



Mr. Alton Gwinnett Argo

December 3, 1933 - August 13, 2020

Mr. Alton G. Argo passed away from here to eternity on August 13, 2020. He was an 86 year old “recycled teenager” as he always liked to say. He also liked to be called Pawpaw by grandkids and others.

Born and raised in Franklin County, he was the youngest and last of eight siblings.

Mr. Argo served in the U.S. Army and was married to Shirley Heaton for 58 years until she passed away in 2012. They resided in Gwinnett County while working at General Motors for 31 years to provide for his family. After retirement, he worked with Gwinnett County school system and then he and Shirley moved to Lula, GA where he worked with the Banks County school system. His last stop before heaven was at a Senior Living home in Gainesville where he enjoyed bingo.

Throughout his life he was an avid gardener, growing flowers and vegetables, building rock gardens, fishing, hunting, active in local baseball and napping. He loved to tell jokes and make people laugh. He was a committed Christian reading his bible every day and attending church at Mount Carmel Baptist in Lula where he was a member.

He leaves behind a son and daughter-in-law, Keith and Joni Argo; daughter

and son-in-law, Margaret Argo and Jeffrey Clower; granddaughters, Margo A. Clower, April Argo Walden (Addison), Katie Argo Davidson (James); and six great grandchildren.

A graveside service for Mr. Argo will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 16, 2020, in the Peniel Pentecostal Holiness Church Cemetery with Rev. James Duncan officiating.

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Peniel Pentecostal Holiness Church Cemetery

2975 Sandy Cross Road
Royston, GA 30662

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG 16. 2:00 PM (ET)

Peniel Pentecostal Holiness Church
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Tribute Wall

MF

“ He was my favorite recycled teenager...so sorry to hear of his passing. I enjoyed his visits to the hearing aid center

Michele Faulkner - September 22, 2020 at 03:42 PM

JL

“ I remember meeting you at Mt. Carmel Baptist church you're friendship will forever be remembered by me you reminded me so much of my grandpa and we had a few talks of your service in the military I'll forever be thankful for your kindness and knowing you sir may God bless your family sir

Jesse Ledford - August 17, 2020 at 01:17 PM

BE

“ Thank you for your service to your country Uncle Alton! You will be missed! We have the watch.
-Benjamin English
Petty Officer 2nd Class, US Navy

Benjamin English - August 16, 2020 at 11:16 AM

PC

“ Loved your parent's Margaret. My prayers for you and your family. Fond memories of high school and going to your house
Patti cole craver

patricia craver - August 15, 2020 at 06:47 PM

DS

“ *David And Betty Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Alton Gwinnett Argo*



David and Betty Smith - August 15, 2020 at 01:14 PM

DE

“ *Sorry for your loss and praying for the family. Alan &Debra edge.*



Debra edge - August 15, 2020 at 12:06 AM