



Anthony Butler

May 14, 1942 - March 2, 2026

Joseph “Anthony” Butler, age 83, of Gray, passed away Monday, March 2, 2026. Funeral services for Anthony Butler will be conducted Thursday, March 5, 2026 at 2:00pm in Big Sandy Baptist Church with Rev. Mike Kitchens and Rev. Bruce Baggerly officiating.. Interment will follow in the Big Sandy Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends at Williams Funeral Home and Crematory of Milledgeville on Wednesday, March 4, 2026 from 5:00pm until 7:00pm.

A native of Nickelsville, GA, in Wilkinson County, Anthony was born on May 14, 1942 to the late Albert Butler and the late Elizabeth Warren Butler. Along with his parents, he was also preceded in death by his sisters, Murlie Bennett, Evelyn Bartell, Sylvia Clements, Rava Pierce, and Hazel LeMunyan, as well as his brothers, Harold Butler, and L.F. Horne, and a granddaughter, Amber Michelle Phillips.

Anthony was a Master Recycler. He bought scrap metal, pecans, and animal hides, and was a member of Big Sandy Baptist Church.

Anthony is survived by his wife of 46 years, Sandra Brantley Butler ; his children, Tony (Kim) Butler, Kevin (Kim) Butler, Robert (Kelli) Butler, Tracey Rozier, K.K. (Corky) Freeman, Jody (Audra) Butler, Terry (Debbie) Frazier, Angel (Dennis) Earwood, Jason (Marsha) Butler, and Clint Frazier ; 20

grandchildren ; and 12 great grandchildren.

Flowers will be accepted, or Memorial Contributions may be made to the Big Sandy Baptist Cemetery Fund.

Condolences may be expressed online at: www.williamsfuneral.net

Williams Funeral Home and Crematory of Milledgeville is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Big Sandy Baptist Church Cemetery

12443 GA HWY 112
Irwinton, GA 31042

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville
1670 N. Jefferson St.
Milledgeville, GA 31061
(478) 452-2148
staff@williamsfuneralhome.net
<https://www.williamsfuneralhome.net>

Funeral Service

MAR 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

Big Sandy Baptist Church
12443 GA Hwy. 112
Irwinton, GA 31042

Tribute Wall

KK

“ Keith & Gina Kuehn lit a candle in memory of Anthony Butler



Keith & Gina Kuehn - March 08 at 09:38 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Service



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - March 06 at 01:01 PM

DO

“ Donna Batson Oxford lit a candle in memory of Anthony Butler



Donna Batson Oxford - March 05 at 03:07 PM

JL

“ Joann Lavender lit a candle in memory of Anthony Butler



Joann Lavender - March 05 at 11:37 AM

SS

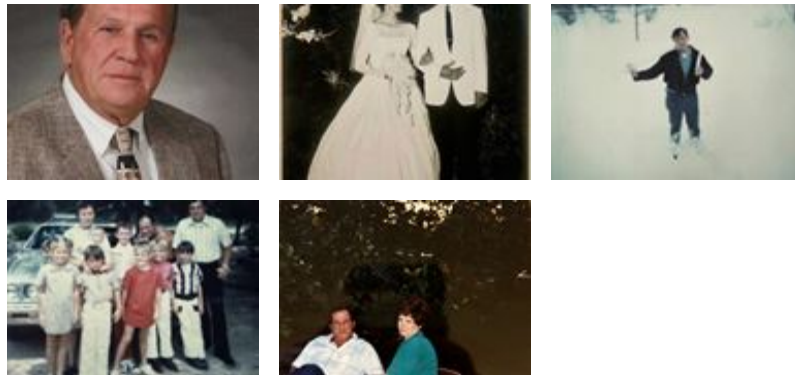
“ Sara Yeager Sanders lit a candle in memory of Anthony Butler



Sara Yeager Sanders - March 05 at 11:24 AM



“ 55 files added to the album Life Tributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - March 04 at 03:17 PM

WJ

“ My condolences to Mr. Butler's family. Every time I saw him, he had a smile and took the time to ask me how I was doing. I spent a lot of time with him when I was young and I always enjoyed his stories and entertaining personality. I cannot think of a time when I had a bad time no matter what we were doing. He was a gem of a person and I was sorry to hear of his passing.



Wright Banks, Jr. - March 04 at 12:55 PM

LM

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Luther and Berta and Friends at Johnnie
McDade Grocery .*



Luther Minor - March 04 at 09:35 AM

SC

“ *Sally McDade Couey lit a candle in memory
of Anthony Butler*



Sally McDade Couey - March 03 at 09:32 PM

JT

“ *Jimmy Thigpen lit a candle in memory of
Anthony Butler*



Jimmy Thigpen - March 03 at 06:18 PM

CD

“ *Cynthia wright decalongne lit a candle in
memory of Anthony Butler*



Cynthia wright decalongne - March 03 at 01:02 PM