



## Darryl R. Vandeford

September 21, 1940 - May 16, 2007

VANDEFORD, DARRYL R. - Darryl R. Vandeford, age 66 of Lawrenceville died Wednesday, May 16, 2007. Funeral Services will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, May 19, 2007 at Lawrenceville Church of God. Rev. John Colbaugh and Rev. Lewis Stover will officiate. Burial Gwinnett Memorial Park, Lawrenceville. A loving husband, father, grandfather, and long time attorney in the Lawrenceville area, Mr. Vandeford graduated first in his Law class at John Marshall University in 1965 and a member of the Bar Association since 1965. He was a member of the Lawrenceville Church of God and loved the outdoors. Mr. Vandeford is survived by: Wife of 45 years: Grace Kilgore Vandeford, Lawrenceville; Children: Scott & Carol Vandeford, David & Karen Vandeford, all of Loganville; Curtis Vandeford, Newnan; Brother: Ray Vandeford, Bakersfield, CA; Sister: Lois Thompson, Dallas, GA; 8 Grandchildren, Several Nieces & Nephews. Family will receive friends from 10AM - 9 PM, Friday, May 18, 2007 at the Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045. 770-962-3100. Please sign online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

MAY **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Lawrenceville Church of God  
Lawrenceville, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Darryl R. Vandeford*

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *Today you left us  
When we didn't know  
We loved you too much to let you go  
Please stay with us when you can  
Keep us warm in winter  
Send us summer breezes  
Please be there for us  
As we send all our thoughts and prayers  
floating up to you.  
D and M.*

marilyn mcfall - August 16, 2016 at 06:05 PM



“ *tried submitting a photo of your granddaughter she looks so much like you but it didnt take sorry###imported-begin###Dawne Michelle###imported-end###*

September 10, 2010 at 01:23 AM



“ *Hi Daddy thinking of u and all the childhood laughs.  
Elaine loved you very much and so did I###imported-begin###Dawne Michelle ###imported-end###*

September 10, 2010 at 12:18 AM



“ Hello bros!  
I'm new here. I've accidentally found this interesting site and decided to sign up here!  
I hope we'll communicate with each other nicely! So this is my first post!###imported-begin###Braip Triano###imported-end###

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November 02, 2008 at 03:11 AM



“ Hi webmaster!###imported-begin###Kazell db###imported-end###

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October 18, 2008 at 08:01 PM



“ ctabx pizwv beqdi pxuw jszg phifavlr u onusvp###imported-begin###iflauqw wenc###imported-end###

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August 11, 2008 at 10:39 PM



“ Dad,  
One year ago today was the day that we lost you. I hope you know what an impression you left on my life. I pray that you are looking down and smiling on us. I hope that we make you proud. I love you so very, very much. Not one day goes by that I do not think of you. I miss you more and more everyday. I wish that we could treasure the moments we have when we have them, instead we let them get away. You are so very missed and loved. It will never be the same without you.

Love,  
Your son  
Curtis###imported-begin###Curtis ###imported-end###

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May 16, 2008 at 01:10 PM



“ Hi, Daddy

*Just wanted you to know I was thinking of you, as you know, there are so many unresolved questions you feel you should never ask your parents. I never did stand in jealousy or raise pain to you you know, just ran from it all. I know you hated I would not stand up and acknowledge who I was, I remember things you said in my adulthood. I never lashed at you for all the time with others and not with me, because I understood, but you know I distanced my self from you. I'm still working it through as the hurt and memories came rushing back, when you passed. I'm so happy you were saved in the end and I love you.*

*I'm sure you saw the memory boxes I was given, and the fun in you is always able to see.*

*And when ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have ought against any: that your Father also which is in heaven forgive your trespasses.*

*Mark 11:25*

*Dawne Michelle##imported-begin##Dawne Michelle##imported-end##*

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March 13, 2008 at 12:08 AM



“ *Daddy, As I just found out, I am so sorry the conversation we had before was not a longer one and for everything I never said. The fondest memories I have were first and foremost you popping out of closet to surprise me, leaving messages on my door saying I'm here, all of the letters and of course the country songs. Through all of the trials I do remember you saying how proud you were of me all of the time and as I let go along time ago, I'm sorry I didn't answer the phone on so many occasions. You know the rest. As my Father I do love you and hope you found serenity.*

*" But is the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be intreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy"*

*James 3 17*

*Dawne Michelle##imported-begin##dawne michelle##imported-end##*

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October 16, 2007 at 04:03 AM



“ *Dad, In three days, one month will have passed since you left us. I miss you so very much and think about you all the time. I hope you can hear me talking to you. I wanted to wish you a Happy Father's Day. It, of course will be a hard one for me, my first without you. Things just are not the same here without you, I just wanted to say I love you so very much, and can't wait to hug you again in heaven.##imported-begin##Curtis J. Vandeford##imported-end##*

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June 13, 2007 at 09:25 PM



“ To the famly we will keep you in our prayers. Darryl was a very good lawyer, friend, and just a neat person to be around. Darryl came to my families need several years ago at a very confusing time, and helped us to get thru a very difficult time. He will be sadly missed.  
*Diana*##imported-begin##*Diana Dawson*##imported-end##

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May 23, 2007 at 09:35 PM



“ My God bless you and your family. You are in my prayers.##imported-begin##*David Griffin*##imported-end##

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May 21, 2007 at 01:07 PM



“ Curtis, please accept my sincere condolences on the loss of your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

*Joe*##imported-begin##*Joe Camerata*##imported-end##

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May 21, 2007 at 09:22 AM



“ My dearest friend...how I will miss you. Mrs. Vandeford; Darryl has been my greatest and dearest friend for 30 years last month. It has been such a privilege to share my life with such a wonderful person and an honor that he would choose me as a friend to share his life with. Darryl was planning to come down and stay a few days at about the time that he passed away. I can see that the Lord had greater plans for him. Thank you so much for always making me so welcome in your home and thank you for your patience and understanding all those nights that we would stay out till all hours or the nights that we would meet at the Waffle House at 2:00am, just to talk. You have been a lighthouse for Darryl; a beacon of brightness and hope. Today, you stand as a testament to faith and goodness. I honor you...I love you...I thank you for all you have done for my dear friend. He will live in my heart forever and you are always in my thoughts and prayers. I am never farther than the nearest telephone...anytime of the day or night. Godspeed!  
Keith###imported-begin###Keith Dove###imported-end###

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May 20, 2007 at 02:44 PM



“ He was a great man and will be missed very much. God bless your family, you are in my prayers.###imported-begin###Tonya Roberts###imported-end###

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May 19, 2007 at 11:36 PM



“ god bless my prayer are with the family###imported-begin###charlotte deiter###imported-end###

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May 19, 2007 at 08:20 PM



“ Grace,

*I am so sorry for your loss. I know how much you loved Darryl and how much you will miss him. I just found out this afternoon. (I lost Ray last July 20th. ) Please call me when you feel up to it.*

*Love,*

*Maryanne##imported-begin##maryanne downing##imported-end##*

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May 19, 2007 at 02:27 PM



“ Gracie and family :

*My deepest sympathy for your loss of Darryl.##imported-begin##Tom Campbell##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 10:28 PM



“ TRULY SORRY##imported-begin##WILLIAM  
HAWKINS##imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 10:06 PM



“ Curt,

*I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Please call me if you need anything 770-375-0270.*

*Regretfully,*

*Amy Yeargin Scott##imported-begin##Amy Yeargin  
Scott##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 04:48 PM



“ *Curtis may God Bless you and your family and you all are in our hearts and prayers!*

*LeAnn Parker##imported-begin##LeAnn Parker##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 04:17 PM



“ *my families prays for you in this time of hardship, my deepest regrets.##imported-begin##Jamie Bugari##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 03:28 PM



“ *Curtis,  
My prayers are with you and your family during your time of grief.  
May God bless you and keep you all.##imported-  
begin##Renee##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 01:47 PM



“ *We are sorry for your loss, but the suffering is done. Your dad is in a much better place and you will see him again.*

*The Dowell Family##imported-begin##Randy Dowell##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 11:04 AM



“ Gracie, Scott, David and Curt,

*My life has been greatly enriched having known you all. Daryl was no small part of that. We love you and we're thinking about you.*

*For as long as I have on this Earth, I will always remember the the timbre and Southern delivery this compassionate gentleman would summon as he uttered the words "Wade, that's just goofy".##imported-begin##Wade & Lisa Cummings##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 10:04 AM



“ Curtis My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. May god bless you all.##imported-begin##Vicky Bluett##imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 10:01 AM



“ MY CONDOLENCES TO THE VANDERFORD FAMILY FROM THE BROWN FAMILY. IF I CAN DO ANYTHING TO HELP, PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO LET ME KNOW.##imported-begin##BERNADETTE BROWN##imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 09:53 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Drew Hough##imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 09:44 AM



“ Curtis - I am deeply sorry about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Carla###imported-begin##Carla McClure###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 09:25 AM



“ Curtis,  
Everyone's thoughts and prayers are with you during this hard time. I am sorry for your loss and I hope that God keeps you and your family strong.  
God Bless,

Felicia###imported-begin##Felicia Cook###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 08:55 AM



“ Our prayers are with you###imported-begin##chris lacey###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 08:51 AM



“ May our Comforter, our Precious Holy Spirit be with your family during this time of sorrow. We can take great joy in knowing that we will reunite with our loved ones in heaven someday soon and never have to depart from them again, oh I look towards that day! May God give you His Peace to sustain you until that great day!###imported-begin##Jay Pulliam###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 08:46 AM



“ *My prayers will continue to be you and your family.##imported-begin##Debra Reese ##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 08:45 AM



“ *Dear Curtis and Family,*

*You were truly blessed to have Mr. Vandeford in your lives. May the Lord comfort you and fill you with His presence. My prayers are with you.*

*Kim Vejarano##imported-begin##Kim Vejarano##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 08:41 AM



“ *Curtis,*

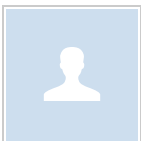
*My deepest sympathy to you and your family.*

*Mary Whitfield*

*Atlanta Freightliner Accounts Receivable##imported-begin##Mary Whitfield##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 08:39 AM



“ *I pray that the God of Peace would be with the Vandeford family in this time. May the Lord comfort you and uphold you as you remember Mr. Vandeford. God Bless...##imported-begin##Kelsey Hill##imported-end##*

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May 18, 2007 at 08:39 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Curtis Vandeford and his family. We know his father is rejoicing with the Lord this morning. Tonight I am taking part with my church, Gillsville Baptist, in our annual American Cancer Society's Relay for Life Cancer Walk in Homer, Ga. My thoughts will be with this family as well as all the others. God Bless!##imported-begin##Martha Emmett##imported-end##

May 18, 2007 at 08:06 AM



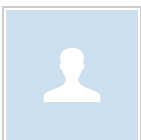
“ OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND I KNOW THAT GOD HERES OUR PRAYERS AND WILL BE THERE FOR YOU , SO WHEN YOU NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO HE IS THERE DAY OR NIGHT, MAY GOD BLESS YOU IN THIS TIME OF NEED##imported-begin##REX EVANS##imported-end##

May 18, 2007 at 07:45 AM



“ Sorry for you loss. Will be praying for you and your family##imported-begin##Gwendolyn Redmond##imported-end##

May 18, 2007 at 07:26 AM



“ I PRAY THE LORD WILL COMFORT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY THROUGH THIS TRYING TIME. TAKE COMFORT IN KNOWING THAT HE IS IN A BETTER PLACE . MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU....##imported-begin##DALE NICHOLSON##imported-end##

May 18, 2007 at 07:24 AM



“ Curtis--He will answer you. There is so much of him in you that you will be able to figure things out. You will always carry him with you in everything that you do, every choice you make, all the years of love and guidance will take over. I know he was and is very proud of you. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love, Ronda###imported-begin###Ronda Emmett###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 04:38 AM



“ Curt  
I know how much your father meant to you. He was a wonderful man who put his heart into everything and everyone he loved. I will never forget the things he did for me and our family. He was a selfless man with a heart of gold and I was able to see that first hand. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Kim###imported-begin###Kim Vandeford###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 01:57 AM



“ I am very sorry for your loss, if there is anything i can do for you, please let me know. god be with you###imported-begin###Brian Bentley###imported-end##

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May 18, 2007 at 12:11 AM



“ Curt and family... I can't think of a man that is more proud of his father, nor a father that has taught his son, so perfectly, how to be a dad... My heart and prayers go out to all of you. God does not give you more than you can handle...Love, Heather###imported-begin###Heather###imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 10:40 PM



“ Curtis and family, we are thinking and praying for you during this difficult time.

*The Love Family,*

*Bruce, Tennessee, Gabriel, and Grace.##imported-begin##Bruce Love##imported-end##*

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May 17, 2007 at 08:56 PM



“ Curtis,

*My deepest, heartfelt condolences to you and your family. I know this is a sad time for you. Just keep in mind...*

*THOSE WHO LIVE IN THE LORD NEVER SEE EACH OTHER FOR THE LAST TIME.*

*Joanna##imported-begin##Joanna Heath##imported-end##*

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May 17, 2007 at 08:55 PM



“ Grace, my heart goes out to you and your family. At this time where there are no words which can ease your sorrow, may it help to know that others care and are keeping you close in their thoughts and prayers. Darryl is at peace now. I love you, Sharon##imported-begin##Sharon Anderson##imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 08:09 PM



“ Grace and family.

*My heart is so heavy for all of you at this sad time. You are in my constant thoughts and prayers. Rest assured Darryl is not suffering any longer. He is at peace. I love you Grace.*

*Susan##imported-begin##Susan Keen##imported-end##*

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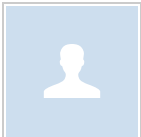
May 17, 2007 at 06:50 PM



“ My prayers are with your family. I hope that you will take comfort in knowing that he is no longer suffering. He is in a better place now. Treasure the memories of his life in your heart forever.##imported-begin##Andrea Thigpen##imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 05:03 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with each of you! I pray God gives you strength and peace during this time. I know you are proud to call this wonderful man husband, father and friend!  
Love~Kenna##imported-begin##Kenna Pettis##imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 04:55 PM



“ Curtis, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family -  
David J##imported-begin##David Jaskolski##imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 04:54 PM



“ *Dad,  
My days and nights will never be the same without you. I love you  
so very much. You are my hero and you have meant so much to my  
life. I am so proud to be your son.*

*I love you Always,*

*Your Son,*

*Curtis##imported-begin##Curtis J. Vandeford##imported-end##*

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May 17, 2007 at 04:08 PM