



Chris Carreno

December 25, 1963 - January 26, 2020

Chris Carreno, age 56 of Snellville, passed away on Sunday, January 26, 2020. Funeral Services will be held at 1:00 PM on Saturday, February 1, 2020 in the Lawrenceville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home. Rev. Scott Cramer, Rev. Bubber Van Wye, Rev. David Van Wye, & Rev. Henry Van Wye, his former minister for 25 years, will officiate. The family will receive friends before the service from 10:00 AM until 1:00 PM. The burial will follow at Eternal Hills Memory Gardens in Snellville. Chris was a bus driver for the Gwinnett County Board of Education for the past 12 years. He was very active in church, Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, as Deacon, Sunday School Teacher, the bus ministry and he played in the worship band. Chris and his wife, Rhonda, were high school sweethearts and have been together for 39 years. He is survived by his wife, Rhonda Carreno of Snellville; parents, Gale & Rita Carreno of Lawrenceville; sister and partner, Lisa Carreno & Lorene Irizary of Forestville, CA; and many aunts, uncles & cousins. Arrangements by Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road SW, Lawrenceville, GA 30046. 770-962-3100. Please leave online condolences at www.stewartfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Eternal Hills Memory Gardens

3200 Stone Mountain Highway
Snellville, GA 30039

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Funeral Service

FEB 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road, S.W.
Lawrenceville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Chris Carreno*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 29, 2020 at 04:01 PM

LC

. Prayers and thoughts are with the family. Loretta Chavez

Loretta Chavez - January 31, 2020 at 07:46 PM

BC

Gale Carreno -- Optimist Club -- We are shocked over the loss of your son . May you find some peace in knowing Where He IS . John 14: 1 -6 says Jesus will go to prepare a place for you and return again , and take you to it . Be assured this has happened to Chris . May you feel the Loving , Caring , Concerning Arms of GOD around you in this difficult time. Bob Cooper

Bob Cooper - February 03, 2020 at 10:02 PM

JF

*Your family and friends will cherish the time we were able to spend together, God be with you always!
Snooky and Family!*

Joe Fernandez - February 04, 2020 at 10:03 AM

SF

Gale & Rita, I am so profoundly sorry for your loss! Cherish the memories. Chris was a man of faith and will now be with God's loving arms. Prayers for comfort for the entire family.

Sandra Fernandez - February 04, 2020 at 12:57 PM

RR

*Rita and Gale I am so sorry for the loss of your son. You have my sincere sympathy.
Rita Rodriguez*

Rita Rodriguez - March 14, 2020 at 02:30 PM



“ Chris Carreno

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM

TL

“ *I am sadden by this news ! My kids rode his bus. He was such a great man . Mr. Carreno was teaching my son and a friend how to play the guitar. He did his job with love and a smile everyday !! He will be missed but never forgotten !*

Theresa Lopez - February 05, 2020 at 11:35 AM



“ *Gale and Rita I am so sorry for your loss. I just found out about Chris. Please know my prayers are with y'all. Love you Sandy Lasseter*

Sandy Lasseter - February 04, 2020 at 06:27 PM

DL

“ *Demika Lewis sent a virtual gift in memory of Chris Carreno*



Demika Lewis - February 01, 2020 at 05:48 PM

JS

“ Love & prayers for you Rhonda & family .
Chris was a great example of a Christian man
who loved the Lord. I always love to hear him
play the guitar and sing. We will cherish the
memory of him . Ricky, Janet & Ryan



Janet Still - February 01, 2020 at 12:26 PM

GO

“ It is with Sad Hearts that we offer you our most Sincere Sympathy.
May it comfort your heart to know Chris's Heart Felt Laugh,
Contagious Smile, and Above all , God Loving Spirit will never be
missing from his Friends at GCPS O7B and He will Live on in us as
we Strive to bring that Spirit to our lives and those we Transport.
Soar Chris ! You Will Forever Be Missed.

GCPS O7B - February 01, 2020 at 07:51 AM

DC

I love you Mrs Rita and hold on to what he left you with. A whole lotta
love and new family and friends that love him like you did.
Deidre

Deidre Johnson, CMA - August 11, 2020 at 11:58 AM



“ Rhonda,

Our hearts are full for the love we have for you and Chris. You mean the world to us and although it makes us sad that Chris is not here with us, we will miss him, we know that he is in heaven with Papa, daddy and those that have gone before us. We all want to be there for you and are so sad that we cannot be. Know that we are thinking about you and are always here for you. We hope to see you soon and more often. Much love from your Putnam County, FL family.

Tammy (Long) McEnroe, Patrick, Zachary, Zack and Noah

Tammy McEnroe - January 31, 2020 at 04:45 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 31, 2020 at 12:27 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 31, 2020 at 12:16 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.* ”



January 30, 2020 at 10:47 PM



“ *New Life Sunday School - Norcross 1st UMC purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Chris Carreno.* ”



New Life Sunday School - Norcross 1st UMC - January 30, 2020 at 07:32 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.* ”



January 30, 2020 at 02:08 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.* ”



January 30, 2020 at 08:53 AM

KG

“ Kelly Del Gatto lit a candle in memory of Chris Carreno



Kelly Del Gatto - January 29, 2020 at 09:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 29, 2020 at 08:51 PM

FF

“ From the Deeker family purchased the Serene R etreat for the family of Chris Carreno.



From the Deeker family - January 29, 2020 at 08:08 PM



“ 22 files added to the album Life Tributes



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 29, 2020 at 04:01 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 29, 2020 at 03:08 PM



“ 36 files added to the album Life Tributes



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 29, 2020 at 02:56 PM

DS

“ *Dr. Larry & Lisa Saltzman and Staff purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Chris Carreno.*



Dr. Larry & Lisa Saltzman and Staff - January 29, 2020 at 02:42 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 29, 2020 at 01:02 PM

LG

“ *Love Wayne, Maria, Eric, Shawn, Aaron & Judy Gonzalez purchased the Divine Light for the family of Chris Carreno.*



Love Wayne, Maria, Eric, Shawn, Aaron & Judy Gonzalez - January 29, 2020 at 12:36 PM

BB

“ *Praying for you and we are here if you need anything. You are surrounded by so many who love you including our precious Savior.*

*In His Grip,
The Brock Family*

Bridget Brock - January 29, 2020 at 10:35 AM

LF

“ Love, Badia Family purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Chris Carreno.



Love, Badia Family - January 29, 2020 at 09:38 AM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 29, 2020 at 02:57 AM

EB

“ Every time I went to bible study on Wednesdays You and Your wife were there.

You were always so happy to be there!

You always had a praise report no matter how small or big it was you always had something to share! Whether a child on your bus gave their life to Jesus or when they gave Your beautiful wife a better position at her job, you were always so eager to share the blessing GOD had placed in your presence!

I personally didn't know you but from what I saw I know for sure Heaven has gained an Angel.....

Ebonie Baxter - January 28, 2020 at 07:53 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 28, 2020 at 06:12 PM



“ *With love from Agueras and Davidsons purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Chris Carreno.*



With love from Agueras and Davidsons - January 28, 2020 at 04:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 28, 2020 at 03:47 PM



“ *Rodney & Samantha Schremp purchased the I Have You in My Heart Memorial Throw for the family of Chris Carreno.*



Rodney & Samantha Schremp - January 28, 2020 at 02:28 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 28, 2020 at 02:24 PM



“ From “Friends at the Press Democrat” purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Chris Carreno.



From “Friends at the Press Democrat” - January 28, 2020 at 12:47 PM



“ Orchid C. purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Chris Carreno.



Orchid C. - January 28, 2020 at 12:47 PM

MA

“ From the first day we met Chris at church, he had a huge smile on his face. He always had a radiant smile every time we saw him. He was an awesome servant of the Lord as was his beautiful wife, Rhonda. They made it their purpose to serve the Lord and you could see it and feel it. He always made you feel like he really cared about you and what you were saying and he did care. His love for the Lord and his desire to bring souls to the Lord was always evident. He's going to be very missed by those left behind but I know he was SO WELCOMED in Heaven and he's finally met our Heavenly Father. He was excited to meet all those wonderful people he had read about in the Bible so many times and I can only imagine the questions he had for them. We're so happy for Chris knowing he's in Heaven even though he went sooner than anyone expected. My prayers go out to his precious wife, Rhonda and his family. We are so sorry Chris left you so soon but God will give you the strength to get through this. HE IS WITH YOU EVERY MINUTE OF EVERY DAY. Rhonda, we love you very much.



Michelle Allen - January 28, 2020 at 12:13 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 28, 2020 at 10:57 AM

TF

“ Tony Fernandez purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Chris Carreno.



Tony Fernandez - January 28, 2020 at 10:48 AM

TF

“ Chris Carreno is a cousin of mine, but I will always remember him as a brother in Christ. In fact he was closer than a brother. I still remember first meeting him at a family reunion that his parents and aunts held in Pass Grille Beach in Florida in August 2002. His aunt had led me to Christ years before but I had chosen to stay in the Catholic Church and try to witness to other Catholics as a Catholic. Then, years later I ran into him and Rhonda again there in Georgia at the now defunct Gospel Light Baptist Church. One memory that also sticks in my mind was when I went to a Gospel Light service, intending to surprise him and I learned that he and a number of people broke away from Gospel Light. I ended up being the one that was surprised. There are so many memories. I send my deep love and prayers. Chris was truly a man of God.

Love, Tony Fernandez

Tony Fernandez - January 28, 2020 at 10:42 AM

GG

“ Rhonda,

My family and I were so sorry to hear of your husband's passing to Heaven. Please know that you and your family are in our prayers! If you need anything please reach out to Gaynell and she will notify the rest of my family.

We love you so much!

Gloria Gresham, Gaynell Anderson and our entire family.



Gloria Gresham - January 28, 2020 at 10:22 AM

LB

“ Love, Roy, Dottie, Roy III, Crisit, Roy IV, Bobby purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Chris Carreno.



Love, Roy, Dottie, Roy III, Crisit, Roy IV, Bobby - January 28, 2020 at 08:34 AM

LB

“ We send our deep love and prayers. A fine man of God. He and his wife are wonderful servants of the Lord. God comfort this family. You are in our prayers. Larry and Susan Ballard

Larry and Susan Ballard - January 28, 2020 at 07:54 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 28, 2020 at 01:00 AM



“ So sorry for your Loss. may god bless you all at this horrific time of grief . May you also find peace in knowing that Chris is at peace . My best wishes and deepest sorrow and condolences . Love to all, and know that i am here for you , and that you do have lots of support. Love Shirley, Joe , Alyssa & Shirley Sr, Borrillo

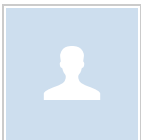
Shirley Borrillo - January 27, 2020 at 08:55 PM



“ Ann Summers lit a candle in memory of Chris Carreno



Ann Summers - January 27, 2020 at 08:53 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.



January 27, 2020 at 08:31 PM

TF

“ *The Board & Staff of Rebuild NorthBay Foundation purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Chris Carreno.*



The Board & Staff of Rebuild NorthBay Foundation - January 27, 2020 at 07:04 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 27, 2020 at 07:03 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Chris Carreno.*



January 27, 2020 at 06:10 PM