



## Melvyn Ray Myhan

March 28, 1944 - February 8, 2025

Melvyn Ray Myhan, age 80, of Decatur passed away on Saturday, February 8, 2025 at his residence. A Memorial Service will be Saturday, February 15, 2025 at 1:00 PM at Shelton Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Gary Gates officiating. The family will receive friends at the chapel from 11:30 AM until the start of service.

Mr. Myhan was born in Colbert County, Alabama on March 28, 1944 to Luther and Mildred (Fore) Myhan. He was a Conductor by trade for the Railroad Industry, and retired after 36 years at Southern Railroad.

Mr. Myhan found joy in gardening and working in his yard; but his greatest joy was his family. Melvyn was a loving husband, father, step-father, and grandfather. His kindness and love will endure in the hearts of all who knew him.

Mr. Myhan was preceded in death by his son, Shannon Myhan; parents, Luther and Mildred; brother, Maurice Myhan; and sister, Margorie Briggs.

Mr. Myhan is survived by his wife, Dorothy Myhan; son, Wade (Molly) Myhan; step-son, Jathan Hunter Harris; step-daughter, Teresa Ann Gates (Shannon); grandchildren, Mason and Sophie Myhan; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Although we mourn his passing, we take comfort in knowing that he has been reunited with his loved ones in the embrace of eternal peace.

# Previous Events

## Receiving of Friends

FEB 15. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Shelton Funeral Home Chapel  
2105 Beltline Road SW  
Decatur, AL 35601

## Memorial Service

FEB 15. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I was sad to learn of Melvin’s passing. I didn’t work with him very often but when I did I always enjoyed it because he was one of the best “Railroaders” I knew. My sympathies and prayers are with his family.

*Mike Myhan*

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**Mike Myhan** - February 17, 2025 at 10:05 AM

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“ Michelle Liles lit a candle in memory of Melvyn Ray Myhan



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**Michelle Liles** - February 11, 2025 at 11:56 PM