



## Raymond Lee Story

July 20, 1935 - May 19, 2016

First Sergeant Raymond “Pard” Lee Story, 80, of Rossville Ga., departed this life on Thursday, May 19, 2016. He was a resident of Rossville for over 43 years and will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Pard served in the United States Army and received the Bronze star for his service in the Vietnam War before retiring from the military to become a local plumber for the length of his career. He was an avid golfer and was a member of the Battlefield Country Club for many years. Pard was an amazing husband, father, friend, and caregiver to his kitty, Stella. The one thing he loved most is having “big fun” with his family. He is preceded in death by his parents, Lawrence Story and Mabel (Bryant) Sanchez, and grandson, Danny Haynes.

He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Patricia (Deems) Story, of Rossville, Ga.; children, Carlene (Wesley) Bowman, of Harrison, Tn., Darlene (Joe) Elmer, of Rossville, Ga., Sharon (Casey) Hill, of Locust Grove, Ga., Raymond L. Story Jr., of Savannah, Ga., Peggy (John Pless) Ellis, of Ringgold Ga.; grandchildren, Donnie, Jason, Tiffany, Amanda, Brandon, Brittany, Austin, and great grandchildren, Brianna, Jewels, Kierstin, Caden, Chloe, Wyatt, Weston.

Family will receive friends from 1-7 p.m. on Sunday, May 22, 2016 and again on Monday from 10:00 – 1:00 p.m. at Wilson Funeral Home, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. Burial will be private.

Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

# Tribute Wall

 Connie Parson

“ He is a Veteran who fought several tours in the Vietnam Nam War. Spent 20 years in the service. They have 4 boys and 1 son. He had a kitty, Stella, that he loved so much. Too look at him when I was wrong I would think he looked tough but then he would reach out and hug me and I would feel the love of an Uncle who was kind and loving. During my youth and teenage years he and Aunt Pat were always there to help me out just by loving me. I love you Uncle Ray and appreciate how you touched my life. Rest now and rejoice in the loving arms of our Jesus. Randy and Connie Parsonk

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**Connie Parson** - May 22, 2016 at 08:48 AM

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“ My heart is so very broken over losing you, Uncle Ray...I love you so very much! Heaven gained an Angel and I know you will be in the line with those whom are with you, ready to tell me a joke, when the Lord calls me home. You've raised a beautiful family, Aunt Pat, Carly, Darlene, Sharon, Peggy, and Junior (Raymond)...I love all of you so very, very much! My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this hard time🕊.

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**Harriett Creech** - May 20, 2016 at 12:19 PM

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“ This is a man who served his country with honor and loved his family unconditionally. He will be missed by so many of us, each in our own special way. I am grateful to have him as a beloved uncle and fellow American. To be absent from this world, but present with the Lord is a major accomplishment. Uncle Ray has run his race, we will continue ours until that great reunion day. There will be no sickness or sorrow on that day. My love and prayers go out to my Aunt Pat, his faithful wife and to my 5 cousins, his loving children.

Love

Earl & Wilda Hinely

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**Wilda Hinely** - May 19, 2016 at 08:01 PM

SJ

“ So sorry to hear of Ray's passing! My thoughts and prayers are with Patricia and the family during this difficult time.

Sandra (Turner) James

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**sandra (turner) james** - May 19, 2016 at 04:11 PM



*My daddy, my hero, my best friend, I miss you like crazy.*

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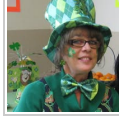
**Darlene Story Elmer** - May 19, 2016 at 05:53 PM



*My daddy was s real man a good father and the best joke teller ever I love you daddy rip I will do my best to do as you ask of me I am so proud of what you were thank you sir*

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**Sharon Hill** - May 19, 2016 at 06:21 PM



*There are men in my life that have truly made an impact on who I am. Uncle Ray was one of those men. He taught me love of country through his military service, love of family by sharing his time and family with my own, how to enjoy a good laugh by living large and stirring the pot every chance you get. Stay out of trouble in your new heavenly home Uncle Ray and know that you leave a legacy of people that love you. Until we meet again..... RIP soldier!!*

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**Sherry Mayo** - May 19, 2016 at 07:36 PM

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*My deepest sympathy to you, Peggy, your mom and the rest of your family for your loss. Great guy. Rest in peace, Ray.*

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**Carolyn Eisenman** - May 20, 2016 at 08:17 PM

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*A truly great friend and amazing husband and father to his children and family. Always enjoyed my time with him and his humor. An outstanding supporter of our nation as we all should be.*

*Rick Peterson*

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**Rick Peterson** - May 23, 2016 at 10:55 AM