



Mr. Milton "David" Phillips, Jr.

January 31, 1943 - January 17, 2026

Mr. Milton David Phillips, Jr., 82, of Canon, GA passed away on Saturday, January 17, 2026, at his home.

Mr. Phillips was born in Royston, GA on January 31, 1943, son of the late Milton David Phillips, Sr. and the late Lucille Winn Phillips. He previously worked at Hart County Hospital in the maintenance department and was a United States Army Reserve veteran. Mr. Phillips was a very active member of the Redwine Church for as long as his health permitted and loved animals, especially his dogs.

Survivors include his wife, Deborah Pierce Phillips; son and daughter-in-law, Chad and Leigh Phillips of Bowersville, GA; siblings, Joy Meunier (Jim) of Athens, GA, Winston Phillips (Delane) of Royston, GA, and Flora Alice Brown (Jerry) of Canon, GA; granddaughter, Katie Phillips; and great granddaughter, Rylynn Brown.

Funeral services for Mr. Phillips will be held in the Redwine Church at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, January 23, 2026, with Dr. Tim Baer and Rev. Adam Veal officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends at Redwine Church from 2:00 p.m. until funeral hour on Friday afternoon. During other times the family will be at their

respective homes.

Flowers are optional; memorials may be made to the Good Samaritan Fund at Redwine Church.

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

Cemetery Details

Redwine Church Cemetery

3548 Redwine Church Road
Canon, GA 30520

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **23**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Redwine Church
3548 Redwine Church Road
Canon, GA

Service

JAN **23**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Redwine Church
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Canon, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Pruitt Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Milton "David" Phillips, Jr.*



Pruitt Funeral Home - January 22 at 12:38 PM

KJ

“ *Chad, I am sorry to hear about your dad's passing. He was a good man and will surely be missed.*



Kendall Jordan - February 08 at 03:30 PM

LB

“ *What a privilege to have shared life with this family. Deborah, Winston & Delane, Jerry and Flo and all of the Family my sincere condolences to each of you. David was a good friend for many years and Deborah a neighbor for some time. Always enjoyed their company and conversations. Be Blessed with Peace and Comfort from Above.*
Leslie



LESLIE BOLES - January 29 at 01:53 PM

KJ

“ DEBORAH, CHAD, JOY, FLORA ALICE,
WINSTON AND ALL OF DAVID'S FAMILY.
PLEASE ACCEPT MY DEEPEST AND
SINCERE SYMPATHY ABOUT DAVID'S
PASSING.



I KNOW THAT YOU ALL ARE SURELY GOING TO MISS DAVID
VERY VERY MUCH BUT DAVID WENT TO MEET JESUS AND
DAVID WENT TO LIVE FOR ALL ETERNITY IN HIS "HEAVENLY
HOME".

DAVID IS FINISHED WITH ALL OF THE PAIN AND SUFFERING
THAT HE IS HAD TO EXPERIENCE.

I SURE DO WISH THAT I COULD COME TO DAVID'S VISITATION
AND DAVID'S "HOME GOING SERVICE" BUT DUE TO MY NOT
BEING WELL AND I AM ALSO TAKING TREATMENT FOR A
RECENT DIAGNOSIS FROM THE PHYSICIANS AT PIEDMONT
ATHENS REGIONAL HOSPITAL, I MUST REMAIN AT HOME.

PLEASE KNOW AND BE ASSURED THAT
"I AM THERE IM MY SPIRIT WITH YOU ALL".

PLEASE BE ASSURED OF MY PRAYERS FOR COMFORT FROM
OUR GREAT HEAVENLY FATHER TODAY AND IN THE COMING
DAYS AHEAD.

"I LOVED DAVID AS ONE OF "BEST FRIENDS".

"I LOVE YOU ALL VERY MUCH"!!!!

SINCERELY,

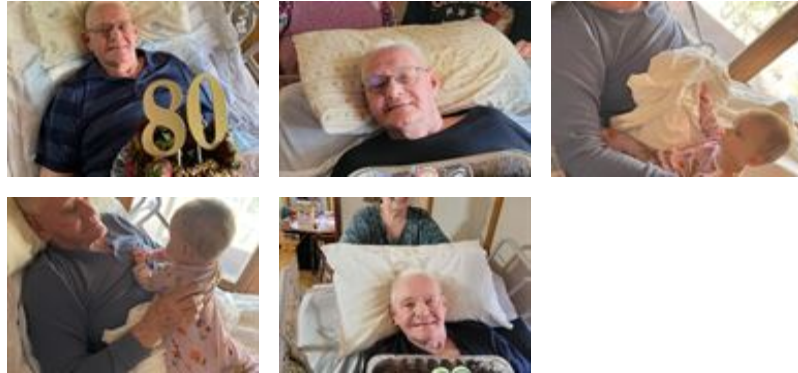
KENNETH M. JOHNSON

GOLDMINE, GEORGIA

KENNETH M. JOHNSON - January 23 at 01:12 PM



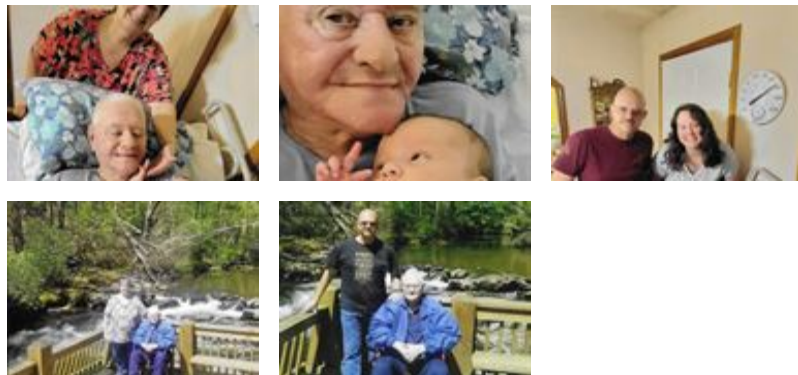
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Pruitt Funeral Home - January 22 at 12:11 PM



“ 47 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pruitt Funeral Home - January 21 at 12:48 PM

MB

I remember laughing with David when I sit with Mrs Lucille he always had something funny to tell me everyday he walked through the door

Mariella Brown - January 21 at 06:53 PM

MB

Debra Joy Winston and Flora Alice i am so sorry for your loss

Mariella Brown - January 21 at 06:55 PM

JB

“ Sorry to hear about Mr Phillips passing! He was a good man who loved his family. Praying for Gods Blessings and comfort at this time and in the days ahead for family!



Johnny and Maggie Banister - January 19 at 08:59 PM

JB

“ Sorry to hear of Mr Phillips passing! Praying for Gods blessings and comfort for family at this time and in the days to come!



Johnny and Maggie Banister - January 19 at 03:21 PM