



Howard Kirby

August 2, 1950 - October 24, 2019

Patrick South Carolina

Howard Franklin Kirby, 69, of Patrick died on Thursday, October 24, 2019 at his home surrounded by his loving family.

A private memorial service will be planned at a later date.

Howard was born in Florence County. He was the son of the late, Willie Joe Kirby and Sarah Dennis Kirby. Howard loved horses and dancing with his late wife, Rosie. He also could cook an excellent pound cake.

Surviving are his sisters, Wilma J. Myers of Aynor, and Angelia Roberts of Kentucky; his brother, Dennis Kirby of Florence; 3 grandchildren; many loving nieces and nephews and several great nieces, great nephews and great great nieces and nephews; 5 step children; several step grandchildren and great grandchildren; and his loving caregivers, Jo, Stephanie, and Angela.

Howard was preceded in death by his wife, Rosie Kirby; his son, Michael Kirby; and by his sister, Sara Lynn Johnson.

Cremation arrangements are being handled by Kistler Hardee Funeral Home and Crematory of Darlington.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be to the Alzheimer's Association.

Tribute Wall

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“ Wes And Kathy Walters And Bobby Oakley sent a virtual gift in memory of Howard Kirby



Wes and Kathy Walters and Bobby Oakley - October 30, 2019 at 12:49 PM

 Marty Clyburn

“ I met Howard and Rosie at the Golden Saddle where we became friends. They were two of the nicest, friendliest people I have ever met. When I moved in with my Mom to care for her, The Saddle had closed and I took her out on the weekends with me to the Carolina Nightlife. Howard would always dance with her and made her feel welcome. They helped her celebrate her birthdays and New Years and Halloween, and invited us to a pig picking at their home. I am thankful to have known both of them as well as all the other angels who made my Mama's last years happy ones. They all called her Mama or Grandma and she loved it. I picture Howard and Rosie dancing throughout eternity.

Marty Clyburn - October 29, 2019 at 01:44 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss prayers to all the family and friends.. Howard was a dear friend of mine both he and Rosie. I sure will miss him. He was one of a kind and I will always remember how much he loved his horses and that cow boy hat. You had better not mess with either one. RIP in peace my friend.

Robin Arrants - October 28, 2019 at 02:36 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss. I didn't know Howard really well but had several occasions to have breakfast with him and Rosie along with his brother Dennis and wife Patsy who introduced me to them. Over quite a few years I have grown to love this family more and more. Please know that my heart, thoughts and prayers are with you all during this very difficult time. God loves us all and will surely give you comfort and peace now and in the days ahead. May he keep you all forever in his care.



Theresa and Randy Moore - October 27, 2019 at 01:38 PM

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“ To the Kirby and Dennis family may you find comfort in these Hard Times To Come you are in our thoughts and prayers sincerely Mr Todd Northcutt and Mrs Sarah Frankie Jordan Harrell



Todd Northcutt - October 26, 2019 at 08:59 PM