



Ray Lewis Wright

March 9, 1924 - October 30, 2020

Ray Lewis Wright was born March 9, 1924, to the late William Wright and Minnie Strawberry Wright, in Hurlock, Maryland.

Ray received his education in the Dorchester County Schools. Ray's dad died when he was fifteen and the family moved to Waddell's Corner, in Hurlock. He had already developed a strong work ethic and remained a hard worker even after he retired.

Ray loved gardening, hunting squirrels and rabbits, fishing, and building things. He worked as a farmer for Howard Philips and his son, William Philips, and as a laborer in the seafood industry.

Ray met Ida Mae Israel and they married on November 25, 1993. Ida had three children from her previous marriage, Hazel Smith, Vivian Israel and Joseph Israel; along with several grandchildren.

Ray was preceded in death by his parents, William and Minnie Wright; wife, Ida; stepson, Joseph; siblings, Mary Parker, James, Edna, Leon, Roger, Wilbert, Margaret Norma Lee, Vernon, Lucille and Willie Richard Wright.

Ray leaves to mourn, yet cherish his memories, sister, Mother Ella Holland; children, Hazel Smith, Vivian Israel and their grandchildren; nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Loving Submitted,
The Family