



Mark Rubino

April 14, 1962 - April 4, 2025

Tony Mark Rubino, 62, of Newnan, GA, passed away on April 4th after a 3.5 year battle with Stage 4 Colon Cancer. Mark was born on April 14, 1962, in Atlanta, GA to Anthony Michael Rubino and Agnes Lousie "Kitty" Rubino (née Craig). Mark graduated from North Clayton high school 1980 and became a long time barber in Tyrone, GA at Tony and Kitty's Barbershop. Mark married Patricia Kaye Rubino (née Kelly) started dating in high school when they were 15 and 16 years old, respectively, and got married on September 18th, 1983 in College Park, GA after 6 years of dating. The two were married for 41 years and had a daughter, Kathryn Kelly Rubino, on March 31, 1997.

Mark was a drummer in multiple bands that played around the Newnan and surrounding areas throughout his life including the bands Katfish Kings and Staggerstep. He enjoyed riding his motorcycle on cross-country journeys outwest to enjoy the mountains and deserts. Mark always found himself tinkering with something: cars, tractors, and anything else he could get his hands on. He looked forward to moving to Dale Hollow lake in Tennessee to fish and to live the lake life.

Mark is survived by his beloved family: wife, Kaye Rubino; daughter, Kathryn Rubino; furbabies, Ellie and Bella; brothers, Steven Michael "Stevie" Rubino (Helen) and Robert David "Bobby" Rubino (Ellan); sister, Donita Carol Rubino (Dave); nieces, Stephanie Secor (Kevin), Deshon Brown, and Makisha

Lawson; Nephews, Joseph Rubino (Linda), Josh Lawson, Michael Rubino (April), Noah Lawson; great nieces, Jordan Stender, Zoe Rubino, Taylor Gann; great nephews, Cowan Bishop (Ashley), Butch Brown, Brett Brown, Andrew Secor, Alex Secor, Anthony Rubino, Jonny Rubino; great-great nephew Wyatt Lawson; and many in-law relatives. Mark is preceded in death by his mother Kitty Rubino, father Anthony Rubino, and Ellan Rubino.

There will be no visitation or funeral services, but instead a party (date announcement forthcoming) will be held in his honor to drink and be merry.

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

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Cemetery Details

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ We were lifelong childhood friends. Mark Rubino meant so much to so many people. He was one of the toughest Men of our generation i have ever known. It got him an extra 3.5 years in this old world. Most wudda given up in 3.5 weeks tops! When Mark set his mind to it, there was nothing he cud not figure out, fix or learn about. We called and talked with regularity right up until the end. i will see you again on that other shore in due time. Rest easy champ, 🥂 you fought a helluva fight. 🤝

jack abercrombie - April 28, 2025 at 12:30 AM

MV

“ I started getting my hair cut by Mark when I was 13 or 14 years old. He and Kitty did my hair for my wedding day, and in my 30's, he began to color my grays. We always had such great conversations about life, health, and of course politics. Mark was a great guy and taught me a lot about standing up for what is right, standing up for myself, and about a healthy distrust of all things involving government and politics It was a great education that I didn't really get anywhere else. Sometimes I would leave his chair and head straight for BJ's to stock up on food, so I was prepared for anything that might go down. I always knew if anything did go down, that Mark's would be the place to be. He was the most well read, and politically savvy person I ever knew. It has been years since Mark has done my hair but I always got updates on his battle from my mom. What a fighter he was, I know he made you so proud. I've prayed for him over these past few years and know that he is now at peace.

Maureen Villella - April 09, 2025 at 06:37 PM



“ *Mark was a one of a kind just a great friend and will be missed by all. He was the guy if you needed him he was on the way. Some of the times we had back in the day will live with me for ever. It was a honor to be able to call you my friend. MARK FLY HIGH BROTHER, YOUR BATTLE IS OVER , TILL WE MEET AGAIN R.I.P. Robby and Julie Byrom*

Robby Byrom - April 09, 2025 at 10:09 AM

TW

“ *So sorry, Kathryn!!! You know how I feel about you and your precious family!! Please let me know what you need me to do. Love you, sweet girl!!!
Mrs. White and Family*

Tiffany W. - April 09, 2025 at 09:05 AM

DM

“ *Donna (Donut) McCormack lit a candle in memory of Mark Rubino*



Donna (Donut) McCormack - April 08, 2025 at 04:04 PM

RK

“ *Ronnie Kelly lit a candle in memory of Mark Rubino*



ronnie kelly - April 08, 2025 at 03:59 PM

CF

“ *Sending our Love.. prayers for strength and comfort at this time.*
We truly miss the good old days.
Much love, Candy Horn & Todd Horn ❤️



Candyrule horn foster - April 08, 2025 at 03:58 PM