



## Charles Lee Bates

June 28, 1950 - July 26, 2022

Charles Lee Bates, Sr., 72, of Newnan passed away Tuesday, July 26, 2022 at Tanner Medical Center in Carrollton. He was born June 28, 1950 in Atlanta to the late William Henry Bates & Emma Ruth Quinn Bates. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by wife, Mary Mustain Bates and brothers, Billy Bates and Bobby Bates.

Charlie was a longtime member of Mills Chapel Baptist Church. He was a courier with the Coweta County Justice Center for many years where he was fondly known as Mr. Charlie.

The funeral is 11 am Saturday, August 13, 2022 at Mills Chapel Baptist Church with Pastor Jeff Smith officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. The family will greet friends on Saturday beginning at 10:00 am. Flowers are welcome or memorial contributions may be made to Mills Chapel Baptist Church, 85 Country Club Rd, Newnan, GA 30263.

Condolences may be expressed online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com)

Survivors include son, Charles "Bubba" Bates, Jr; daughter, Mollie Creel; granddaughters, Jessica Creel, Rose Creel, Sydney Creel; uncle, Jimmy (Loretta) Bates; cousins, nieces, nephews and extend family.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 13. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Mills Chapel Baptist Church  
85 Country Club Rd  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Funeral Service

AUG 13. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Mills Chapel Baptist Church  
85 Country Club Rd  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall

CS

“ *Connie Stamper lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Connie Stamper** - July 29, 2022 at 06:37 PM

KB

“ *Kaye Burson lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Kaye Burson** - July 29, 2022 at 09:41 AM

OL

“ *Owen & Susan Lambert lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Owen & Susan Lambert** - July 28, 2022 at 09:00 PM

BH

“ *Mr. Charlie was a fine gentleman. He will be missed greatly.*

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**Beth Harkness** - July 28, 2022 at 06:24 PM

SP

“ *Sonya Parks lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Sonya Parks** - July 28, 2022 at 05:05 PM

CP

“ *Cornelia Ponders lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Cornelia Ponders** - July 28, 2022 at 01:52 PM

RS

“ *Rhonda Spencer lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Rhonda Spencer** - July 28, 2022 at 01:15 PM

WT

“ *Mr. Charlie delivered files and boxes to me in the Record Center for Coweta County. Whenever something would have to be sent back or forth it would always be "I am sending Mr. Charlie or be on the lookout for Mr. Charlie. And here he would come with a smile on his face and a laugh to share. I think I can speak for us all when I say, he truly served Coweta well. He will be greatly missed and I would like to offer prayers to his remaining family during this difficult time.*



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**WANDA THOMAS** - July 28, 2022 at 12:08 PM

GP

“ *Gaylene Yeager Pronevitch lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Gaylene Yeager Pronevitch** - July 28, 2022 at 11:49 AM

JH

“ *Jane Hall lit a candle in memory of Charles Lee Bates*



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**Jane Hall** - July 28, 2022 at 11:40 AM