



## Walter "Andy" King

November 5, 1928 - May 24, 2012

Walter Andrew "Andy" King, 83, of Cleveland, SC, passed away Thursday, May 24, 2012 at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

Born in Fountain Inn, SC he was a son of the late John Sylvester and Mamie Estelle Ballew King. Mr. King was a graduate of Liberty High School where he was known as the "Liberty Flash". He was on the South Carolina All State High School Football Team in 1947 and he was also in the Shrine Bowl the same year. He was a US Marine Corps veteran of Korea; he graduated from Furman University in 1955 and was a member of the Paladin Club; he was also a member of the American Quarter Horse Association; Mr. King was a retired salesman and a member of the First Baptist Church of Travelers Rest. Surviving is his wife of 56 years, Ruth Anders King; a son Thomas Martin King and his wife Nancy; a daughter, Kelly King Wessel and husband Mark; a sister, Joan King Elrod; 6 grandchildren: Suzanne King Kolb and husband Charlie, Trevor Martin King and wife Ashley, Casey Elizabeth King, Andrew Lewis King, Kindal Ann Wessel and Kenneth Anders Wessel and 2 great grandchildren, Karis Haley King and Trace Martin King.

In addition to his parents he was predeceased by 3 brothers, John Monroe King, Byron Pershing King, Baron Wilson King and a sister, Sylvia King Anderson.

A memorial service will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at The Howze Mortuary Chapel.

The family will receive friends from 1 until 2 Friday afternoon at the mortuary

prior to the service.

The family would like to say a special Thank You to Bill Anderson, C3 Elder Connections, Helen Caummisar, Nancy Allen, Christy James and Judy Alford.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 25. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

MAY 25. 2:00 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *What a wonderful site. I have just read thurogh all your poetry and watched the video. I am in tears, all of you should be very proud of yourselves. It's more people like you that will help victims. Thank you A survivor##imported-begin##Annemarie##imported-end##*

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July 09, 2012 at 07:28 PM



“ *Dear Mrs. King,  
Tommy and Nancy and Kelly,  
I have just learned of the passing of Mr. King. I am so so sad. Mr. King was a wonderful gentleman and always nice to talk with. He will be missed by many.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you.  
MaryEllen Wilkinson##imported-begin##MaryEllen Wilkinson##imported-end##*

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June 05, 2012 at 08:03 PM



“ *Ruth, sorry to learn of Andy's death. He was one of my favorite "salesmen" at Intex. He was a lady's man but always a gentleman. Hope you are doing well. Love, Blanche##imported-begin##Blanche Matthews##imported-end##*

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May 27, 2012 at 01:42 PM



“ *Ruth and Family, We were so sorry to hear of the passing of my good buddy. I first ment him at USC and enjoyed playing golf with him in our latter years. God bless you and comfort you in your grief.  
Don and Joanne##imported-begin##Don Cox##imported-end##*

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May 26, 2012 at 03:35 PM



“ *My most sincere sympathy to the family.  
Andy and I became good friends at Furman, and enjoyed a lot of good  
golf times with the Fruman good guys. We will all miss him.  
May God be with you in this time of healing. Oris Crout##imported-  
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May 25, 2012 at 03:33 PM