



## Mr. John Martin Carey

June 13, 1935 - August 10, 2023

Mr. John Martin Carey, 88, of Bowman, GA passed away on Thursday, August 10, 2023, at his home.

Mr. Carey was born in Danielsville, GA on June 13, 1935, son of the late Dewey Little Carey and the late Ellene Martin Carey. He worked at Latex Construction as a pipeline operator and foreman. He was also a member of Bowman Baptist Church and the International Union of Operating Engineers for 43 years.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, Wallace Carey and Roswell Carey; sisters, Gladys Carey, Gwendolyn Carey, Sybil Schoyen, and Ferrell Tyner.

Survivors include his wife, Carol Bowers Carey; sons, Tony (Sharon) Carey of Bowman, GA and Mark (Connie) Carey of Athens, GA; brothers, Larion (Doris) Carey of Starr, SC and Raleigh (Earlene) Carey of Hull, GA; sisters, Marie Young of Orlando, FL and Linda (Bant) Sexton of Danielsville, GA; sister-in-law, Debbie Carey; grandchildren, Amanda (Stephen) Smith, Destiny (Stephen) LaShoto, Drew (Leslie) Carey, Nate Carey, Draisen (Rosemary) Carey, Leah Carey, Donovan (Madisen) Carey, Titus (Hannah) Carey; and great-grandchildren, Landon, Trinity, Evan, Heidi, Veda, Caroline, Allie, Maelyn, Chandler, Waylon, Kason, Levi, Harper, Luna, Oksana, Lane, Arlynn,

Nell, Janie, Banks, and Olivia.

Funeral services for Mr. Carey will be held in the Bowman Baptist Church at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 12, 2023, with Rev. Caleb Bond and Rev. Mike Petty officiating. Interment will follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery in Bowman, GA.

The family will receive friends at Bowman Baptist Church from 1:00 p.m. until funeral hour on Saturday afternoon. During other times the family will be at the home.

Flowers are optional; memorials may be made to Unicoi Springs Chapel, c/o Paul Gittens at 1409 Red Oak Way, Winder, GA 30680, or Bowman Baptist Church.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Cemetery

209 E Railroad Street  
Bowman, GA 30624

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 12. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Bowman Baptist Church  
166 W. Church Street  
Bowman, GA 30624

## Service

AUG 12. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Pruitt Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. John Martin Carey*



**Pruitt Funeral Home** - August 11, 2023 at 05:41 PM

JS

“ *Johnny Gene Scarboro lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Martin Carey*



**Johnny Gene Scarboro** - September 04, 2023 at 01:53 PM

J.

“ *Johnny . purchased a sympathy card for the family of Mr. John Martin Carey.*



**Johnny .** - September 04, 2023 at 01:16 PM

JS

“ When Martin worked the pipeline through Florida he would park his camper at Mom & Dad's house when working the Central Florida section. My young children gave him the name "Uncle Martin" for the TV show of that name and his "space ship" was parked at "Nanna's". On his second venture down, they were older but he was still "Uncle Martin". They developed a great love for him as we all did.

J Gene Scarboro - September 04, 2023 at 12:44 PM

JB

“ Sorry to hear of John's passing! He was a good man! May God Bless you and bring you peace in your time of sorrow!



Johnny Banister - August 14, 2023 at 04:10 PM

WR

“ Dear Carol, Tony, Mark, and families.  
Beth and I extend our love and sympathy to all of you. We have fond memories of our times of fellowship with all of you years ago and we give thanks to our Lord for permitting our paths to cross. Martin was an encouragement to me. I valued his friendship and we give thanks for all of you and your influence in our lives.  
Wayne & Beth Robertson

Wayne Robertson - August 13, 2023 at 03:43 PM

JS

“ Carol, Tony, Mark, and family- my thoughts and prayers are with you. Martin was a great man with a kind heart and a sweet soul. He was special to me and my family. He will be missed. Sending love to you, my dear Carol.  
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**Judy Scott** - August 13, 2023 at 01:06 AM

JE

“ Carol & Family, Praying for God’s comfort & peace now & the days ahead.

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**Judy & Mike Eavenson** - August 12, 2023 at 01:44 PM

BF

“ My family and I experienced Martin's kindness back in fall, 1989. We were under a deadline to move out of our mobile home. Moving day came and it decided to rain; turned out later it was at least a 25-year storm. Martin had a pickup truck with a camper top and came over and helped us load up the furniture and stuff and move into our new home several miles away. I will never forget his kindness and generosity on that day.  
-Bobby Faucett

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**Bob Faucett** - August 12, 2023 at 11:19 AM

PC

“ I have met many people, in many places, throughout the 64 years of my life.

*I have never met a better man or kinder man than Martin Carey.*

*I am grateful for the privilege of knowing him.*

*He was a good example and a great encouragement to me.*

*My thoughts and prayers are with his good family.*

*He will be missed.*

*Paul Creason*

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**Paul Creason** - August 12, 2023 at 11:13 AM



“ 46 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Pruitt Funeral Home** - August 11, 2023 at 05:26 PM