



## Wayne Adcock

July 29, 1955 - April 12, 2020

Early Easter Sunday, we said goodbye to a caring son, wonderful husband, proud dad and tender grandfather. Larry Wayne Adcock of Monroe passed away suddenly from cardiac arrest at the age of 64. Wayne will be lovingly remembered by his wife of 44 years, Regina, and sorely missed by his two children, Matthew (Brandy) and Michelle (Chris). The adoration for his three beautiful granddaughters was immeasurable. Emma, Lily, and Emery will cherish the sweet memories they shared with their Poppy. He also leaves behind his mother, Audrey Adcock of Monroe, brother Gary Adcock (Lisa) of Conyers and several beloved nieces, nephews, friends and colleagues. He was preceded in death by his father, Larry Oliver Adcock.

Born at the old Walton County Hospital in 1955, Wayne was a life-long Monroe resident and servant leader. He began grammar school at the Johnson Institute and was raised in the St. Stephen's United Methodist Church family. After graduating from Monroe Area High School in 1973, he attended The University of Georgia in Athens. While a student at UGA pursuing a degree in accounting, Wayne worked for Arthur Bowick Funeral Home where he would become a licensed funeral director. He married wife Regina in 1975 and they attended Mount Vernon Christian Church. After graduating from The University of Georgia J.M. Tull School of Accounting in 1977, Wayne began his professional career in accounting and finance, but would continue to serve his community as a part-time funeral director until his death, most recently with Tim Stewart Funeral Home. As a young

professional, Wayne held leadership positions in the Monroe Lion's Club. After starting a family, he and Regina joined First Baptist Church of Monroe where Wayne was an active member for nearly 40 years and served as a deacon. In 1992, Wayne earned his Master of Business Administration from Brenau University. He loved coaching his children in youth basketball, Little League baseball and softball. Being a father was an enormous point of pride, never missing a single academic awards ceremony, band concert or his children's high school and college sporting events. His professional accomplishments include a 22-year career with Kysor/Warren in Conyers where he ascended to the role of vice president, finance. He then spent nearly eight years as chief financial officer for Walton Press in Monroe. At the time of his death, he worked as controller for New World Graphics in Athens. Wayne was especially proud of his service to the City of Monroe. He was elected to the Monroe City Council in November 1993 and served as a councilmember for more than 26 years. He was recent caregiver to his aging mother, always putting her well-being before his own. On Saturdays in the fall Wayne could be found in section 332 of Sanford Stadium listening to the sounds of Larry Munson and Scott Howard on his earphones while pulling for his beloved Georgia Bulldogs to "hunker down just one more time!"

Wayne is undoubtedly rejoicing in heaven and there is hope through Jesus Christ that we will see him again! Until that time, he will be deeply missed by all those who knew and loved him. His retold stories, fatherly advice and dawg calling have all been silenced. His legacy of goodwill, servant leadership and unselfishness will live on.

The Adcock family will receive friends and well-wishers in drive-by fashion. Decorate your vehicle in your favorite UGA or patriotic emblems and drive by Monroe City Hall at 10:00am on Thursday, April 16th. Following this, a private graveside funeral service will be held, officiated by First Baptist Church of Monroe Sr. Pastor Todd Ware. Funeral services directed by Tim Stewart Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, you're invited to share in Wayne's love for the community by donating in his memory to the Love Where You Live Fund

c/o First Baptist Church of Monroe. Donations may be made online at [www.firstbaptistmonroe.com/give-online](http://www.firstbaptistmonroe.com/give-online) or by mail to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 351, Monroe, GA 30655-0351. Please include his name on the memo line.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Wayne Adcock*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - April 16, 2020 at 12:32 PM



“ *Wayne Adcock*

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October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *192 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - April 16, 2020 at 11:23 AM

SH

*"Regina and family, I'm sorry for your loss. I will continue to lift you all in my thoughts and prayers. May God continue to strengthen you today and in the days ahead." Stephanie Hines-Smith*

Stephanie Hines-Smith - April 20, 2020 at 01:22 AM

AA

*"Wayne was such a quiet gentleman whose words were always valuable. I knew him best as parent as he always wished Matthew and Michelle 's best efforts scholastically but even greater efforts as human beings. A notable leader he was. Amelia Adams*

amelia adams - April 16, 2020 at 10:51 AM

MB

*"Mike and Denise Bond : Wayne was such a kind Person. I never saw him angry, and he always greeted us with a smile. He was thoughtful and truthful. I know you and your family will miss him, but you will always have those good memories, May the Lord Bless you and give you peace.*

Mike and Denise Bond - April 15, 2020 at 10:43 PM

MC

*"Wayne and I met many years ago when he first started in the funeral business. We were friends ever since then. Our 4th of July parties will not be the same without seeing his smiling face with Regina (plus the kids in the old days). We are so sorry for the loss of Wayne for Regina, his family and for us all. He was a Great guy and will be missed.  
God Bless, Mell and Ruth Collins*

Mell Collins - April 15, 2020 at 09:00 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Wayne Adcock.*



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April 15, 2020 at 01:11 PM



“ *Loretta Altman Stone purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Wayne Adcock.*



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**Loretta Altman Stone** - April 15, 2020 at 11:19 AM



“ *Regina, so sorry to hear of your loss. Know you are in my prayers. May God bless you with strength, comfort and peace. I know from personal experience how difficult it is to lose a spouse. I love you.*

*Loretta Altman Stone*

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**Loretta Altman Stone** - April 15, 2020 at 11:03 AM

DB

“ Wayne is my brother in law but knew him a long time before that. I never will forget the night we were setting on the coke box at pat Patrick store as we had done so many times before. He said Doyle do you mind if I date your sister. He was afraid I might beat him up but I said you got to ask her first I'm not doing it far you. He was a good man and the last one i expected to die but i know he was ready. I gonna give my spot of at the funeral for the eminent family and health reasons to. I'll live with the good memories. Prayers to all the kids and grand kids, he loved them babies.

DOYLE BATES

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Doyle Bates - April 14, 2020 at 09:33 PM

SE

“ A great friend that I looked up to and very much respected over the years. Always a smile and words of encouragement. I am very much shocked and extend my deepest condolences to Wayne's family. I am very sorry for your loss.

Stan Evans  
Jefferson, Georgia

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Stan Evans - April 14, 2020 at 06:21 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wayne Adcock.



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April 14, 2020 at 04:24 PM

SG

“ Audrey, Gary and Regina,  
We are sending you our prayers.  
Wonderful memories of our childhood neighbor, class mate and  
friend,  
Much love to you Always,  
Ricky & Shelia Shumate  
Richard & Shelley Adcock

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**Shelley Gilbert** - April 14, 2020 at 03:35 PM

DF

“ Regina, Dennis and I are praying for you and the family during this  
difficult time. May God provide comfort and peace in the days  
ahead. Sending out love.

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**Dennis and Laura Farmer** - April 14, 2020 at 02:49 PM

DC

“ Jim and I are so sorry for your loss . Jim has wonderful memories of  
Wayne riding to Uga with him and the many conversations : Goooo  
Dawgs !! Dianne and Jim Cown pray for your comfort

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**dianne cown** - April 14, 2020 at 01:43 PM

TN

“ The Nelsons purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute  
Spray for the family of Wayne Adcock.



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**The Nelsons** - April 14, 2020 at 12:18 PM

CK

“ Wayne was a successful financial businessman, dedicated City Councilman, heartfelt valuable person in his funeral business, loving Family man, and a person who shared concern and friendship to all that crossed his path. I am truly blessed to call him my friend. This is a loss in so many avenues of lives. Cheryl Knight, Co-worker

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**Cheryl Knight** - April 14, 2020 at 11:56 AM

MJ

“ Mark Jones lit a candle in memory of Wayne Adcock



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**Mark Jones** - April 14, 2020 at 06:05 AM