



## Gary Thomas Duncan

March 29, 1957 - July 14, 2022

Gary Thomas Duncan, age 65, of Hampton, Ga., passed away surrounded by family on Thursday, July 14, 2022.

Growing up, Gary played various sports, raced motorcycles, hunted and fished. He enjoyed family vacations which included camping in the North Georgia Mountains or on various beaches along the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic Ocean. With a lifelong appreciation for wildlife and the great outdoors, coupled with a keen sense of humor, Gary always wore overalls, a cap/hat along with a genuinely, friendly smile. He was an avid fisherman, animal lover and naturalist who shared many adventures with family and friends. One of Gary's favorite books, "Walden," a reflection upon simple living in natural surroundings was written by American naturalist, author and philosopher Henry David Thoreau.

Gary was greatly loved by his family and known to be a talented landscape designer as well as a kind and generous man. From an early age and until his retirement, Gary worked beside his father and brothers in the family business, Duncan's Landscaping & Maintenance, Inc.

Gary was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas and Dorothy Duncan. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Mary; his children, Chad Duncan (Danielle), Casey Crumbley (David) and Samantha Duncan; his three

grandchildren, Mary Olivia, Eleanor and Sebastian; his siblings, Johnny Duncan (Faith), Beth King (Brad), Jeffrey Duncan (Christi); six nieces, Heather, Maggie, Cricket, Piper, Paige and Danielle; nephew, Tyler; five great nephews, and one great niece.

Gary wanted to spend eternity among nature, so his ashes will be spread in the Mountains of North Georgia and the beaches of Florida at a later date. A Celebration of Life BBQ was held on Saturday, July 30th for family and friends in Locust Grove, GA. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to one of Gary's favorites: The National Audubon Society via [audubon.org](http://audubon.org).

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