



## Mr. Darrell E. Hicks

June 2, 1949 - January 11, 2014

Darrell Edward Hicks of Chickamauga, Ga departed this earth on January 11, 2014. Darrell was born in Marion county Tennessee on June 2, 1949. he was the only son of Paul and Dorothy Hicks. Darrell was raised in Marion County and was an avid fan of Marion County football. He was proud to be from there .Darrell held many interesting jobs during his life, he was a ride operator at Lake Winnepesaukah , a corrugated box maker for Marsh Packaging in Chattanooga as well as a gas station attendant but no job gave him the satisfaction as his last job selling watermelons and fruit in his adopted home town of Chickamauga,Georgia with his friend Trey Deck. Darrell was a friend to all with a smile and a sweet spirit and was well liked and respected by all he met, Darrell had many interest, he enjoyed fishing, flea marketing, collecting dolls and loved Tennessee women's basketball.Darrell was a Christian and was baptized in the waters of the Tennessee River. He was a main stay and the backbone of The Melon Patch Southern Diner where he was loved by all. Darrell will be missed greatly by his adopted family Trey, Karen, Jacob and Carly Deck of Chickamauga as well as cousins and friends. He will be missed by his best friend James Davis who was with Darrell through both good and bad times. A celebration of life will be held for Darrell on Sunday , January 19, 2014 at The Melon Patch Southern Diner in Chickamauga from 3- 4 PM. Mark Marikas will speak , we encourage family and friends to stop by and say a few words in honor of Darrell, In lieu of flowers please make a small donation to St. Jude Childrens Hospital in memory of Darrell.



# Tribute Wall

JC

“ I worked with Darrell at Marsh Specialty for years. He was a great guy and a good friend. I know he will be missed. My sympathies to his family.

*Strawberry and family*

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**James Deatherage (Strawberry) - Covington, GA - Former Co-Worker** - January 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ You will be missed by many people trey deck you and Karen carley and jake will be in my thoughts and prayers

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**Donna Spade - TN** - January 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ Leave a condolence or a memory.

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**Hope Craft - Ringgold, GA - health care provider** - January 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ Mr Hicks showed a love for life and his friends that was genuine. You are all in our prayers. Kelly, Megan, Sharon, and Hope at Hutcheson Chemotherapy-Fuller Cancer Center

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**Hope Craft - Ringgold, GA - health care provider** - January 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Darrell was a very kind and caring person, he will surely be missed. Trey and family you all will be in my thoughts and prayer.

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**John and Becky Tucker - Chickamauga, GA** - January 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ *It was a pleasure taking care of Mr. Hicks I his last days*

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**Tiffanie morris - Chickamauga , GA** - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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**Tiffanie morris - Chickamauga , GA** - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Darrell was a very sweet and kind man, you will be missed, R.I.P  
Darrell Hicks*

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**Donna Sherrill and Janet kelley - Chickamauga, GA** - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM