



Phil Gustafson

November 30, 1936 - January 7, 2021

GUSTAFSON – Phil Gustafson, age 84 of Lawrenceville, passed away on Thursday, January 07, 2021. Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 PM on Tuesday, January 12, 2021 in the Lawrenceville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home. Phil is survived by his wife, Barbara Gustafson; daughter & son in law, Kristin & James Starr of Connecticut; sons, Dale Gustafson of Atlanta, Ken Gustafson of Americus; daughter & son in law, Carrie & Paul Engelke of Ohio; sister, Ellen Ortiz of Illinois; grandchild, Hannah Boucher; sister in law, Beverly Shepherd; special friends, Ralph & Carole Mitchell; and numerous family and friends. Phil was actively involved his entire life in church and sports recreation, coaching all four of his kids. He was most recently a member of Hebron Baptist Church in Dacula. He proudly served as a U.S. Army SGT and in the Reserves. The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM on Monday, January 11, 2021 and 12:00 PM until 2:00 PM on Tuesday, January 12, 2021 at Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road, Lawrenceville, GA 30046. 770-962-3100. Please sign the online guest registry at www.stewartfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046
(770) 962-3100

Visitation

JAN 12. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046
(770) 962-3100

Funeral Service

JAN 12. 2:00 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 Phil Gustafson*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 11, 2021 at 09:38 AM

SK

What a beautiful tribute to my Uncle Phil ❤️ He is with God and all our loved ones that have passed on.

Sandra Krieger - January 12, 2021 at 08:03 PM

GS

I just became aware of my dear friends passing. I spent many a Saturday at the golf course (Pine Hills) with Phil Gustafson and Ralph Mitchell. I am very saddened that our golf outings have come to an end. It was such a special time - with an even more special person. Loved having Phil as a friend. Such a wonderful personality and Christ-like nature. I know I will miss him dearly. My heartfelt condolences to Barbara and the family.

Gerald Stinnett - January 28, 2021 at 03:35 PM



“ *Phil Gustafson*

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM

LF

“ *Love, Your Adoring Family purchased the Distinguished Service Casket Spray for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



Love, Your Adoring Family - January 25, 2021 at 11:02 PM

BL

“ *Our sincere condolences to you Kristin and Dale & families on the loss of your dear Dad. Our love and prayers are with you for peace and comfort.*

Bud & Dottie Larson - January 12, 2021 at 09:37 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



January 12, 2021 at 11:21 AM

JL

“ *Sympathy to you, Dale, and all your dear family. Prayers for your peace and comfort. Judy Langford*

Judy Langford - January 12, 2021 at 09:46 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



January 11, 2021 at 03:24 PM



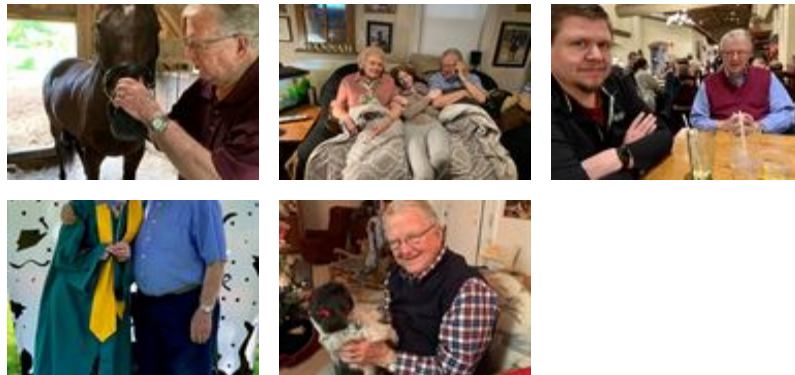
“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



January 11, 2021 at 12:52 PM



“ *61 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 11, 2021 at 09:38 AM

SW

“ Steve and Susie Williams purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Phil Gustafson.



Steve and Susie Williams - January 11, 2021 at 09:21 AM

YI

“ Your friends at Wassmann Audio Video Inc. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Phil Gustafson.



Your friends at Wassmann Audio Video Inc. - January 11, 2021 at 09:13 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 10, 2021 at 05:49 PM

BB

“ We are so very sorry, we love you guys and wish so badly we could be there. Loretta. Connie and Bonnie

Bonnie Brown - January 10, 2021 at 05:48 PM

BM

“ Barbara, I Am So Sorry To Hear About Your Husband Phil, I Used To Do Your Hair and Your Sister Beverly's Hair, My Thoughts and Prayers Are With You

Betty McDaniel - January 10, 2021 at 04:37 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 10, 2021 at 03:14 PM

MB

“ I remember Phil coming in to rent A u haul to help Kenny move. We talked and I got to know him he loved his family and he loved Jesus. God-bless you and your family rest in peace

Mark Blumen - January 10, 2021 at 10:21 AM

EB

“ Phil's office was across the hall from my office so I could hear his sales calls. I was amazed at his personal approach on the first call to introduce himself. He always had a relative who had the same name or lived in that same town as the person at the other end of the phone.

Over the years of working together we became friends and he allowed me to join him and Ralph in their Saturday morning rounds of golf. He was always gracious and gave me tips to improve my game. Some may not know that Phil once caddied for Sam Snead.

Ed Buler - January 10, 2021 at 09:24 AM

CP

“ Phil entered our office a little over 4 years ago in response to an ad we had placed for an inside salesperson. I am so glad he just stopped in to meet us!! We hired him on the spot! He was a real asset to our company and became a very good friend! I very much enjoyed working with Phil and learned a lot from him. He was so good at making people feel special by finding something to relate to with everyone he met.

Phil demonstrated his faith every day in his words and in the way he treated people with love and respect. I will miss him terribly but am comforted by the fact that we will meet again in heaven some day.

Christy Parham - January 09, 2021 at 09:07 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 09, 2021 at 05:03 PM

LS

“ *Lucy Samford lit a candle in memory of Phil Gustafson*



Lucy Samford - January 09, 2021 at 04:32 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray* was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 09, 2021 at 04:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 09, 2021 at 03:59 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray* was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 09, 2021 at 01:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.



January 09, 2021 at 11:40 AM



“ *We love you Barbara and family. Holly and Roy*

Holly and Roy Singleton - January 09, 2021 at 09:23 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



January 09, 2021 at 08:59 AM

KK

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I am a respiratory therapist who took care of Mr. G in the first few days he arrived at the hospital. I have taken care of many patients, he was truly special. We talked about his family and he loved his wife and children so very much. He also had tremendous faith that brought me such comfort in this difficult time. As sick as he was, he was so easy to take care of. Never grumpy, always smiling and thankful. I brought him a charger for his phone one day and you would have thought I had brought him a jeweled crown the way he acted. In the last week even when he wasn't my patient I stalked him around the hospital just to peek my head in and cheer him on. He even remembered my name (which is truly uncommon for us RTs). The last day I saw him he was on the step down unit 4th floor on Friday evening, he looked tired but I hoped it was just the end of a long day and he would get some rest and feel better the next day. I heard of his decline and passing this week and it really kind of kicked me in the gut. I just wanted you to know that, even in the short while I knew him, Mr. G put a stamp on my heart and he is a very special man who shone brightly even in his last days. He shed light to many of us who took care of him during a very dark time. I'm sure this is how he lived his life-always giving back twice as much as he received. I'm praying for your family. Hugs, Kimberly

kimberly Koldoff - January 09, 2021 at 08:40 AM

JH

Phil coached our son Jeff in softball all through his grammar school, middle school and high school years. He was a very good leader in our sons life always. Our daughter Beth and Carrie have been best friends since grammar school. Phil made MPFB a better place to worship. Love you Barbara. Julia Henderson

Julia Henderson - January 09, 2021 at 10:31 AM

KK

A wonderful neighbor and friend whom we knew for almost 47 years filled with great memories.

Ken & LeGaria Kemp

kenneth kemp - January 10, 2021 at 12:00 PM

PH

Mr G made an amazing impact on so many of us youth at MPFBC. I know he's rejoicing with his Lord. Praying for you all.

Pam Edens Howard

Pam Howard - January 11, 2021 at 09:29 AM

CB

“ We are so sorry for the loss of your father and your best friend. We know he was also a friend to many. He will be missed but he's surrounded by Angels now. We are holding you in our hearts during this time. The Strauss/Bunch/Kilman family.

Chrissie Bunch - January 09, 2021 at 08:05 AM

BS

“ So sorry for your loss of such a great man. You will be reunited in heaven when God calls you home also.

Bette Starr

Bette Starr - January 09, 2021 at 07:26 AM

 Billy Shirley

“ One time after church my wife and I took Kenny home and it's the only time I ever met Mr. Gustafson. He was a gentle and kind man and I felt that I was meeting a great man of God. Rest in peace my friend.

Billy Shirley - January 09, 2021 at 06:09 AM

DK

“ *Debbie Kulesza lit a candle in memory of Phil Gustafson*



Debbie Kulesza - January 09, 2021 at 12:47 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



January 08, 2021 at 11:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Phil Gustafson.*



January 08, 2021 at 07:46 PM

RS

“ *To the Gustafson family. Phil will be sorely missed but never forgotten. We will see him again and hopefully play another ball game. My condolences. Rob Samford*

ROBERT F SAMFORD - January 08, 2021 at 06:22 PM

LS

“ *Barbara and family,
Phil was a great guy and we loved him dearly. So many happy
memories. We know where he is and one day we will see him
again.. Lucy & Dud Samford*

Lucy Samford - January 08, 2021 at 05:34 PM