



WAYNE C. MINK

April 28, 2026

Wayne C. Mink, age 82, of Oak Grove, Alabama, passed away peacefully at his home on April 28, 2026, surrounded by his loving family. He was born on July 25, 1943, in McCalla, Alabama.

Wayne, known to many as “Daddy Wayne,” was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and uncle who lived a life defined by service, hard work, and love for his family. He proudly served in the United States Navy and Navy Reserves. He also worked for Alabama Power for many years and then Jefferson County until his retirement. Wayne also pursued many other interests and jobs throughout his life, always staying active and engaged.

Wayne was preceded in death by his parents, Marvin Lee Mink and Esther Pearl Mink; his sisters, Linda and Dianne; and his brother, Ervin. He is survived by his beloved wife of 64 years, Judy Wise Mink; his sons, Richard (Lorraine), Blane (Sonya), and Derek (Laura); his sister, Jane Cables; his grandchildren, Hannah (Michael), Karson, Jesse, Holden, Selah, Elizabeth, Jeremiah, Kenna, Miali (Robert), Josie (Dalton), Scotti (Daniel), Karis (Josh), Landen, and Bella; and his great-grandchildren, Kenslea, Hannah, Bentleigh, Elliott, Luke, Cage, Reese, Kash, Searcy, Griffin, Jude, Dax, and Blue. He is

also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Jesse Mink, Holden Mink, Jeremiah Mink, Landen Parmely, Michael Hill, Wes Walby, Robbie Lavender, Randy Lavender, Paul Phillips, Sonny Phillips, Larry Pecht, and Bob McMillan.

Wayne will be remembered for his strength, dedication, and the deep love he had for his family. His legacy will live on through all who knew and loved him.

A visitation will be held at Peoples Chapel Funeral Home in Hueytown, Alabama, on Wednesday, May 6, 2026, from 9:30 AM until 10:30 AM. The funeral service will be at 10:30 AM at the Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Alabama National Cemetery, Montevallo, at 12:30 PM.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in his honor.

Tribute Wall

CC

“ *Judy, I heard about your loss of Wayne at church this morning.
You and your family are in my prayers.
I will never forget how sweet and thoughtful you were many years ago to me and my family.*

Even though it's been many years since we've caught up, I love you very much and so sorry for your loss! God bless you.

Love Connie Crane and family



Connie Crane - May 03 at 02:20 PM

JY

Judy and family. Our heart aches for your loss. We will be praying for all of you to find peace and comfort through your many tears.

What a man of many interests.

Always friendly. We are both so proud he was our friend.

James Arthur and the send our love and prayers.

James Arthur and Elaine York. - May 06 at 08:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of WAYNE C. MINK.*



May 03 at 01:15 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of WAYNE C. MINK.*

May 03 at 01:15 PM

TC

“ Judy and family, I am sorry for your loss. Praying for peace during this time of grief.

Tessie Carroll - May 02 at 11:58 PM

BG

“ Judy and family; I'm so sorry for your loss. May the LORD give you the comfort and strength to endure this difficult time. Prayers, sympathy, and love to you.

Bell Gandy - May 01 at 10:04 PM

JC

“ Wayne was always loving and a kind person . He had several cats he was a young boy and he loved his cats . I am going to miss my brother so very much . I bet my mother was so glad to see him when he got to heaven , because I know they are both there with Jesus.

Jane

Jane Cables - May 01 at 06:01 PM