



James Wishart Hayhurst Sr.

October 18, 1937 - March 30, 2025

James Wishart Hayhurst Sr., 87 of Cambridge, passed away on Sunday, March 30, 2025 at Cambridge Place. He was born in Antrim, Ohio on October 18, 1937, a son of the late Margaret (Wishart) and Perry Hayhurst.

Jim was a 1955 graduate of Madison High School and grew up on the family farm. After high school he hauled milk and pumped gas at a local station. He had worked at Vanadium, NCR and RCA, Montgomery Wards and Champion Spark Plug. After 34 years of service he retired from Champion in June of 2000. He showed American Saddlebred horses with the kids. He enjoyed riding motorcycles, square dancing and boating while the kids skied. He and his wife Carol were members of a ballroom dance club, founding members of SVRC horse club and they also had a photography business on the side.

They took pictures of many weddings and some high school graduation pictures. Jim was a collector of model trains and keyrings. He enjoyed going to auctions and remodeling and working on projects around the farm.

Jim is preceded in death by: his parents; his wife Carol E. (Simmons) Hayhurst, whom he married on August 30, 1958, she died in December of 2020; a sister Lois McPherson; a brother Tom Hayhurst; and a sister-in-law Essie Hayhurst.

Surviving are: his children, Alison M. (& Doug) Hecker of Cambridge, James W. Hayhurst Jr. of Cambridge, Hollie M. (& Mark) Lashley of Cambridge and Amy L. (& Brian) Zuess of Byesville; nine grandchildren: Thomas Hecker, Robbie Hayhurst, Riley Hayhurst, Rusty Hayhurst, Dana Lashley, Kyle

Lashley, Jesse Lashley, Zoe Zuess, Mike Zuess; his siblings, Ruth (& Paul) Tuttle, Martha (& George) Hammer Dave Hayhurst, and John (& Geri) Hayhurst; a sister-in-law Jeanne Hayhurst. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

Memorial visitation will be at Bundy-Law Funeral Home on Saturday, April 5, 2025 from 11 am to 1 pm with a memorial service beginning at 1 pm. Rev. Nancy Parsons will officiate. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Guernsey at P.O. Box 1165 Cambridge, Ohio 43725 or to the Cambridge Place at 1480 Deerpath Drive Cambridge, Ohio 43725. Jim's online guest book may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

At a later date

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

APR 5. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Bundy-Law Funeral Home
120 North 11th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725
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Memorial Service

APR 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ My family knew Jim in his teen and young adult years. My sister, Helen was in Jim and Carol's wedding party, and I saw both their smiling faces a few years ago at my sister's funeral. They both were special people, and I will cherish my memories of all the fun times we had together.
Dot Bradfield Merrilees

D.E. Bradfield Merrilees - April 12, 2025 at 04:18 PM

TM

“ Amy, James, and family. So sorry to hear of your dad's passing. He brings back memories of square dancing and smiling faces. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Tom and Sue McCauley - April 06, 2025 at 03:41 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Bundy-Law Funeral Home - April 05, 2025 at 01:48 PM

NU

“ I'm so sorry to learn of the death of your dad. I have many good memories of square dancing with he and Carol. May God comfort you at this time.
Nancy Umberger

Nancy Umberger - April 05, 2025 at 07:28 AM

DH

“ Alison, I was very sorry to hear you lost your Dad last week. Even though I only met him once or twice I could tell what a kind, endearing, and friendly person he was. May God comfort you knowing that he is in a place of light, refreshment, and peace. Love, your neighbor Diane

Diane Hebert - April 04, 2025 at 01:08 PM

FR

“ My thoughts , prayers, and condolences to the Hayhurst family especially to alison and James

Fran - April 03, 2025 at 12:42 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..



April 03, 2025 at 08:34 AM

LA

“ Amy and family so saddened to hear of Dad's passing was always a pleasure to see him in church . may the memories stay with you always , God grant you comfort and may he rest in eternal peace Sincerely , Loretta Anderson

Loretta Anderson - April 03, 2025 at 12:33 AM

BL

“ I’m so sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed seeing him at the Simmons home when it was their turn to host your annual Christmas dinner. I’m sorry I won’t be in town for the memorial service, but please know I’m thinking of you all and praying God will give you comfort and peace.
Bev Lyons

Beverly Lyons - April 02, 2025 at 09:36 PM

TF

“ The Byras and Morton families purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..



The Byras and Morton families - April 02, 2025 at 03:17 PM

TF

“ The Byras and Morton families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..

The Byras and Morton families - April 02, 2025 at 03:17 PM

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“ The Treier Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..



The Treier Family - April 02, 2025 at 12:08 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..*



April 02, 2025 at 10:52 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..

April 02, 2025 at 10:52 AM



“ *The Hammers and Family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..*



The Hammers and Family - April 01, 2025 at 05:27 PM



“ *We are sorry to hear of Jim's passing. As cousins we have many fond memories of family gatherings and reunions over the years. Richard and Martha Ellen Roberts Hartley*

Martha Ellen & Richard Hartley - April 01, 2025 at 12:14 PM

YF

“ *Your Deerassic Family purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of James Wishart Hayhurst Sr..*



Your Deerassic Family - April 01, 2025 at 10:24 AM

PB

“ *So sorry for your loss. What a nice man.
Jim & Paula Bakos*

Paula Bakos - April 01, 2025 at 09:25 AM

TF

“ *Love and prayers to the Hayhurst family. He was a sweet , happy person.*



The Stewart Family - March 31, 2025 at 08:28 PM

KM

“ *Remembering Jim as a kind, good, Christian man. He will be missed. Blessings & prayers for his family.
Deryl & Sue Mallett*

karen mallett - March 31, 2025 at 07:29 PM

DK

“ *Sending Thoughts and Prayers, Don & Darla Kahrig*



Darla Kahrig - March 31, 2025 at 04:52 PM

CH

“ *Prayers and Condolences for all of you*



Cheri Harding - March 31, 2025 at 04:06 PM