



## Harry Francis Young

June 16, 1951 - September 1, 2021

Harry F. Young (70yr) June 16, 1951- September 1, 2021

And

Patsy D. Young (78yr) May 16, 1943-September 7, 2021

Harry and Patsy are survived by their 4 children Paige Styles (Curtis), Ivy Lee (Rusty), Melissa Shead, Kathleen Winters (TC) and their 6 grandchildren, Abby, Paris, Mckenzie (Ben), Taylor, Claire and Gavin. Siblings, Pat Car (Jeannie), Roy Young, Robyn Miller (Paul), and Jimmy Harrison. Preceded in life by Parents, Ursula McCormick, Weldon Reed Harrison and Millie Bernice Harrison.

Harry, a Fla. Native, was a principled man with a strong set of ethics and high standards. As a college professor at Kennesaw State University, he taught and touched many lives. He mentored many of his students who stayed in touch until his final days. To know Harry was to love him.. He was a true history buff who could answer any question you had about the past. He enjoyed Boating, Fishing, and eating out with friends and family.

As a Husband and Dad Harry was the living example of what true love looks like. He was self sacrificing, generous, educated, wise and full of sound advice. He enjoyed taking his grandchildren to the beach, fishing and to the movies. One of his many quotes, "We are going to have a little popcorn with our butter." Not sure if he liked the movie or the popcorn more.

I can hear him saying, "Your children are your children, no matter how you get

them, you love them the same." And that he did! He never differentiated one from the other; truly he was a man of his word.

Patsy was raised in the Atlanta area where she received her schooling. As an energetic employee she excelled in every administrative position she held. She made friends wherever she landed. She was an active member of the Red Hat Ladies, The YMCA Silver Sneakers where she enjoyed water aerobics. She enjoyed Ceramics, Ballroom and Line Dancing, Traveling and new experiences but most of all, Shopping.

As Wife, Mother and Grandmother, Patsy was the care giver of the family. Generously she gave her time and resources to make everyone's life better. One who was always willing to take someone in who needed a place to stay. She enjoyed preparing family dinners, giving gifts, teaching her grandchildren and taking them on excursions.

Both Harry and Patsy were well loved and respected in their Florida Community.

A Celebration of Life Ceremony will be planned at a future date.

# Tribute Wall

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“Now, let me tell you, because you probably won't believe this, but...” Was how Harry started almost every story. And he'd follow it up with, "Yup, true story." And I'm sure most of them were true. They were always entertaining and always told with such passion and enthusiasm.

This is how I remember Harry. Each day at Navistar was a delight when working with him. Taking long lunches with Harry and the guys to share stories, gripes, and good-natured ribbing. Years after we all parted ways at that company, we'd still check in on each other a few times each year. Every time I got a letter in the mail from Harry, I couldn't help but smile.

I'll create one final Christmas letter this year for you, Harry, but this time it'll be to say the goodbye that I wasn't able to say while you were still with us. You are and will continue to be missed.

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**Jessica Porter** - September 27, 2021 at 10:06 AM