



Silas Nelson McIntyre

July 12, 1946 - October 23, 2023

Silas Nelson McIntyre, 77, of Newnan, Georgia, passed away unexpectedly on October 23, 2023 while visiting the Mountains of North Carolina with his wife, Judy and nephew, James, enjoying a long overdue vacation. He did not suffer and is resting peacefully now with our Lord and Savior.

Born on July 12, 1946 in Donalsonville, GA, he was the son of Silas and Mary Nell McIntyre. Nelson's father passed away before he was born. Not ever knowing his father, he was raised by his grandmother Lila Shaw. He began working on farms at a very young age to help pay for living expenses. This is where he began to develop his lifelong work ethic.

After Nelson graduated from Seminole County High School in 1964, he moved to the Atlanta area where he attended Moler Barber School and worked as a barber for a year before pursuing a 20 plus-year career at Eastern Airlines. During this time, he also worked as a realtor at Jim Dorminy Reality with his wife's family and continued to work as a barber, when needed, for his father-in-law at Dorminy's Barber Shop. In 1988 he opened a successful chicken wing business with an award-winning sauce that was later marketed in grocery stores. Nelson continued to work for the remainder of his life. His last occupation was with Four Hats Traffic Control.

Beyond his professional achievements, Nelson was an avid Georgia Bulldogs,

Atlanta Braves, and Atlanta Falcons fan. As much as he loved watching football and baseball, his top priority in life was his wife of 53 years, Judy.

Nelson will be remembered for his patience, easy going personality, work-ethic, humbleness, and loyalty. He had a deep devotion to Christ and to his family.

Nelson was preceded in death by his parents, sister Sue Callahan, brothers-in-law Ed, Bill, and Jim Dorminy, nieces Pamela and Faith Dorminy.

Nelson is survived by his wife Judy McIntyre, sons Grant McIntyre (Yanett), Greg Fuller (Brenda), granddaughters Andrea Mayen and Morgan Fuller, great-granddaughters Mileena and Macy Arbogast, sister Jean McIntyre and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

A Celebration of Life for Nelson will be held at Summer Grove Club House, 335 Summer Grove Pkwy, Newnan, GA 30265 on Saturday, December 9th at 2pm.

We invite friends and loved ones to share their memories and condolences at www.mckoon.com

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
care@mckoon.com
<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Funeral Service

DEC 9. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Summer Grove Clubhouse
335 Summer Grove Pkwy
Newnan, GA 30265

Tribute Wall

CM

“ Nelson was such a great man, husband, father, and friend. I've known him since I was 14 years old (47 years ago), when Greg and I became friends in high school. We've lost a precious friend and family member. Nelson, you are loved and will be missed by so many! Our condolences to Judy, Greg, Grant and all of the family. Craig and Heather McDuffie

Craig McDuffie - November 20, 2023 at 09:45 AM

WB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Wanda Barefoot - November 13, 2023 at 03:55 PM

WB

Sweetest Couple! 🥰🥰

Wanda Barefoot - November 13, 2023 at 03:56 PM

CS

“ To all the McIntyre family, Nelson was a friend, a cousin, and yes more like like an older brother. His heart was full of love for God and everyone who came in contact with him. He was passionate with his love for Judy and all his family, he was a humble man with great character, he will be missed, never forgotten, and always loved, our prayers are with Judy and all the family.
With all our love, Charles and Sherry



Charles Shaw - November 13, 2023 at 10:00 AM

DS

“ Nelson was more like an older brother than a cousin. You always brought joy to the Shaw family when you and family visited from Atlanta. As your obituary said, you had an incredible work ethic and were always looking for ways to improve life for your family. Your passing is a shock for all. Sending prayers and love for the family.
Love Kim and Dwayne

Dwayne Shaw - November 11, 2023 at 09:35 PM