



## Derek D. Yates

August 8, 1956 - March 26, 2019

Mr. Derek D. Yates, age 62, of Riverdale, passed away Tuesday, March 26, 2019. He was preceded in death by his parents, Dwain and Margia Yates; his granddaughter, Amanda Rose Stuchel. He is survived by his wife, Lynne Yates of Riverdale; daughter, Kim Stuchel and her husband, Tony of Cumming; son, Tim Yates and his wife, Ashley of Lithia Springs; brothers, Greg Yates, Chris Yates and his wife, Patti, Kipp Yates and his wife, Tracy; grandchildren, Alex Stuchel, Allie Stuchel, Parker Yates; several nieces, nephews, aunts, and uncles. A memorial service will be held Thursday, March 28, 2019 at 2 o'clock in the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home with Dr. Jimmy Orr officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory, 770-964-4800. The family is accepting flowers or donations to one of the following: Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, [www.jdrf.org](http://www.jdrf.org) or American Cancer Society [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **28**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
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Fairburn, GA 30213  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Derek D. Yates.*



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March 27, 2019 at 07:04 PM



“ *The Stuchel Family: Kim, Tony, Alex, and Allie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Derek D. Yates.*



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**The Stuchel Family: Kim, Tony, Alex, and Allie** - March 27, 2019 at 03:04 PM



“ *The Families of Myric Young, Dennis & Patsy Marlow purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Derek D. Yates.*



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**The Families of Myric Young, Dennis & Patsy Marlow** - March 27, 2019 at 10:49 AM



“ *Lynne, Kim, Tim and families; you are in my prayers today and in the weeks ahead. Praying as well as all others who loved Derek. My God give you peace and comfort during this time. - \*Matthew 5:44 Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.\**

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**Tracy Yates** - March 27, 2019 at 09:18 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Derek D. Yates.*



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March 26, 2019 at 10:42 PM



“ *Tony Stuchel, son-in-law: Derek was the final father figure in my life, and the only grandfather that my children had an opportunity to know and grow with. He was always kind and caring with his grandkids, and was a reliable source of practical wisdom for me. I don't know if he had a favorite quote, but there's one that fits how I know him: "I am what I am. I may not be perfect and I make mistakes. But when I care, I care with all my heart." Godspeed, sir. You will be missed.*

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**Tony Stuchel** - March 26, 2019 at 02:21 PM