



Virgil Haynes Price

May 15, 1946 - March 9, 2025

Virgil Haynes Price, age 78 of Dayton, passed away at his home on Sunday, March 9, 2025. He was born in Rhea County on May 15, 1946, the son of the late Lee Price and Elsie May (Griffin) Price. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Regina Ruth Price, and his granddaughter, Kaysie Green.

Virgil lived in Dayton all his life and was the ferry boat operator on Highway 60 for 35 years. He enjoyed whittling, sitting on his front porch, gospel music, and riding in his truck with his beloved dog, Murphy.

Virgil is survived by his daughters, Debra Price of Oak Ridge and Milisa Branyon of Evensville; his sons, Jeff Price of Dayton and Christian (fiancé Paige Couch) Green of Dayton; his grandchildren, Amber (Daniel) York, Micah (fiancé Cheriden Key) Branyon, Emma Green, and Maylee-Ruth Green; his great-grandchildren, David York, Hezekiah York, Athena York, Sutter Branyon, and EmberLynn Willow; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Virgil will be in the funeral home chapel on Saturday, March 15, 2025, at 4:00 p.m. with Rev. Tommy Stephens officiating. He will be laid to rest at Spence Cemetery next to his wife.

Please share your memories and photos of Virgil on his online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton, Tennessee, where they will receive friends in the funeral home parlor on Friday, March 14, 2025, after 5:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 14. 5:00 PM (ET)

Vanderwall Funeral Home
164 Maple St
Dayton, TN 37321
(423) 775-2662

Funeral Service

MAR 15. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

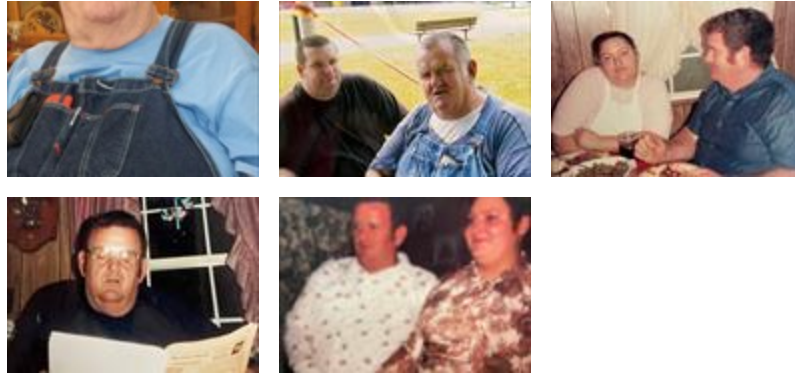
MAR 15.

Spence Cemetery
Dayton, TN

Tribute Wall



“ 12 files added to the album Memories Album



Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc. - May 19, 2025 at 10:33 AM

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“ He was an amazing man. Virgil was my great great uncle. His sister Pat was my grandmother, I remember going to the flea market every weekend as a kid. May he be at peace , he is missed dearly.



Kristi Orick - March 14, 2025 at 02:53 PM

TC

“ So sorry for your loss. He will be greatly missed.



The Creasmans - March 12, 2025 at 05:31 PM

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“ *My sweet Uncle was the best 😭 I have so many memories with you on the ferry boat and I'll never forget you Rip Angel*



dorothy winton - March 12, 2025 at 12:39 PM

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“ *Dorothy Winton sent a virtual gift in memory of Virgil Haynes Price*



dorothy winton - March 12, 2025 at 12:37 PM