



## Larry Sidenstricker

December 13, 1949 - April 15, 2023

Lawrence “Larry” Edward Sidenstricker, 73, passed away Saturday, April 15, 2023 in his home surrounded by his family. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Linda (Woyan) Sidenstricker; three daughters Sonia Sidenstricker, Staci Sidenstricker, and Lara Griffin; son-in-law Sean Griffin; five grandchildren Jon Aaron Sidenstricker, DJ Juhan, Derrick James Juhan Jr., Dustin Lawrence Juhan, and Lorelei Skylar Griffin; great grandson Trevor Mitchell Sidenstricker; two sisters Carol Stalnaker and Wanda Stalnaker; and brother Jack Sidenstricker; and in-laws, nieces, and nephews, who all adored him. He was preceded in death by his parents, Lee and Nellie (Kinnaird) Sidenstricker, brothers Johnny Sidenstricker, Jim Sidenstricker, and Charles Sidenstricker, and grandson DJ Juhan.

The youngest of seven children, Larry was a proud native of West Virginia, a respected Huey crew chief that did two tours in Vietnam, and a dedicated co-business owner with friend Scott Donnelly for nearly 30 years. A friend to everyone, he was an amazing family man that told the best stories, had the best laugh, and made the best blueberry banana bread ever.

He was an avid gardener who was always happy to share his knowledge and harvest with neighbors. A master of all trades, he was happiest being of service to everyone he met, but most of all to his girls by being their own personal handyman. Larry also always had a soft spot for animals of all kinds.

One of his last animal-saving acts was driving two geese to an animal sanctuary with his best friend and neighbor for over 20 years, Richard Walker.

The family will be receiving visitors from 2-4pm on Sunday, April 23 at Chestnut Grove Baptist Church in Grayson, Georgia. A celebration of life will be held at a later date in West Virginia. We encourage everyone to wear light and bright clothing rather than black. In lieu of flowers, dad would have appreciated donations to be made to Mason County Animal Shelter (donate via PayPal) in West Virginia or St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital ([stjude.org](http://stjude.org)) as he loved children and animals greatly.

Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 670 Tom Brewer Road, Loganville, GA 30052.  
770-466-1544. Please sign the online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Chestnut Grove Baptist Church  
2299 Rosebud Road, SW  
Grayson, GA 30017

# Tribute Wall

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“ We send our Heartfelt Condolences, with Love and Prayers for Peace and Comfort to Linda, Sonia, Staci, Lara and all those whose lives Larry touched.

We met Larry in the 1980's when he moved to Georgia from West Virginia to begin his career in the Fire Protection industry. From his West Virginia roots on a farm, Larry's work ethic, determination and perseverance was a rarity beyond compare. He was one of the most honorable men we have known. This was evident not only in his business life, but with his family and friends as well. We are proud to have called him friend.

With our Deepest Sympathy and Love,  
Marian and Tom Multer

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**Marian & Tom Multer** - April 23, 2023 at 07:35 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Larry Sidenstricker.



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April 18, 2023 at 08:03 AM

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“ To Linda and family, I am so sorry to hear about Larry. I have enjoyed all your posts and knew what a wonderful husband and Father he was. My deepest condolences to all of you and I will keep you in my prayers in the weeks ahead. Much love, Diana

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**Diana Salyers** - April 17, 2023 at 08:47 PM

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*Larry is an amazing man!  
He lives on through his family and friends. I had the pleasure of meeting and working with Larry, for more than 22 years. RIP Friend! The CF crew will not be the same without you here.  
My sincere condolences to the family, Scott, Angel, Linda and Jeff, of Challenge Fire. Stand Strong All and cherish the great memories of Larry. He is a fine man and his legacy shall live on.  
Darrell L Ford, Atlanta GA*

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**Darrell L Ford** - April 21, 2023 at 04:43 PM