



Thomas Richard Palmer

January 2, 1964 - February 25, 2010

To view Mr. Palmer's funeral service online anytime after 5:00 pm, Tuesday, March 2, 2010 click-

Thomas Richard "Ritchie" Palmer

Thomas Richard "Ritchie" Palmer, Jr., 46, of Luthersville, GA died on Thursday, February 25, 2010. He was born in Coweta County, Georgia on January 2, 1964. After completing high school, he enlisted & served in the United States Army for four years. He was a mechanic and a carpenter who loved Nascar. His life philosophy was to "live and let live" and he did that surrounding himself by friends and family at gatherings where he was the grill master himself. He will be remembered for the practical jokes that he played, as a true animal lover, a wonderful gardener and he will be dearly missed for his care-free & fun spirit. He was preceded in death by father, Tyre Steven Reeves.

He is survived by son, Steven Palmer of Greenville; mother, Jennie Reeves of Sharpsburg, GA; grandmother, Lillian Evans of Moreland; sisters, Tara Palmer of Newnan, Renea Steverson & her husband Dexter of Savannah; uncle, Mark Evans of Moreland; aunt, Martha Morgan of Newnan; niece, Rebekah Stancill; nephews, Cameron Stancill, Jake Stancill, Palmer Steverson, Trevor Steverson; numerous cousins and other extended family members.

The memorial service is Tuesday, March 2, 2010 at 5:00 PM in the Chapel of McKoon Funeral Home; Rev. Winston Skinner will officiate. The family will receive visitors just prior to the service from 3:00 until 5:00 PM on Tuesday, March 2, 2010. Bring your best Ritchie stories to share amongst friends, and per his request, please dress in casual attire. Tears are allowed, jeans, laughter, smiles & good memories are encouraged. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to The Steven Palmer Fund at Meriwether Bank & Trust, mailing address: P.O. Box 237, Luthersville, GA 30251 (770) 927-1256. or in person at the branch location: 14 North Main Street, Luthersville, GA 30251.

Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com

McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com
<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
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Service

MAR 2. 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RS

“ *Memorial Contributions to The Steven Palmer Fund (Ritchie's son): For anyone with intentions to and those of you who have tried to make memorial contributions at a Wachovia Bank, we were not able to set this up at Wachovia. We did however set up the account at Meriwether Bank & Trust. Mailing Address:P.O. Box 237, Luthersville, GA 30251. (770) 927-1256. Branch Location: 14 North Main Street, Luthersville, GA 30251. We apologize for the confusion and appreciate your contributions, concern, and support. Family of Ritchie Palmer*

Renea Palmer Steverson - March 03, 2010 at 03:56 PM

NM

“ *To the family my thoughts and prayers are with you. I have known Ritchie since i was 3 I think. Him and my stepdad Barney built the house I grew up in. I always used to spend the night at his house when he was still with Donna but I was crazy about him. He always knew how to make a person laugh. I am so sorry I was unable to make it to the service but just know I have been praying for the family every night since my mom told me about what happened. He will be greatly missed he was a wonderful man and dad.*

Nicole McNelis - March 02, 2010 at 08:51 PM

MH

“ *To the Palmer family- The Hunter family will pray for your comfort and for peace during this time of loss. God is faithful to His children.*

Margaret Hunter - March 02, 2010 at 08:50 PM

JW

“ *Renea, My prayer is that the Lord wil comfort and keep you, and your family, during this time of sorrow. Jackie Williams Chatham County State Court*

Jackie Williams - March 02, 2010 at 04:43 PM

BC

“ *I send my deepest symthany to Jeannie, Tara, Renee, and son Steven and all family members, your lost will be a blessing in heaven with his laughter and craziness he was alot of fun to be a round and will be deeply missed by all who knew him. My heart goes out to you all I love you Jeannie you are strong.*

Blenda Chaffin - March 02, 2010 at 09:27 AM

BS

“ *Dear Renea, I was so sorry to read about the passing of your ony brother. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Renea, If I can be of any help to ya'll, please call me. Beth Sheffield*

Beth Sheffield - March 01, 2010 at 02:13 PM

PN

“ *Through these God awful times remember that you are very much loved and appreciated for the wonderful person you are; Richie inherited much of your good qualities and will be keeping an eye on you from above .I know your heart aches...let me know if I can do anything. Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers. Peg*

Peg Norred - March 01, 2010 at 09:51 AM



“ *Jenny I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.* ”

Penny Philpo - March 01, 2010 at 09:02 AM