



Philip Larry Henson

August 31, 1944 - February 20, 2024

Philip Larry Henson, 79, of Newnan passed away Tuesday, February 20, 2024. He was born August 31, 1944, in Ellijay, GA to the late James Leonard Henson and Rosa Nell Penland Henson. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his grandson, Philip Tyler Henson.

Philip grew up in north Georgia and was a 1962 graduate of Gilmer County High School. After 27 years, he retired from General Motors Lakewood Assembly Plant. Shortly after retiring, he returned to work at Playtex in Newnan until the plant was closed. He was a longtime member and deacon of Macedonia Baptist Church. Philip was a dedicated Mason for 50 years and was a past master of Sylvan Lodge.

The funeral is at 2:00 pm Tuesday, February 27, 2024, at Macedonia Baptist Church with Dr. John Riley and Rev. Matthew Myers officiating. Burial, with Masonic Rites, will follow at Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery. The visitation is Monday evening between 5-7 pm at McKoon Funeral Home.

Rather than flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Tyler Henson Scholarship Fund, in care of The Heritage School, 2093 Highway 29 North, Newnan, GA 30263

Condolences may be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Survivors include wife, Brenda Welborn Henson; sons, Dean (Amy) Henson, Bart (Amy) Henson; sister, Barbara Smith of Little Rock, AR; grandchildren, Trevor (Clayton) Henson, Peyton (Kayla) Henson, Matt (MaKaylee) Henson, Rebekah (Josh) Graham, Rachel Henson; great-grandchildren, James

Christopher Henson, Parker Grace Henson; many loving nieces and nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery

1504 Macedonia Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **26**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

FEB **27**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Macedonia Baptist Church
1504 Macedonia Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Philip Larry Henson*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - February 26, 2024 at 03:24 PM

JL

“ *Brenda and family, i am so sorry for your loss. In my heart, i can just imagine the reunion in heaven with everyone that has passed on, especially with precious Elaine.*

*Sincere condolences,
Juanita Linch*

Juanita W. Linch - March 01, 2024 at 05:17 PM

RT

“ *Our heartfelt prayers and condolences go out to Bart, Dean, and all the Henson family. In the time I'd gotten to know Brother Philip over the last few years, I admired him for his relationships with his sons and family. He was a good man and a good friend who'll be missed.*

Robert and Janet Tarleton.

Robert Tarleton - February 27, 2024 at 04:06 PM

MW

“ To the Henson family: Philip will always hold a special place in our hearts. Whether sitting around a campfire, floating in a pool or at the beach in Gulf Shores, we enjoyed his stories and humor. Our hearts hurt and it simply won't be the same without him, but he will be with us always. Prayers and condolences to you all. Mark & Kathy Wood

Mark & Kathy Wood - February 27, 2024 at 11:40 AM

WR

“ Tammy and I were saddened when hearing this news. It was an honor and privilege to have gotten to know Phillip. I loved the stories he shared, the laughs, the rides we shared and loved watching him and Skeeter's antics. Our hearts are with Miss Brenda and family.

Wayne Ray - February 26, 2024 at 10:08 PM

RM

“ Philip and Brenda have been members of Great South Riding Group for many years and we have wonderful memories of riding and eating together. Brenda, we will miss Philip... but... I look forward to seeing him again... together in our Heavenly Fathers Kingdom. Blessings to you and your family.
Rick Myerscough
"Padre' "

Rick Myerscough - February 26, 2024 at 03:13 PM

TL

“ Brenda, Dean, and Bart,
The Lynch family admire Philip and his family and have many happy memories. We love you.

Teresa Lynch - February 26, 2024 at 01:29 PM

B&

“ Bill &. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Philip Larry Henson.

Bill &. - February 26, 2024 at 11:23 AM

PU

“ Pat Ulmer planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Philip Larry Henson.

Pat Ulmer - February 22, 2024 at 03:27 PM

PU

“ Pat Ulmer purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Philip Larry Henson.



Pat Ulmer - February 22, 2024 at 03:27 PM

NP

“ My heart is very saddened as I extend my condolences to the Philip Henson Family. Philip and I grew up together in a rural, southern community of Gilmer County called Town Creek. The Henson and the Knight Families were always good friends and neighbors, and we were all strongly involved in making our community a better place in which to live, work and play. As always, life took all of us in different directions after our high school graduation, but friendships remained the same. Please know that all of you will continue to be in our hearts, thoughts and many prayers.
Nancy Ann Knight Parker

Nancy Ann Knight Parker - February 22, 2024 at 03:26 PM

UW

“ UFP PURCHASING WINDSOR planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Philip Larry Henson.

UFP PURCHASING WINDSOR - February 22, 2024 at 08:08 AM

UW

“ UFP PURCHASING WINDSOR purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Philip Larry Henson.



UFP PURCHASING WINDSOR - February 22, 2024 at 08:08 AM

JS

“ My prayers to the family. I cherish all of the good memories and good times we had on many bike rides. Love you until we met again.

Jay Sims - February 22, 2024 at 07:43 AM

JM

“ A wonderful man. A good human being a friend and brother. Hugs for the family. God Bless.

Jerry Moore - February 21, 2024 at 05:35 PM