



George "Bud" Thomas Carter

April 15, 1937 - July 1, 2025

Mr. George T. "Bud" Carter, 88, of Newnan, GA passed away Tuesday, July 1, 2025, peacefully

at home. He was born April 15, 1937 in Senoia, GA to the late Thomas Thornton Carter and

Louise Stubbs Carter. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings Lucy

Sewell, Jack Carter, Bill Carter, Opal Thompson, Jean Cook, Joanne LaRocca, Martha

Barronton, and Richard Carter. He was also preceded in death by his baby daughter Melanie

Leigh.

As the fifth-born of eleven children, George grew up in Coweta County where his family ran a

dairy farm. He was a 1956 graduate of East Coweta High School and served 3 years in the

National Guard. He worked for Georgia Power Company for 35 years and then drove a school

bus in Coweta County for 7 years. More importantly, he was married to his wife, Charlene, for

67 years and they faithfully served the Lord together. He was a member of East Newnan Baptist

Church. He would want to give God the glory for blessing him with family and

friends who loved him dearly and whom he dearly loved. He was a faithful servant and was ready to be with the Lord.

The funeral is Saturday, July 5, 2025 at 2:00 pm in the Chapel at McKoon Funeral Home, 38

Jackson Street, Newnan, Georgia, with Danny Wilson officiating. Visitation is at 1:00 pm before the funeral service. Burial will follow at Turin Baptist Church Cemetery, 29 Church Street, Turin, Georgia.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com.

Survivors include his wife, Charlene Carter; son, Greg Carter & wife Tessie; daughter, Danna Sheppard & husband Chuck; sisters, Sandra Cavender & husband Pete, Lynn Wilson & husband Danny; grandchildren, Ryan Carter, Kyle Carter, Taylor Sheppard, Cody Sheppard & wife Alex, Charlie Sheppard & wife Jackie, Summer Garriga & husband Jeremy, Sadie Sheppard; great-grandchildren, Walter Sheppard, Winnie Sheppard, Sherwood Sheppard, Colette Garriga.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 254-4580

Cemetery Details

Turin Memorial Gardens

20 Longstreet Avenue
Turin, GA 30289

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

JUL 5. 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 George "Bud" Thomas Carter*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - July 05, 2025 at 04:06 PM

HW

“ *Harley Willis lit a candle in memory of George "Bud" Thomas Carter*



Harley Willis - July 05, 2025 at 09:01 PM

SG

“ *Stacy G. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George "Bud" Thomas Carter.*

Stacy G. - July 05, 2025 at 10:15 AM

JD

“ *Joyce Dixon lit a candle in memory of George "Bud" Thomas Carter*



Joyce Dixon - July 04, 2025 at 10:23 PM

JD

Charlene and family, Richard and I where so sorry to hear about Bud. Our prayers are with you all.

Joyce Dixon - July 04, 2025 at 10:26 PM

DW

“ Charlene, Danna and Greg, I’m so sorry to hear about Bud. It’s been several years since I have seen Bud, but I always thought a lot of him. He was a good friend and neighbor. I will be praying for the family.



Dorothy Williford - July 04, 2025 at 07:05 PM

DL

“ It has been several years since I last saw Bud. But during the years that I did spend time at Bud and Charlene’s hose were some of the best times of my life! He was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather and friend! Rest in peace my friend! Donna H. Lundy

Donna H. Lundy - July 03, 2025 at 09:08 PM

SW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with ya’ll during this difficult time. Love Susan and Ronnie Whatley

Susan Whatley - July 03, 2025 at 12:25 PM

KW

“ Kathi And Tim Wilson lit a candle in memory of George "Bud" Thomas Carter



Kathi and Tim Wilson - July 03, 2025 at 11:15 AM

TS

“ Sandy, our love and prayers for peace and comfort are with you.
Much love ~ John and Lisa (LCBC)

The Stewarts - July 03, 2025 at 09:02 AM

CO

“ Charlene and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Bud will be missed
by all. Clint

clint odom - July 03, 2025 at 08:18 AM

WF

“ Will Robinson and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Thomas
Carter.

Will Robinson and family - July 02, 2025 at 09:41 PM

WF

“ Will Robinson and family purchased the Country
Basket Blooms for the family of George "Bud"
Thomas Carter.



Will Robinson and family - July 02, 2025 at 09:41 PM

MB

“ Mike, Pam & Bill purchased the Large Basket Ga
rden for the family of George "Bud" Thomas
Carter.



Mike, Pam & Bill - July 02, 2025 at 03:51 PM

MP

“ *We will miss seeing Bud on his golf cart in the neighborhood. He was a fine Christian man!*
Sam and Mary Phillips

Mary Phillips - July 02, 2025 at 03:18 PM