



## Earl "Reagh" Underwood

February 7, 1942 - January 24, 2016

E. Reagh Underwood 73 of Newnan, passed away on Sunday, January 24, 2016 in Newnan, GA. He was born February 7, 1942 in Mount Vernon, OH to the late Earl Leo Underwood and Grace Reagh Mahaffey.

He was a member of Community Christian Church and retired from Bonnell and the U.S. Army. He was a Mason with Coweta #60 Lodge and a Shriner with Bomi Temple in Baltimore, MD.

He is survived by his loving wife, DiAnn Underwood of Newnan; son, Dean S. Underwood of Ohio; daughter, Jenifer L. Sandlin of New Hampshire; sister-in-law, Claudia (Al) Post of Pensacola, FL; nephews and nieces, Tony Post, Chad Post and Claudine Feig and families and many friends that loved him dearly. Honorary pallbearers Kenneth Smith, Reece Payton, William Borthwick, Donald Moore, Loren McCune and Charles Mulkey.

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

Funeral services will be Saturday, January 30, 2016 at 2:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home 38 Jackson St. Newnan, GA with Pastor Ed Martin officiating. Visitation will be Friday, January 29, 2016 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Burial will be Monday, February 1, 2016 at 1:30 PM in Georgia National Cemetery in Canton, GA with military honors.

Flowers are welcome or contributions can be made to Community Christian Church 1717 Hwy 154 Sharpsburg, GA 30277 or [www.community-christian.net](http://www.community-christian.net).

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



# Cemetery Details

## Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Drive  
Canton, GA 30114

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 29. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263  
(770) 253-4580  
care@mckoon.com

## Service

JAN 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel  
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<http://www.mckoon.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Earl "Reagh" Underwood.*



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January 29, 2016 at 07:24 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your lose. Reagh was a great man. We will all miss him....*

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**cyndi** - January 29, 2016 at 06:41 PM



“ *Cyndi lit a candle in memory of Earl "Reagh" Underwood*



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**cyndi** - January 29, 2016 at 06:37 PM



“ *Samantha, Ralph, Kayce and Sloan purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Earl "Reagh" Underwood.*



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**Samantha, Ralph, Kayce and Sloan** - January 28, 2016 at 10:09 PM

RS

“ *Raechel and Shirley purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Earl "Reagh" Underwood.*



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**Raechel and Shirley** - January 28, 2016 at 01:24 AM

JF

“ *Ms. DiAnn,  
I am so sorry about Mr. Reagh. I will miss the visits to my store.  
Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Sincerely,  
Jeff Morgan*

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**Jeff Morgan and family** - January 27, 2016 at 08:43 PM

JS

“ *Ms. DiAnn,  
  
I'm sorry to hear about Mr. Reagh. You and your family are in my  
thoughts and prayers.*

*Love,*

*Jade (Collins) Stuermer and family*

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**jade stuermer** - January 27, 2016 at 04:05 PM

PR

“ *DiAnn it should read DiAnn*

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**peggy Rutledge** - January 26, 2016 at 06:26 PM

PR

“ Dinner we are praying for you and your family. Reagh was a wonderful man and will be greatly missed by both of us. My fondest memory has to be when yall took Mike and I up the big river on the pontoon, ah anytime we got together he gave me a good laugh. If you need us for anything please call day or night.



peggy Rutledge - January 26, 2016 at 06:23 PM

 Karen Dolan

“ Our condolences to the family. Rest in peace Reagh. Glad we were able to be with you for the last reunion.

God Bless,  
Karen and Joe Dolan

Karen Dolan - January 26, 2016 at 05:57 PM

DW

“ DiAnn We are so sorry to hear about Reagh.. I have been thinking of all the good times we have had at the lake. You and Reagh are the most giving people. We loved and fought, laughed and cried together. We Will miss him so much. I know you are going to miss him. We will never forget him He is not suffering now and you will see him again someday. God be with you and your family and you are all in our prayers. Love Johnny, Denise and Mike Walker.

Denise and Johnny Walker - January 26, 2016 at 02:04 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Earl "Reagh" Underwood.*



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January 26, 2016 at 09:00 AM



“ *DiAnn,  
Ron and I are praying for you and your family. I am so thankful God let our paths cross when y'all built your house.  
Ron & Tina Chamberlain*

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**Tina Chamberlain** - January 25, 2016 at 07:17 PM



*Might thought to mention his Surviving sister Cheryl Kimble*

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**Don Burch** - January 27, 2016 at 01:53 PM

CL

“ Diann, I am so sorry to hear about Reagh's passing. I'm sure there are a lot of stories that have been told, and many more that will be told, about him. I have several myself but thought I would share this one.

About 25 years ago I went on a trip with him to the Bonnell plant in Carthage, TN. We left Newnan with Reagh behind the wheel of his pick up truck. When we got up to I-285 to go around Atlanta, he proceeded to get over in the left hand lane doing 55 mph, the speed limit. As most anyone that drives in Atlanta on I-285 knows, if you're in that far left lane you better be doing a minimum of 70 mph or you're going to get run over!!! And I mean this just about literally!! Well, he proceeded to sit in that lane just motoring along while people came around him on the right side, MY SIDE!!, and they were gesturing at me!!!! Now I do want you to know that the gestures were not friendly waves because there wasn't many fingers being used. When I suggested to Reagh that he might want to pull over and let these people pass he said (you know what he said here), I'm doing the speed limit. If they don't like it they can do exactly what they're doing now. Pass us. The hell with em.

I guess the moral to my story is there was a way things could be done and there was Reagh's way. I'm going to miss Reagh's way!!

Chuck Lambert

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Chuck Lambert - January 25, 2016 at 06:10 PM

AU

“ Diann so sorry about Reagh will miss him so much coming out to the Pines..Hope to see you soon..



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Audrey - January 25, 2016 at 03:48 PM

BF

“ *Banks and I were so sorry to hearing of Reagh's passing. He was a wonderful friend to both of us and he will be greatly missed!*

*Banks and Jennie Freeman*

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**Banks and Jennie Freeman** - January 25, 2016 at 12:44 PM

PW

*DiAnn,  
So sorry to hear this news. My thoughts and prayers are with you. He was a special person and will be missed.  
Peggy Wilder*

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**Peggy Wilder** - January 25, 2016 at 07:34 PM