



## Alton Ronald "Ron" Tomme

December 17, 1930 - September 18, 2018

Mr. Alton Ronald "Ron" Tomme, age 87, of Palmetto, GA passed away Tuesday, September 18, 2018. He is survived by his wife, Sue Tomme of Palmetto, GA; sons, Alan Tomme and his wife, Suzie, of Tyler, TX, Steven Tomme and his wife, Marcia, of St. George, UT, Randall Tomme and his wife, Christi of Lubbock, TX; brother, Warren Tomme and his wife, Dorothy, of Hunstville, AL; grandchildren, Valarie Tomme of Colorado Springs, CO, Jamie Bird and her husband, Gorham, of Sharpsburg, GA, Lane Tomme of St. George, UT, Abby Elliott and her husband, Wesley of Dallas-Ft. Worth, TX, Tyler Tomme of Lubbock, TX, Weston Tomme of Lubbock, TX, Braedon Tomme of Lubbock, TX; great-grandchildren, Bennett Bird, Owen Bird, Emersyn Bird and Daisy Tomme. A funeral service will be held Monday, September 24, 2018 at 11 o'clock at the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home with Alan Henderson officiating. Interment will be held at Georgia National Cemetery. Those Wishing may sign the online guestbook at [www.parrottfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrottfuneralhome.com). The family will receive friends Monday morning from 10:00 until the time of service at Parrott Funeral Home and Crematory, 770-964-4800.

# Cemetery Details

## Georgia National Cemetery

2025 Mount Carmel Church Lane  
Canton, GA 30114

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
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## Funeral Service

SEP 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Alton Ronald "Ron" Tomme*



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - September 24, 2018 at 10:04 AM

JJ

“ *Heaven gained a good one today! A man of great character and wisdom, Ron had a lasting impression and influence on our lives. Love and comfort to Sue and Ron's family. May your memories and knowing that Ron has met his Maker bring you comfort in the days ahead.*

*Love, Jeff and Cheryl Jones*

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**Jeff and Cheryl Jones** - September 27, 2018 at 04:59 AM

KC

“ *I wish I had taken the opportunity to have known Mr. Tomme better as a neighbor and as a friend before his passing. From what I have observed the few times we met, he was a kind man that carried himself with a quiet wisdom and dignity.*

*Sincerely,  
Keith Creech*

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**Keith Creech** - September 24, 2018 at 02:48 PM

DB

“ *Ron will be missed! Blessings to you, Sue, and to the rest of your family.*  
*David and Amy Baldrige*

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**David and Amy Baldrige** - September 22, 2018 at 05:26 PM

LT

“ There are no words to express how much we will miss this faithful servant. He has been there for us in so many ways. He is personally responsible for the spiritual growth that my husband and I experienced in our time in Atlanta. He opened his home to our small group and was always there with spiritual encouragement. The time we were able to spend with him was some of the most precious time to look back on.

Last year when our daughter was diagnosed with cancer he was the first one we wanted to call and ask for prayers from. He always called to check on her even when he himself was not feeling well. I always felt like I was going home to my grandparents house when we would go to Ron and Sue's house, there was a genuine warmth there that is hard to put to words, it just felt like home.

Lisa Turner - September 22, 2018 at 02:48 PM

TM

“ Tod, Dana, Matthew Martin, and Larry Martin purchased the S sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Alton Ronald "Ron" Tomme.



Tod, Dana, Matthew Martin, and Larry Martin - September 22, 2018 at 02:18 PM



“ 57 files added to the album LifeTributes



Parrott Funeral Home - September 22, 2018 at 01:23 PM

ES

“ Dear Sue and Family,

*How fortunate it was that Ron and I encountered each other as engineering employees at Vought Aerospace Corporation, some 16 years out of our Little Rock Senior High School, and to discover that we each had wives and three children living in proximity. So many memorable mutual family and personal life experiences did follow!*

*Our several shared family ski vacations indeed provided many great experiences, fun and memories for parents and children alike!*

*What personal joy Ron and I shared in teaming to compete so successfully in several National Pilots Association proficiency races. Ron's military flying experience made all the difference in our successful outcomes.*

*While missing Ron and our younger family times together, let's enjoy the comfort of knowing that Ron did indeed live this life fully, in preparation for an even greater eternal life-----.*

*In His name,  
Ed Schwarz*

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**Eddie J. Schwarz** - September 21, 2018 at 09:48 PM

CM

“ *What wonderful memories I have of Ron & Sue coming down faithfully on Sundays to the Fort Benning ministry helping with soldiers. That is how I first got to know them & treasured their friendship even after we were no longer allowed to bring our ministry to Fort Benning. Ron was a solid rock in his faith. He was such a good example to me in his gentleness, kindness, & showing love & joy in his Christian walk. I am thankful to have known him. He will be missed.*



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**Connie Mccuiston** - September 21, 2018 at 09:09 PM

LJ

“ *My dear Uncle Ron.  
Almost enough said in just that! He was my favorite uncle - always so kind, patient, and wise, and of course fun! I LOVED anytime that I could be with him and Aunt Sue, always a great time to be had with them. I lived with them for awhile before I got married and Uncle Ron and I shared a special bond - John Wayne and western movies. Later he actually married my husband and I, because I could think of no greater man to do so. His gentle Godly spirit was amazing! He also had a devious side to him, where my mom was concerned. Can remember many times both of them teasing and joking with each other. It always made us laugh to see them together. I now imagine them together again, having a party up there, waiting for us to arrive! To my real life "John Wayne, The Duke" - I love ya!*

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**Laura Janszen** - September 21, 2018 at 08:08 PM

ES

“ *Eddie J. Schwarz purchased the A Full Life for the family of Alton Ronald "Ron" Tomme.*



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**Eddie J. Schwarz** - September 21, 2018 at 07:09 PM

KH

“ *When I was a young teenager I remember your family opening your home to our family many times after church. You were always welcoming, loving and a great example of how Jesus wants us to live. Kristin (sears) Higgins*

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**kristin higgins** - September 21, 2018 at 10:16 AM

AN

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I too know the sting of death. The memories of good times will carry you thru these sad days. I hope that you can surround yourself with family and those who can build you up with the comfort you need. There is the best support found in God's word. Please read Isaiah 25:8. Death will soon be a thing of the past and there will be no more tears. Take care of yourself and let the scriptures fill you with hope and promise.*

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**Andrea** - September 21, 2018 at 08:11 AM

JL

“ *Condolences to all the family. He was a wonderful blessing to all of our family.*

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**Jimmy Lee** - September 20, 2018 at 10:26 AM

TM

“ *What an outstanding man with far-reaching influence. My father grew up in a pretty stern environment, and he had few examples in his life of steady Christian parenting. I think he learned a lot from observing my uncle Ron and how he raised his boys. Many of the best things about my childhood memories of my dad are things that I also saw in uncle Ron. His admirable work ethic, his love of providing for his family, his willingness to help those in need, his faithful church involvement; all of these blessed my life, and I believe that one of the first men my dad knew who had all of these traits was uncle Ron. Christmas time at the Tomme home was always a very special time, that I looked forward to with great eagerness. Ron and Sue were always such gracious hosts to a wild and rowdy bunch of cousins. My growing-up years were a blessed time with many happy days, and some of the most precious memories were times spent with the Tomme family. I thank God for uncle Ron and his loving leadership, wisdom, and great example of a faithful husband and father. I am a better man for having been a part of this extended family.*

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**Tod Martin** - September 20, 2018 at 09:23 AM

AB

“ *Ron was truly a great man of God. His life work of ministry to others was an inspiration to everyone around him. There is no telling how many lives he touched, of how the ripples of his love and compassion to everyone he encountered has changed lives. I know he was greeted in heaven with the words, "Well done, good and faithful servant." You will be missed Ron. Praying for sweet Sue and the family during this time of sorrow.*

*From Adrian at Newnan Church of Christ*



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**Adrian L. Bradberry** - September 20, 2018 at 08:18 AM