



## Tom "Shig" Pace

October 17, 1950 - June 20, 2016

Tom "Shig" Pace was born on October 17, 1950 to the late Christine Pace and surviving father, Hoover Pace. Tom attended Hardee Senior High School where he was a phenomenal football athlete, setting football records that have never been broken to date. Tom was scouted by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, however declined the opportunity to play professional sports to help support his family. Tom would soon meet and marry Bertha Pace on August 11, 1983. Tom had 7 step- children; Chris Felder (proceeded in death), Sandy Felder, Blease Gibson, Thomas Gibson, Yita Gibson, George Felder, and Tacoma Pace.

Tom was a faithful member of the Will Duke Road Church of Christ where he remained an active member until his demise.

Tom was a loyal employee at Bill's Muffler Shop for many years until overtaken by illness. Prior to becoming sick, Tom enjoyed fishing, cooking, and spending quality time with his friends and family.

Tom leaves to cherish his memories , his loving wife Bertha Pace and children, his father Herbert Hoover Pace, his siblings; Annie Talio, Frank Pace, Herbert Hoover Pace Jr, Janice Pace, Corine Pace, Eugene Pace, Hardee Pace and Effie Goughler. One step- sister; Rhonda Caswell. Two Aunts; Mary Armstrong and Nettie Whately, Five Uncles; Roy Faulk, Tommy Faulk, Thomas Faulk, Owen Faulk, and Danny Faulk. Close friends; Carolyn Luther and children. Tom also leaves behind a host of loving step-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins with whom reside throughout

the State of Florida.

Visitation Friday July 1, 2016 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. in the Robarts Garden Chapel

Funeral Saturday July 2, 2016 2:00 P.M. Will Duke Road Church of God  
Interment will follow services at Magnolia Manor

Officiating Brother Tommy Faulk

# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Manor Cemetery

Wauchula, FL 33873

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

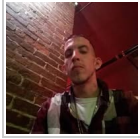
Robarts Garden Chapel  
529 West Main Street  
Wauchula, FL 33873  
(863) 773-9773  
robartsfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<http://www.robartsfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

JUL 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Will Duke Road Church of Christ  
240 Will Dukes Road, FL 33873

# Tribute Wall



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**Tommy Abner** - July 06, 2016 at 09:10 PM

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“ *You will truly be missed buddy.*

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**Jimmy Goughler** - July 05, 2016 at 07:40 PM

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“ *Ole Shig was not a friend, he was a buddy. If you needed help, someone to go fishing or junkin, or just needed a shoulder, he was there for you. His most outstanding feature was his laugh! He loved a good joke, a funny story and loved to tell them, too. You'll be missed, my favorite "baby brother". We'll be looking for you at your new finishing hole on the other side!*

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**Mardi Sumner** - June 30, 2016 at 10:49 AM



*I'm late cause I just found out he'd passed away. My sympathy to his wife, children and family. God bless.*

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**Sharon Turner** - April 04, 2018 at 09:24 PM