



# Nicholas Morgan Woods

May 4, 1949 - October 31, 2019

Nicholas Morgan Woods III

Morgan Woods passed away on October 31, 2019 at Sacred Journey Hospice after a valiant battle with cancer.

Morgan spent most of his life in Chatham, NJ. He graduated from Franklin Marshal College and worked as a group benefit agent for Aetna, Cigna, and Met Life Insurance Companies.

His avocation was demonstrating and instructing mixed martial arts, specializing in Isshin-Ryu Karate. He was one of very few Americans to achieve a 9th degree black belt. He was also an avid marksman, bicycle racer, and exotic car collector.

His parents were the late Nicholas Morgan Woods, Jr and Elvera Thomas Woods. He is survived by his sister Shelley Woods Laurin, his brother-in-law Martin Rudy, his nephew Robert Griffith, and niece Sarah Woods Laurin, all of whom loved him dearly. He also leaves many devoted friends from his karate days, who supported him with great love and kindness during his illness. Many thanks to Morgan's lady friend, Dawn Hughes, who tirelessly nursed him during his illness.

The family would also like to thank Lisa Williams and the nursing staff of Sacred Journey Hospice for their understanding, gentle care and compassion.

A small celebration of life service will be held soon, and particulars will be available through McKoon Funeral Home in Newnan, GA.

Condolences may be sent to the family online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com).

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory | 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## **McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory**

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# Tribute Wall



“ *I witnessed Morgan performing an inverted cross In the rings in front of the entire school.it was amazing!!!!*

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**Joseph Dupont** - November 06, 2019 at 05:52 PM

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*I remember Morgan when we were young and happy. My sympathy to the family. Terry Woods Stefanow*

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**theresa stefanow** - February 06, 2020 at 10:20 AM