



James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr.

November 7, 1938 - March 13, 2025

James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr., aged 86, passed away peacefully on March 13, 2025. Born on November 7, 1938, he was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather whose presence will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Jim dedicated much of his life to his work, beginning his career at Atlanta Gas Light, where he served diligently for 12 years. He later retired from General Motors after 25 years as a pipefitter at the Lakewood Plant, leaving behind a legacy of hard work and commitment. In his retirement years, he enjoyed doing handyman jobs for people in the community. He could fix just about anything.

He had a lifetime love of riding motorcycles and had visited all 50 states, most on his bike. (And he could name the best barbeque place in each state.) He loved spending time in Daytona Beach, FL and the Great Smokey Mountains, where he owned a cabin for forty years. Family was of the utmost importance and he instilled that in his children and grandchildren. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Newnan.

He was preceded in death by his son, Gregory Scot Williams; his parents, Irene Ferrell, Amos Martin Ferrell, and James Hal Williams, Sr, and his sister, Nancy Brigman.

Jim is survived by his devoted wife of 66 years, Judy Hunt Williams; his children, Melinda Sweatman (Mike), Dean Williams (Daryle), and Dale Williams (Cristina); and his brother, Mike Williams. He was a proud grandfather to Katie McLean (Derek and Kynzie), Seth Williams (Bobbie), Lauren Gamble (Holden), Sarah Beth Edgar (Wynn), Evan Williams, Eli Williams, Emily Sweatman (Blake Turner), and Will Sweatman. His legacy continues through his great-grandchildren, Oliver Williams, Sebastian Williams, Miller Gamble, and Amelia McLean. He is also remembered fondly by honorary family member Scott Seiler, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends are invited to pay their respects at a funeral service on Monday, March 17, 2025, at 2:00 PM at the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home, with visitation beginning two hours prior. Interment will follow at Fayetteville City Cemetery.

James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr. will be remembered for his dedication to his family and his steadfast work ethic, and as being a man of faith. His memory will live on in the hearts of those who loved him.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 17. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory
8355 Senoia Road
Fairburn, GA 30213
(770) 964-4800
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<https://www.parrottfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

MAR 17. 2:00 PM.

Parrott Funeral Home Chapel

Tribute Wall



“ Parrott Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr.



Parrott Funeral Home - March 17, 2025 at 10:27 AM

DJ

Our Sincere Condolences 🌸 Arthur and Dorothy Johnson parents of Ashley and Scott from Andalusia Alabama

Dorothy Johnson - March 17, 2025 at 02:29 PM

AW

“ Anne and Bill Williams purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



Anne and Bill Williams - March 17, 2025 at 09:50 AM

LP

“ Dear Judy, Melinda, Mike, Dean, Daryl, Dale, Cristina and Mike and the rest of Your Family: The memories of Jim and Larry on the telephone, having the best time "renewing" All those special memories of a long time together. Their funny work stories and on and on. Boy we all like to talk about our funny, special vacation memories. And Dean and Dale you have the special memories of you and Jeff going with Jim and Larry to Bike Week at Daytona. All those stories. And Judy you and I love our special memories of the four of us being together many times. My heart goes out to each of you. I know how hard this is for you. Thanks that you each have such great memories. We each will see Jim and Larry in Heaven. With all my Love to each of you. linda

linda parker - March 16, 2025 at 10:09 PM

TF

“ The Benson Family purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



The Benson Family - March 16, 2025 at 05:48 PM

FS

“ From Jason & Alainna Simpson purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



From Jason & Alainna Simpson - March 15, 2025 at 08:26 PM

OW

“ Our deepest sympathy. Tim & Lorrie Wix purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



Our deepest sympathy. Tim & Lorrie Wix - March 15, 2025 at 04:34 PM

WM

“ With love and sympathy, The Morgan's purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



With love and sympathy, The Morgan's - March 15, 2025 at 04:29 PM

WM

“ With love and sympathy, The Morgan's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..

With love and sympathy, The Morgan's - March 15, 2025 at 04:29 PM

GJ

“ Greg and Claudia, Natalie and Jake purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



Greg and Claudia, Natalie and Jake - March 15, 2025 at 04:02 PM

RT

“ Ronnie and Linda Thompson purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



Ronnie and Linda Thompson - March 15, 2025 at 03:30 PM

JF

“ Joe& Michele Hunt and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



Joe& Michele Hunt and Family - March 15, 2025 at 02:28 PM

RF

“ Russom Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



Russom Family - March 15, 2025 at 01:42 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..



March 15, 2025 at 01:39 PM

JH

“ *Jack Hunt purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of James "Jim" Hal Williams, Jr..*



Jack Hunt - March 15, 2025 at 12:15 PM