



## Robert Ward

March 6, 1931 - June 30, 2008

ROBERT WARD GREENVILLE, SC

Robert Ward, 77, of 108 Elkhorn Drive, husband of the late, Helen Poole Ward, passed away Monday, June 30, 2008 at the Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center.

Born in Greenville County, he was a son of the late Earnest and Annie Mize Ward. Mr. Ward was a Plant Manager with W.R. Grace and a member of Cleveland First Baptist Church.

Surviving are three daughters and a son, Barbara Stracke and husband Bob, Sherry Adams and husband John, Gayle Beecham and husband Larry and Randy Ward; his fiancée Cleo Boller; a sister, Mattie Ruth Carter and husband Pete; 11 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his wife he was predeceased by a brother Jack Ward and a sister Mary Crane.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday at The Howze Mortuary Chapel with burial at Grand View Memorial Gardens.

The family received friends from 2 until 3 Thursday afternoon at The Howze

Mortuary.

The family will be at the home.

Memorials may be made to Cleveland First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 305,  
Cleveland, SC 29635.

Online condolences may be made to the family at [www.thehowzemortuary.com](http://www.thehowzemortuary.com)

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest, is in charge of arrangements. (864) 834-8051

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 3. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Dearest Gayle & Family, My heart breaks for you guys. What a wonderful & special man your Dad was. I so looked forward to seeing him when the opportunity came. My thoughts & prayers are with all of you. I send my love to you. Love, Janie##imported-begin##Janie##imported-end##

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July 03, 2008 at 11:40 AM



“ Dear Barbara, Sherry, Gale, Randy, and Cleo- We sure love Bob and we are praying for all of you at this time of sorrow. Bob was truly a great man and he will be missed. We feel blessed to have known him and to have been a part of his life.##imported-begin##Dan and Jessica Uzee##imported-end##

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July 02, 2008 at 02:39 PM



“ We loved and appreciated Bob, as he was in our Sunday School class at Cleveland. He was a very precious Christian man. We're certain he was very happy to see Jesus when he went home and that the Lord was glad to welcome him.

Love in Christ,  
Dottie & Joe Rhoden##imported-begin##Dottie & Joe Rhoden##imported-end##

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July 02, 2008 at 09:32 AM



“ Dear Barbara, Sherry, Gayle and Randy and family; Kim and I are sadden by the passing of Bob. He was a great neighbor and friend. Your Dad and I talked about the Lord under the cook shed at the "Buzzard Roost Resort" many times. He always had a positive outlook on things. He will be missed. You are in our Thoughts and Prayers. Ron & Kim Page###imported-begin###Ron Page###imported-end##

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July 02, 2008 at 08:57 AM