

**JACK ELMER COWART, SR.**



Jack Elmer Cowart Sr., 81, of Callahan, went home to be with the Lord on February 22. He was born on May 10, 1937 in Waycross, Georgia to John and Ellen Cowart. He worked in logging at the age of 16 and married the love of his life Myrtle at the age of 17. He was a devoted worker of the Railroad for over 32 years and had his own gas station in Fernandina Beach. Jack loved cooking, gardening, fishing and hunting but his greatest passion was his family.

Jack is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Myrtle Cowart; children Sarah (Victor) Hatton, Jack E. (Irene) Cowart, Jr. and Vivian (James) Miller; eight grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and many nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends Friday, March 1 in the Nassau Funeral Home Chapel from 5-7 p.m. The funeral service will be held Saturday, March 2 also in the funeral home chapel at 10 a.m. with Bill Crane officiating. Interment will follow in Verdie Cemetery in Bryceville.

Pallbearers will be Boogie “Jack III”, Colton, Dusty, Jason, Junior and David.

Condolences may be expressed at [www.nassaufh.com](http://www.nassaufh.com).

Arrangements under the direction of Nassau Funeral Home, Callahan, 904-879-1770.