



Charles R. Benton

February 14, 1938 - May 28, 2026

Charles R. Benton
Pickens, South Carolina

Charles R. Benton, age 88, passed away peacefully at his home on Thursday, May 28, 2026.

Born on February 14, 1938, in Tallapoosa, Alabama, Charles was the beloved son of the late Rufus Benton and Annie Lee Keel Benton. He was a simple man who found joy in life's everyday pleasures. Charles loved watching westerns, NASCAR racing, wrestling, and women's softball. He never met a stranger and enjoyed talking with everyone he encountered. He especially loved working outdoors and staying busy outside whenever he could. His favorite word was "Whatever," a reflection of his easygoing spirit and content outlook on life. Charles was always in a good mood and never required much to be happy.

Survivors include his children, Terry Davis (Gary) of Jacksons Gap, Alabama, Michael Benton (Wanda) of Jacksons Gap, Alabama, Jimmy Wayne Benton (Robyn) of Pickens, South Carolina, and Melissa Morris (Barry Crawford) of Pickens, South Carolina; along with multiple loving grandchildren and great-grandchildren who will cherish his memory.

In addition to his parents, Charles was preceded in death by his beloved spouse, Louise Hammond Benton.

A visitation will be held on Friday, June 12, 2026, from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM, with a memorial service to follow at 2:00 PM in the chapel of Mountain View Funeral Home in Pickens.

Flowers will be accepted.

Mountain View Funeral Home is honored to serve the Benton family.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUN 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mountain View Funerals and Cremations - Pickens Chapel

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Memorial Service

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