



## Hayward "Tony" McKinney II

November 22, 1965 - June 8, 2025

Hayward "Tony" Anthony McKinney, II, 59, of Steinhatchee, Florida passed away June 8, 2025. He was born November 22, 1965, at the Bitburg Airforce Base in Germany. He had lived in the Steinhatchee area since moving here from Valdosta, Georgia following graduating from high school.

Tony graduated and was a football star at Hahira High School in Georgia. He spent most of his adult life working a crab boat, or fishing commercially. He was not only good at it, but loved doing it too. Tony loved music and even had dreams of starting a radio station in Steinhatchee.

Tony is survived by his son Dillon McKinney of Jena, Florida, his father Haward McKinny, Sr. of Steinhatchee, Florida and other extended family members. He was preceded in death by his wife Missy Markham McKinney and his mother Theresa McKinney.

Graveside funeral services for Tony will be held 5:00 PM Wednesday, June 11, 2025, at the Mt. Olive Cemetery in Jena, Florida, with Chaplain Jason Evans officiating.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at

[rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com](http://rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Olive Cemetery

1039 SW 320th Ave  
Steinhatchee, FL 32359

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 11. 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Rick Gooding Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Hayward "Tony" McKinney II



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**Rick Gooding Funeral Homes** - June 13, 2025 at 11:38 AM

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“ Gloria Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Hayward McKinney



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**Gloria Gilbert** - June 30, 2025 at 01:52 AM

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**Gloria Gilbert** - June 12, 2025 at 10:06 AM