



## Mr. Ben Stringfellow

August 16, 2014

Bernard L. “Ben” Stringfellow, of Bowdon, Georgia, passed away on August 16, 2014. He was 64.

Mr. Stringfellow was born on June 10, 1950 to the late Bertie lee and Angela Katherine Stringfellow in Sal Salvador, El Salvador while his father worked as a U.S. Diplomat for the U.S. Government. Shortly after his birth, his family returned to the U.S. and Ben grew up in Columbus, Georgia and attended Baker High School. After high school and at the age of 17, He enlisted in the U.S. Army. He was a Vietnam Veteran and during his career served in locations such as Vietnam, Thailand, Cambodia, Korea, Alaska, Jordan, Ft. Benning, GA, Ft. Bragg, NC, and the New Cumberland Army Depot in Harrisburg, PA. He was a very proud veteran and was a member of the VNVMC of over 25 years. Mr. Stringfellow was also a Freemason and was a member of Bowdon Lodge No. 206 where he served in many capacities and was Past Master. Most importantly, he was a Christian who loved the Lord with all his heart and was always willing to serve Him and help others.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Stringfellow was preceded in death by his brothers, Paul Vincent “Pete” Stringfellow, Charles Albert Stringfellow, and Andrew Frank Stringfellow.

Survivors include his wife, Judith Gibbs Stringfellow; his children, John Burk

Stringfellow, Kimberly Nicole Stringfellow, Donovan Shaun Stringfellow; Jeremy Lowery Stringfellow, and Jason Lowery; his grandchildren, Joshua Shaun Stringfellow, Benjamin Lee Stringfellow, Cami Amanda Cook, Tristan Scott Drury, Courtney Nicole Brown, Rocco William Stringfellow, Jessie Lowery, and T.J. Lowery; his sisters, Cathryn Stringfellow and Maria Stringfellow Mitchell; and his special pets, Shug, Rosie, Poo, Bucky, and Boots.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, August 23, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. at the Chapel of Rainwater Funeral Home. Friends and family will speak and Masonic Rites will be offered. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Saturday from 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.

In accordance with Mr. Stringfellow's wishes, his body was cremated.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing to do so may make contributions in Mr. Stringfellow's memory to the Georgia Eye Bank (Georgia Eye Bank, Inc., 5605 Glenridge Dr. NE Suite 250, Atlanta, GA 30342), to the Esophageal Cancer Awareness Association (P.O. Box 55071 #15530, Boston, MA, 02205-5071) or to Bowdon Lodge F&AM No. 206 (c/o Rainwater Funeral Home, 317 N. Carroll St., Bowdon, GA 30108).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **23**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home  
317 North Carroll Street  
Bowdon, GA 30108  
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## Memorial Service

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