



Scott Mills

July 12, 1962 - February 20, 2024

Scott Mills, beloved husband, father, friend, and esteemed colleague, passed away peacefully on February 20, 2024, surrounded by his loved ones, after a courageous battle with cancer. He was 61.

Born on July 12, 1962, Scott was a beacon of light in the lives of all who knew him. He was a man of unwavering integrity, compassion, and kindness, leaving an indelible mark on the hearts of those fortunate enough to have crossed paths with him.

Scott's professional journey was marked by brilliance and dedication. After serving with honor in the Air Force, he pursued his education and graduated from Austin Peay State University. Following his studies, he thrived as a Database Analyst for Georgia Pacific for 33 years. His innovative mindset and tireless commitment to excellence garnered admiration and respect from colleagues throughout his career.

Beyond his professional achievements, Scott's profound legacy emanates from the depth of his relationships. Known affectionately as "The Big Guy," he was a devoted husband to his beloved spouse Corrine Mills and a cherished father to Kristen (Chris), Phil (Chasity), and Houston (Sierra). Alongside his grandchildren, including Ella, Madyson, Rylee, Bristol, Rhea, Colton, Camryn, Jackson, and Haisley, who brought immeasurable joy into his life, his family

was the center of his world, and his love for them knew no bounds. Scott is also survived by his mother, Betty Mills, and his brother Craig Mills (Denice)-Northeast High School class of '83 and his Nieces Jordan and Taylor. He is also preceded in death by his father Houston W. Mills.

Scott's warm smile, infectious laughter, and genuine compassion endeared him to everyone he encountered. Whether sharing stories over a glass of bourbon or offering a helping hand to those in need, he touched countless lives with his generosity and empathy.

In his spare time, Scott cherished various passions. Foremost among them was his deep love for sports, especially the Tennessee Vols. He was an enthusiastic collector who took pleasure in restoring old treasures like gumball machines. Scott also found joy in riding motorcycles, rocking out to music, grilling, and sharing valuable life lessons with others.

Though Scott may no longer walk beside us, his spirit will continue to illuminate our lives with memories of his boundless love and unwavering presence. He leaves behind a legacy of love, kindness, and compassion that will forever serve as a guiding light for those who knew him.

Condolences may be expressed to the family online at www.mckoon.com.

A celebration honoring Scott's life will take place on May 28th, 2024, at 3pm, at Georgia National Cemetery in Canton, GA. Contributions can be made to a charity of choice in Scott's name. Scott's departure leaves a void that can never be filled, but his memory will live on in the hearts of all who were fortunate enough to know him. May he rest in eternal peace, knowing that he was deeply loved and will be profoundly missed.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Drive
Canton, GA 30114

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY **28**. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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Canton, GA 30114

Tribute Wall

MD

“ Mom, Craig and Denise planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Scott Mills.

Mom, Craig and Denise - May 23, 2024 at 01:22 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Scott Mills.



May 23, 2024 at 01:22 PM

SH

“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Scott Holmes - February 26, 2024 at 01:30 PM

KG

Thank you for sharing these amazing pictures and memories of our dad!

Kristen Graeff - March 12, 2024 at 09:00 PM

CM

Great pictures! Thank you ❤️

Corrine Mills - March 12, 2024 at 09:58 PM

SH

“ 7 files added to the tribute wall



Scott Holmes - February 26, 2024 at 01:24 PM

SH

Back to the 80's!

Scott Holmes - February 26, 2024 at 01:24 PM

SH

“ Rest in peace Bro. Scott. To his family I send my deepest sympathy. The memories will always remain and keep flooding back over the past week, to name a few: St, Louis band trip, road trips to Knoxville, rock band at CHS talent shows, cabin parties, boating on the river, Sigma Chi Big Brother, Sigma Chi parties and fundraising, cool cars, late night billiards, many, many concerts in Nashville, trips to Florida and so many more good times. Scott was also a groomsman at my wedding in 1988. I will also share some pix from the archive!

Scott Holmes - February 26, 2024 at 01:11 PM

CM

Thank you for these memories Scott. They are very special to all of us. He was an amazing man ❤️

Corrine Mills - March 12, 2024 at 10:02 PM

LI

“ My condolences to the entire family. I met Scott and Corrine at GP. We worked on projects together and had wonderful times together at work. I will miss him dearly.

Linda - February 25, 2024 at 02:50 PM

CM

Thank you Linda. We had some good memories together at GP ❤️

Corrine Mills - March 12, 2024 at 10:03 PM

 Ralph Sowell

“ Rest easy my brother in Sigma Chi- In Hoc Signo Vincas! Death cannot kill what never dies, nor can spirits ever be divided that love and live in friendship.

Ralph Sowell - February 23, 2024 at 08:21 AM

NP

“ Nancy Peeples lit a candle in memory of Scott Mills



Nancy Peeples - February 22, 2024 at 06:23 PM

AL

“ Corrine, sending our Thoughts and Prayers are to you and your family. RIP my Eglin Brother.

Alan Lajoie - February 22, 2024 at 04:58 PM

CM

Thank you Alan. It means a lot ❤️

Corrine Mills - March 12, 2024 at 10:04 PM

MW

“ *There are so many memories I could share, from sneaking out of the house in the middle of the night in high school, to building hay forts and working in tobacco on my uncle's farm, to pledging Sigma Chi together in college, and going to numerous concerts together. But, the one thing I will remember forever is the sound of Scott's laugh, which I was fortunate enough to hear many times - well, because he loved to laugh! I will miss you buddy.*

Mike Wright - February 22, 2024 at 04:30 PM

SH

Well stated my Brother!

Scott Holmes - February 23, 2024 at 12:42 PM

BC

Nintendo in the Basement (Zelda) all night! Grilling and Chilling! Good times great friends, you'll be missed!

Bruce Currie - February 24, 2024 at 12:48 PM

CM

You nailed it Mike! I loved listening to the stories of you and him and the tobacco farm and sneaking out lol. He loved you ❤️

Corrine Mills - March 12, 2024 at 10:06 PM