



Mr. Johnny Ray Meeks

June 24, 1951 - April 13, 2023

Mr. Johnny Ray Meeks, of Bowdon, Georgia, passed away on April 13, 2023. He was 71.

Mr. Meeks was born on June 24, 1951 in Ranburne, Alabama to the late William and Vera Lee Tucker Meeks. He retired from Richards and Associates where he worked as a Superintendent building hydroelectric plants. He enjoyed hunting and was good at it. He still has a deer listed among the top 10 killed in Carroll County. He also liked fishing and was the family's grill master. He played the guitar and always loved reading stories to his grandkids, even though most of the time he just made up his own story, especially Chicken Little. He was a jokester who loved to have a good laugh and bring a smile to any conversation. But most importantly, by his profession of faith, he was a Christian.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by seven brothers and sisters.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Belinda Meeks; his children and their spouses, Lori and Andy Johnson, Chris and Kelly Meeks, and Jamie and Julie Meeks; his grandchildren and their spouses, Kirsten and Bobby Pilgrim, C.J. and Presley Meeks, Drake and Arcila Johnson, Maranda and John Austin, Colt Meeks and Summer Gonzales, Garrett Johnson, Cody and Kaitlyn Meeks, and Vivian Meeks; his great-grandchildren, Weston Prince, Carson Meeks, Gunner Pilgrim, Remi Pilgrim, Abbey Sue Austin, Dawson Meeks, and William Meeks; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, April 15, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. at Antioch Baptist Church (5698 Roosterville Road, Franklin, GA 30217). Mr. Meeks' sons, Jamie and Chris, will officiate. Pallbearers will be C.J. Meeks, Drake Johnson, Garrett Johnson, Cody Meeks, Colt Meeks, John Austin, and Bobby Pilgrim. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday, April 14, 2023 from 4:00 till 8:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Antioch Baptist Cemetery

5698 Roosterville Rd.
Franklin, GA 30217

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 14. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home
317 North Carroll Street
Bowdon, GA 30108
(770) 258-7239
info@rainwaterfuneralhome.com
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Funeral Service

APR 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

Antioch Baptist Church
5698 Roosterville Rd.
Franklin, GA 30217

Tribute Wall

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“ *Tanner Hospice Care staff would like to offer our condolences to you during this difficult time. We appreciate you trusting your loved one in our care.* ”

Tanner Hospice - April 17, 2023 at 10:34 AM

LJ

Thank you for the care, kindness and compassion you showed our daddy and us during this difficult time.

Lori Johnson - April 23, 2023 at 06:50 AM

GP

“ *Glenn And Patricia Prince lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johnny Ray Meeks* ”



Glenn and Patricia Prince - April 14, 2023 at 03:29 PM



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Rainwater Funeral Home - April 14, 2023 at 12:44 PM

PA

“ *Patty Akin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johnny Ray Meeks*



Patty Akin - April 14, 2023 at 10:58 AM

PH

“ *Paula Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johnny Ray Meeks*



Paula Hall - April 14, 2023 at 06:31 AM

LJ

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lori johnson - April 13, 2023 at 07:07 PM

SD

“ *Hey Jamie, it's Shawn, it's been a long time since I seen you, I'm absolutely sorry about the loss of your father, we're praying for all, send me a message at your convenience, take care and God bless, your old friend, Shawn*

Shawn D - April 13, 2023 at 06:52 PM



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Lori Johnson - April 13, 2023 at 04:12 PM