



## Freddie L. Hattabaugh

March 26, 1942 - July 1, 2024

Freddie L. Hattabaugh, 82, of Ladson, SC, passed away on Monday, July 1, 2024 surrounded by family.

Fred was born on March 26, 1942, in Salem, IN, a son of the late Emmett Hattabaugh and Fern Miller Hattabaugh. He married the love of his life, Margaret “Jane” Hattabaugh on May 26, 1963, and they spent 61 years together! Fred met Jane at the university he was attending and completed his undergraduate within three years in order to get married. Fred was the Dean of Education at Henderson State University and the University of North Alabama. In fact, he was one of the youngest deans to serve, beginning his career at 29 years old. Fred enjoyed fishing, golfing, doing his Bible study, as well as scuba diving. He and Jane loved to travel, stepping foot in all 50 states! He also was an avid sports fan, especially watching the Chicago Cubs play baseball. Fred loved his family with all his heart with his proudest accomplishment being a wonderful Father, Grandfather and Great Grandfather to his family.

He is survived by his children: Mike Hattabaugh (Mary), Laura Corn (Scott), Marga Tabor (Hudson), and Nathan Hattabaugh; Grandchildren: Molly Hutchinson (Scott), Meghan Hattabaugh, Matthew Hattabaugh, Jeffrie Corn, Margaret Corn, William Tabor, Fredrick Tabor, Mila Tabor, Emmett Tabor, Anna Hattabaugh, Andy Hattabaugh, and Adam Hattabaugh; Great Grandchildren,

Lottie and Judah Hutchison; as well as his siblings: Larry Hattabaugh (Sue), Patty King, Helen Roberts (Barry), and Bill Clement, who has passed and his wife, Debbie.

A Visitation of family and friends will be held Saturday, July 6, 2024 at Bethany UMC Spell Chapel, 118 W 3rd S St, Summerville, SC 29483, from 1:00pm to 2:00PM. The Funeral Service will begin at 2:00PM. Burial will be at Florida Memorial Gardens, 5950 US-1, Rockledge, FL 32955, on Monday, July 8, 2024 at 1:00PM.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Fred L. and Jane Hattabaugh Endowed Scholarship Fund at the University of North Alabama Foundation, UNA Box 5113 Florence, AL 35632.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethany United Methodist Church - Spell Chapel  
118 W. 3rd S. Street  
Summerville, SC 29483

## Funeral Service

JUL 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethany United Methodist Church - Spell Chapel  
118 W. 3rd S. Street  
Summerville, SC 29483

## Burial

JUL 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

Florida Memorial Gardens  
5950 US-1  
Rockledge, FL 32955

# Tribute Wall



“ James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Freddie L. Hattabaugh



James A Dyal Funeral Home - July 03, 2024 at 08:54 PM

JG

What a Beautiful Family

Jan Roberts Gilmore - July 03, 2024 at 09:38 PM

DO

In 1954 in Stockland, Illinois...Freddie was a HERO of mine!! 2 yrs my senior, I thought .."This guy is sooo cool"..my dad taught school there..I was 10 ..he was 12... I was present at a basketball game a few yrs later when Freddie, with NO TIME ON THE CLOCK threw up a HAIL MARY HALF COURT SHOT with ONE SECOND ON THE CLOCK ..GLORY !! STOCKLAND WON THE COUNTY TOURNAMENT !! So pleased know of his accomplishments .. HE IS ...AND ALWAYS BE SPECIAL TOP ME ...There will never be a BETTER FREDDIE in my life ...I am Dick Oakley.. doak44@icloud.com would love to hear from Larry or any other relatives ...

Dick Oakley - March 27, 2025 at 08:06 PM

“ Dear Fred,

*After knowing you since I was a teenager, it is so difficult to believe that you are now in Heaven. You have always been a great husband to my sister, Jane, and a great father to four amazing children, Michael, Laura, Marga and Nathan. Plus, you have so many wonderful children and great grandchildren.*

*I remember spending many Christmases at your homes in Arkadelphia, Arkansas, Florence, Alabama, West Melbourne, Florida and Ladson, South Carolina. You and Jane always provided so much food and entertainment for our large family. I always looked forward to playing Bingo for hours and swapping prizes every time we would be at your house. I also remember the times you had snow in Arkadelphia and Florence. It was wonderful when you moved to Florida and South Carolina so we could enjoy the beautiful weather.*

*Also, I have always been impressed with your commitment to education and your achievement of earning your doctorate at a young age. I believe you must have encouraged your son, Michael, and your nephew, Tom, to achieve getting their doctorate. Fortunately, you encouraged and supported my sister, Jane, and your four children to accomplish several degrees. I know that you have always been very active in the churches wherever you lived by going to church and teaching Sunday School.*

*I remember the many times we would send e-mails when I purchased my first home computer in 1996. You were always so fast to reply and give good advice to use in my long career as an educator and media specialist. I am certain you must have influenced thousands of educators and students in your long career as the Dean of Education at two universities. I know that you attended many graduations as the Dean, and also you attended many graduations of your children and grandchildren. You are so fortunate to have visited fifty states, including Alaska and Hawaii.*

*Also, you and Jane travelled several times to visit Laura in Europe.*

*Please know that you will always be remembered for the many kind, caring and giving things you did for others. We are so very fortunate that you are in our family. I will always admire your intellect, positive attitude and courage. May God's blessings and love be with you forever.*

*Kathryn Swearingen*

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**Kathryn Swearingen** - April 30, 2025 at 04:56 PM

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“ *To the family of Freddie: So sorry to hear he passed away. Sending sympathy and prayers.*

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**Garrett/Cheryl Beebe** - July 12, 2024 at 03:15 AM

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“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My first class at UNA was with Dean Hattabaugh. I will never forget him saying on the first day, "The best way to cover a textbook, is to sit on it." That stuck with me. Teaching is more than getting through a textbook.*

*I also had the privilege of doing my student teaching in 2nd grade with Mrs. Hattabaugh. I will never forget her helping me get back to my apartment in Florence from Muscle Shoals during the worst ice storm. Good people, both of them.*

*Michelle Choate, Teacher in Huntsville and UNA graduate.*

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**Michelle Choate** - July 10, 2024 at 06:19 PM



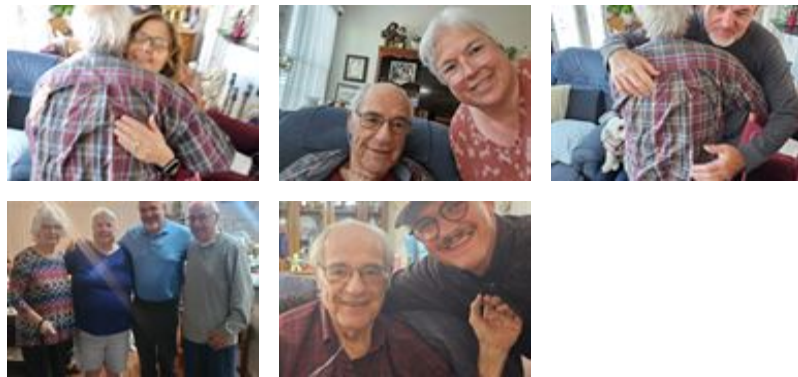
“ Kris P lit a candle in memory of Freddie L. Hattabaugh



Kris P - July 08, 2024 at 11:05 AM



“ 11 files added to the album LifeTributes



James A Dyal Funeral Home - July 04, 2024 at 11:14 AM



“ 69 files added to the album LifeTributes



James A Dyal Funeral Home - July 03, 2024 at 04:47 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Freddie L. Hattabaugh.*



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July 03, 2024 at 04:36 PM



“ *Love Hope and Diane planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Freddie L. Hattabaugh.*

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**Love Hope and Diane** - July 03, 2024 at 04:36 PM



“ *Laura, I am so sad to hear of your dad's passing. Since I lost my dad in February, I know how hard it is. Please know I will be thinking of you and the whole family, especially Jeff(Scott), Maggie and your mom.*  
*Sincerely,*  
*Jodi Brown & Beth Birkhimer*

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**Jodi Brown** - July 03, 2024 at 04:23 PM



“ *The Swearingen “Kids” purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Freddie L. Hattabaugh.*



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**The Swearingen “Kids”** - July 03, 2024 at 12:30 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Freddie L. Hattabaugh.*



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July 03, 2024 at 12:09 PM



“ *My sincerest condolences! Prayers for all as you navigate through this extremely difficult time. My love to all!*

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**Jennifer Stafford Culp** - July 03, 2024 at 10:46 AM



“ *Rest in peace, my precious brother-in-law. You brighten every moment we were together. A devoted servant of the Lord, loving husband, amazing father, family advocate and faithful friend. A true blessing to us all. Thank you for being you. Love always, Barbara Martin*

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**Barbara Martin** - July 03, 2024 at 09:14 AM



“ *I loved every time we got to visit, I will always remember his laugh. He was a very fun, loving person who excelled in all his roles in life! Sending lots of love and prayers!*

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**Shannon Matthews** - July 02, 2024 at 11:06 PM



“ *He was my brother, I loved him dearly Larry Hattabaugh*

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**Larry Hattabaugh** - July 02, 2024 at 07:14 PM