



Mark Hayes Bolton

April 29, 1957 - September 18, 2019

Mark Hayes Bolton, 62 of Newnan, GA unexpectedly passed away Thursday September 18, 2019.

Mark was born April 29, 1957 in Jacksonville, North Carolina at Camp Lejeune, to Judy Hayes and Marshall Reach. Mark was later adopted by Bobby Bolton, where he took on the Bolton family name. He graduated from Osborne High School in 1975, where he was very active in the NJROTC program. Coming from a military family was a very prideful point for Mark, as his Grandfather served in WW2, his father served in the Air Force and his brother was later a Paratrooper in the Army. Mark enlisted in the Marine Corps, and graduated at Parris Island in April 1977.

He had many passions throughout his life including golfing, hunting, poker, cooking and most importantly Alabama football (ROLL TIDE!). Mark worked the majority of his life for CSX and served 30 years until his retirement. Although Mark had a tough exterior, he was an extremely kind and loving soul - always wanting the best for every person and animal he came across.

Mark was married to Lindsey Jo Cook on April 14, 2012, where they combined families and lived in Newnan.

Mark was an amazing father to Rebecca Leigh Smith, Autumn Elizabeth

Stevens, Carrie Drew Stevens, Matthew D. Blumenthal(Rachel) and T. Cody Chapman(Allison). An extremely loving and doting Paw Paw to Avery, Lucas, Zane, Olivia, Klay, Reid, Galileo and Na'amah. A caring and thoughtful brother to Walt Bolton(Danielle), Bruce Bolton and Julie Bolton. A loving uncle to Emma Blue Bolton.

The graveside funeral service will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 23 at Oak Hill Cemetery in Newnan, GA.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Mark's name to the Marine Toys For Tots program at www.toysfortots.org.

Condolences may be sent to the family online at www.mckoon.com
McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Service

SEP **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Graveside Oak Hill Cemetery
96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall

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“ I recall Mark sharing his story. He graduated #1 in his class as this position allowed him to pick any post in country. He could've gone to Hawaii but he picked the location closest to home, as family was so important. I always remember if I needed help, you could count on Mark. Sending our love to his family. His love for you lives on.

Diane Murray - September 22, 2019 at 07:36 PM

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“ Mark was a great colleague and friend. Always willing to share his knowledge and help everyone. One time he was in Boston area with me we were doing terminal evaluations, and I asked him what he wants to see? He wanted to go to see the ship, U S Constitution. While waiting in line to board. A sailor was passing by, Mark noted a defective in his uniform. And said " I guess you Swabbies don't shine ya boots no more"?! The sailor a tall young man stopped, smiled, saw the USMC Tattoo in Mark's arm, struck up a conversation and ushered us to the head of the line. Mark was my friend, and will always be a Marine. He will be missed. Rest in peace.

Charlie Moriarity - September 21, 2019 at 04:14 PM

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“ Sandra and I chose to make a contribution to Toys for Tots in memory of Mark and in celebration of his life. Perhaps some child will be made happy by this action which would have pleased Mark.

-- Jim Satterfield and Sandra Garber

James D. Satterfield - September 21, 2019 at 09:55 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mark Hayes Bolton.*



September 20, 2019 at 08:31 PM



“ *Love you man.
You can spread your wings now!*

Ron Wolfarth - September 20, 2019 at 08:20 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mark Hayes Bolton.*



September 20, 2019 at 05:17 PM