Bunyan, Jr.) (Evelyn) Black, and Randy (Carolyn) Black; sisters, Pauline (Tom) Lusk, Evelyn (Arthur) Todd, Shirley (Ed) Hamby, Glennis Fowler and Frances Black, all of Walhalla; and numerous nephews, nieces and their families.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 10, 2009 from the Chapel of Davenport Funeral Home in Walhalla with burial to follow in Oconee Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 9, 2009 at the funeral home.

The family is at the home of sisters, Glennis and Frances, 1730 Pickens Hwy, Walhalla.

Memorials may be made to the Ralph Black Memorial Fund, c/o BB&T, 975 By Pass 123, Seneca, SC 29678.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ralph Black*

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“ *Dear DeEtte:
Although it has been some time since we have seen you, all of your bowling family at Oconee Lanes miss you and are so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are not forgotten or ever alone. God bless you and keep you now and in the days to come.##imported-begin##Ray and Diane Labiendo##imported-end##*

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“ *Your family continues to be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Sebrena L. Matthews##imported-end##*

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“ *To all the freinds and family of Mr. Black, I offer you the deepest of sympathies in your loss of such a sweet man. You all will be in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##DeeDee Rogers##imported-end##*

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Jill Vaughn##imported-end##*

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“ We are so sorry for your loss, I (Edna) went to school with Shirley and Glennis, Just kept Jesus in your heart and He will help you carry this burden and will be beside you all the way. May God Bless all of you.

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