



## Roger B. Jernigan

June 1, 1937 - May 20, 2025

Roger B. Jernigan, aged 87, passed away peacefully on May 20, 2025, leaving behind a legacy of faith, family, and love. Born on June 1, 1937, he was a devoted husband, father, granddaddy, and great-granddaddy who cherished his time with family and friends.

Roger's life was a testament to his deep devotion to the Lord and his passion for teaching his children and grandchildren about Jesus. A lifelong member of Bethlehem Baptist Church, he followed in the footsteps of his parents, who helped build the church. His commitment to his faith and community was unwavering.

A proud veteran of the United States Navy, Roger also had a zest for life that included a love for travel, football, and camping. He found joy in coaching his children in various sports and had an abiding affection for all animals. At the age of 60, he undertook the challenge of building a barn using a sawmill to craft his own wood, showcasing his dedication and skill.

Roger is survived by his beloved wife, Lou Dale Jernigan; his children, Jenny Northcutt (Mark), John Jernigan, and Angie Rainwater (Donald); and his grandchildren, Brad Northcutt (Nicole), Laura Chalk (Thorne), D.J. Morrow (Christine), Garrett Morrow (Haley), and Hunter Morrow (girlfriend Kierstin). He was adored by his great-grandchildren, Katie Schlieff, Harding Chalk, Adeline Morrow, Arbin Chalk, Magnolia Loudale Morrow, and Emmett Morrow. He is also survived by his loving sisters, Reba Driver (Fred) and Sarah Davis, and brothers, Ted Jernigan (Maryanne) and Vann Jernigan (Shirley). Roger

was preceded in death by his parents, Jefferson and Cora Jernigan, who instilled in him the values he carried throughout his life. Also preceded him are his siblings Carron Jernigan, Laris Jernigan, Lillian "Dee" Croker, Charlotte "Girley" Campbell.

The family will receive friends on Thursday evening, May 22, 2025, from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Parrott Funeral Home. A service celebrating Roger's life will be held on Friday, May 23, 2025, at 2 o'clock at Bethlehem Baptist Church, with Mark Powell officiating. Interment will follow at the church cemetery, where Roger will be laid to rest in the presence of his loving family and friends.

Roger B. Jernigan will be remembered for his unwavering faith, dedication to family, and the joy he brought to all who knew him.

# Cemetery Details

## Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery

5485 Bethlehem Rd.  
Fairburn, GA 30213

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

MAY **22**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

MAY **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethlehem Baptist Church  
Bethlehem Road  
Fairburn, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Roger B. Jernigan*



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - May 22, 2025 at 08:30 AM

CS

*If Roger's not in heaven none of us have a chance he was a good man*

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**Chip Street** - May 23, 2025 at 05:40 PM

DW

*I will miss Roger. He was a great man.*

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**Donna White** - May 24, 2025 at 05:16 PM

RD

“ *Your in our thoughts and Prayers.. So sorry for your loss.. Robyn F. Dawkins*



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**Robyn Fountain Dawkins** - May 22, 2025 at 02:08 PM

RD

“ *Robyn Ann Dawkins lit a candle in memory of Roger B. Jernigan*



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**Robyn Ann Dawkins** - May 22, 2025 at 01:33 PM



“ . *purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Roger B. Jernigan.*



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. - May 22, 2025 at 12:51 PM

JS

“ *Jack Peek's Sales purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Roger B. Jernigan.*



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**Jack Peek's Sales** - May 22, 2025 at 10:55 AM



“ 50 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - May 22, 2025 at 08:19 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden* was purchased for the family of *Roger B. Jernigan*.



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May 21, 2025 at 08:12 PM



“ *Tommy McCullough* purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of *Roger B. Jernigan*.



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**Tommy McCullough** - May 21, 2025 at 08:07 PM