

## Clarence Russell Phillips

January 11, 1946 - March 14, 2025

Clarence Russell Phillips, 79, of Sharpsburg, GA, passed away Friday, March 14, 2025, at Piedmont Newnan Hospital. He was born on January 11, 1946, in Oneida, TN, to the late Clarence Alvis Phillips and Laura Chambers Phillips. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Patsy Strunk Phillips, and daughter, Sheila Renee Phillips.

He grew up in Scott County, TN, and was an avid believer in our Lord and Savior. He traveled to Atlanta, GA, and worked at General Motors Corporation until his retirement after 30+ years of service. He was a longtime member of the First Pentecostal Holiness Church of Newnan, GA.

Russell Phillips leaves five generations of survivors: sons Clarence Allen Phillips and wife Melanie Phillips and Jerry Dale Phillips; daughter Sandra Kay Townsend and husband Rick Payne, Jr., all of Sharpsburg, GA; fifteen grandchildren; thirty-seven great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. Russell was a wonderful uncle and friend.

The funeral service will be Wednesday, March 19, 2025, at 2:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St., Newnan, GA, with Dr. Steven Craven officiating. The family will receive friends from noon until service time. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 19. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Funeral Service

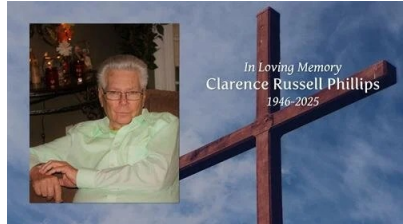
MAR 19. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall



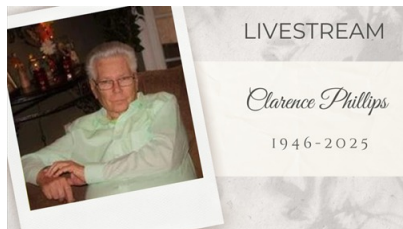
“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Clarence Russell Phillips*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - April 08, 2025 at 09:21 AM



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Clarence Russell Phillips*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - March 19, 2025 at 09:04 AM

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“ *Love & Prayers, So sorry, Russell was one of the Best* ❤️

Alene Massengale - March 17, 2025 at 11:44 PM

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*Russell was my nephew, and once my neighbor although we were almost the same age he respected me as his aunt, we met 54 years ago He will be missed.*

Edith Chambers Clark - March 18, 2025 at 09:15 AM