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In Memoriam: Greg Soles

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Greg Soles of Darwin Perennials passed away unexpectedly on May 12. He was 65. A long-time horticulturist, Greg held many positions within the industry, most recently with Darwin, where he served as a Product Representative. He also spent time with Yoder Brothers and Conard Pyle/Star Roses, and before that he owned a nursery business with his wife, Rose.

John Friel, long time *GrowerTalks/Green Profit* columnist and Marketing Manager for Emerald Coast Growers, says everyone at Emerald Coast was shocked to hear the news.

"A good guy. He's been our liaison with Star Roses & Plants and was due to visit us tomorrow with new varieties for our trial garden." **GT**