



## Max Edward Hale

January 22, 1954 - May 1, 2025

Longtime Rising Fawn resident Max Hale passed away on May 1, 2025. He was born on January 22, 1954.

Max was very proud of being one of the original members of South Dade Fire and Rescue, where he served for over 30 years. Many tall tales have been based upon adventures at the South Dade Fire Hall - from long days spent working on equipment, to fun had at the Community Center during Fall Festivals and barbecues.

Max leaves behind his wife of 47 years, Marie Hale; daughters Deborah Hale (Steve Stav) and Heather Chance (Chris Chance) - as well as grandchildren Alex (Hannah) Kennedy, Madison Kennedy, Frost Gott, Katherine Cagle, Makaela Chance, Bradley Chance, and four great-grandchildren.

There will be a celebration of life to be held at the South Dade Community Center at 2pm on June 28th. All are welcome, and friends and family look forward to sharing stories over refreshments. Expressions of sympathy may be shared at [ryanfuneralhome.net](http://ryanfuneralhome.net).

Ryan Funeral Home & Crematory, Trenton, GA.

# Previous Events

## A Celebration of Life

JUN 28. 2:00 PM (ET)

South Dade Community Center  
265 School Street  
Rising Fawn, GA 30738