



George Washington Grimes III MD

February 15, 1952 - December 7, 2015

Dr. George Washington Grimes III, MD age 63 passed away Monday, Dec. 7, 2015.

Funeral services will be conducted at 12 noon in the Chapel of Williams Funeral Home in Milledgeville on Saturday, Dec. 12, 2015, with Kenneth D. McMillian, Presiding Elder officiating. Interment will follow in Scenic Memorial Gardens.

The family will receive friends here at Williams Funeral Home in Milledgeville on Friday, Dec. 11, from 6 until 8 pm.

Dr. Grimes was a native of McRae and had made his home in Milledgeville for the past 35 years. Dr. Grimes was predeceased by his wife Cathy J. Hawkins Grimes, a sister, Brenda G. Kennedy, His parents George Washington Grimes II and Doris Marie Richardson Grimes.

He was a family practitioner and also Medical Director for the Skilled Nursing Unit at Oconee Regional Medical Center. He was on the Oconee Regional Hospital Board of Directors and Health Systems Board for a number of years. A member of the Corinth CME Church in McRae, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Lambda Phi Chapter, Omega Gamma Gamma Graduate Chapter, a member of the Prince Hall Masonic Lodge, a member of the GA Association of Medical Directors and the American Medical Association.

Survivors include his sons George Grimes IV and Geoffrey Grimes of Milledgeville; sisters LaJuana G. (Royce) Colvin and Rubie H. Grimes of York, S.C.; aunt Mattie H. Myles of McRae.

Cemetery Details

Scenic Memorial

Hwy 49 west
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville
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Funeral Services

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Tribute Wall

DH

“ *To the Grimes Family,
I have so many fond memories of Dr. George Washington Grimes, III. I thank God for men like him who cared for his patients genuinely. My last visit as a patient with Dr. Grimes was in 1983. Of course I had made contact with him since that time. On this particular visit, I went to his office because I thought I was having migraine headaches. Once my exam was over, Dr. Grimes wrote me a prescription for Fioricet. He sat down and looked directed in my face and said "this is your last prescription. What you need is to get back in school and start your career." He was right. That's exactly what I did. Thanks to words of advice from Dr. Grimes and so many others like him, I have enjoyed a career as a RN for more than 30 years. Nothing happens by accident. It was no accident that I went to see him that day. I thank God for sending people in my life who have had a powerful impact. Family, may God continue to keep you in his care, hence now and forever more.*

*Dr. Stanley Melton Harris,
Ed.D., MSN, BSN, RN
Chair, Breckinridge School of Nursing & Health Sciences
Columbia, SC*

Dr. Stanley Melton Harris - January 25, 2016 at 12:08 PM

BG

“ *My sympathies to the Grimes family. He was a great doctor who took great care of my mother when she was sick. Such a wonderful compassionate human being. He will be greatly missed by all.*



Betty Governale - December 15, 2015 at 08:03 AM

RS

“ My condolences in the loss of your dear loved one. When our loved ones die it pains our hearts. Our loving God Jehovah is aware of this and he comforts us by means of his word the Bible. Psalm 68:20 says; The true God is for us a God who saves; And Jehovah the Sovereign Lord provides escape from death. Also 1 Peter 5:7 says : While you throw all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. May these scriptures bring comfort and calmness of heart to you at this time of bereavement.

R. Sweatman - December 14, 2015 at 07:19 AM

LE

“ To the Grimes Family: I am sorry to read of your family's loss of someone whom you loved so much and I extend my sincere condolences to all of you. May your prayers filled with sadness be heard by the " Hearer of prayer" (Psalms 65:2) and allow you to dwell on Jehovah God's promises to "remove death forever" (Revelations 21: 3,4). May He give your family the comfort as well as endurance as you experience this difficult time in your lives.

Letitia - December 14, 2015 at 06:29 AM

FI

“ Dr. George Washington Grimes, III, MD, was a highly - respected professional and a great individual. He was a Member of The Omega Psi Phi Fraternity and several other organizations. Memories of his life and work will continue to live in our hearts and minds.

FRANK DEAN MARTIN, III

Frank Dean Martin, III - December 12, 2015 at 09:14 PM

FC

“ FRINK, BARBARA LLOYD, SUSAN WILSON, AND DIANNE CLEMONS purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of George Washington Grimes III MD.



FRINK, BARBARA LLOYD, SUSAN WILSON, AND DIANNE CLEMONS - December 11, 2015 at 10:47 PM

Annie Hill

“ I am so sorry to hear about Dr. Grimes! We offer deepest condolences to his family. 24 years ago, he was my doctor when I was pregnant with my daughter. He was already at the ER when I got there that night. I labored all night, and Dr. Grimes stayed there all night until I delivered. Great doctor!

Annie Hill - December 10, 2015 at 11:29 PM

SD

“ Sylvia Densley lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



sylvia densley - December 10, 2015 at 07:34 PM

SD

This was so hard for me.I worked with Dr. Grimes and was his patient.May the Lord give his family the strength to get through these trouble days ahead.R.I.P.doc.

sylvia densley - December 10, 2015 at 07:42 PM

AW

“ *The same God who guides the stars in their courses, who directs the earth in its orbit, who feeds the burning furnace of the sun, and keeps the stars perpetually burning with their fires, is the same God that has promised to supply thy strength.*
By Charles Spurgeon



Condolences from Andrea J. Webb and Family

Andrea J. Webb - December 10, 2015 at 07:04 PM



“ *Sentimental Dreams was purchased for the family of George Washington Grimes III MD.*



December 10, 2015 at 06:55 PM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of George Washington Grimes III MD.*



December 10, 2015 at 03:24 PM

RW

“ I was saddened to hear of your loss. Dr. Grimes was my family doctor for many years. He will be deeply missed. I'm wishing you and your family strength and peace.



R. Mae West - December 10, 2015 at 02:46 PM

AH

“ Am saddened to hear of the death of George Grimes. I have fond memories of working with him in the Emergency Room soon after he moved to Milledgeville.

A good man who will be missed.

*Anthony Hughes
Rutledge*

Anthony Hughes - December 10, 2015 at 01:41 PM

LM

“ Sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.



LUTHER MINOR - December 10, 2015 at 12:30 PM

WS

“ *Wes/Vivian King, Reid/Katy Roberts, Brinson/Maggie Shiver purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of George Washington Grimes III MD.*



Wes/Vivian King, Reid/Katy Roberts, Brinson/Maggie Shiver
- December 10, 2015 at 10:34 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of George Washington Grimes III MD.*



December 10, 2015 at 10:14 AM

CF

“ *Charla Foston lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Charla Foston - December 10, 2015 at 09:15 AM

CD

“ *My condolences & prayers to the family.*

Dr. Grimes was a wonderful doctor & will be truly missed by the community.

Carolyn Driskell



carolyn driskell - December 10, 2015 at 07:56 AM

FF

“ I started seeing Dr.Grimes when I was 6 years old he was seeing kids at that time and when I found out I was pregnant he was the first Dr. I called he delivered my first child he always was kind and caring and was genuinely cared about his patients The world has lost a great man my sympathy and condolences to his family I know he will be greatly missed

Feilica brown & family - December 10, 2015 at 07:49 AM

SL

“ Dr Grimes was a wonderful man. I was one of Dr Caultons patients and one of the first patients when they opened their practice. As it turned out Dr. Grimes ended up in the delivery room and he helped to bring my daughter into this world . He was so sweet and kind but he made me wait to have her until the Braves game was over at midnight, we were in the playoffs that year. He will be truly missed by many. My prayers are with your family . And I know he is now dancing in the Pearly Gates with his wife and is smiling again!

Sonya R Lance - December 10, 2015 at 07:23 AM

JW

“ Jennifer Warren-Shy lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Jennifer Warren-Shy - December 10, 2015 at 05:59 AM

BE

“ *My heart is broken as I hear the news of Dr. Grimes passing. He was such a wonderful person and will be greatly missed. Prayers for the family during this trying time. May you find comfort in knowing that he is with our Heavenly Father and his amazing wife.*

Brenda English - December 09, 2015 at 08:27 PM

PT

“ *Pauline Thompson lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Pauline Thompson - December 09, 2015 at 07:49 PM

MW

“ *Rest in peace, my brother, friend, and classmate. May God bless you and your family. Fort Valley State University, Class of 1973.*

Michael Woodard - December 09, 2015 at 07:42 PM

TM

“ *RIP Dr. Grimes. My condolences to his family. Dr. Grimes was my doctor for almost half my life. You were the best. You made sure that I was well taken care of and you will be truly missed. Words cannot express the impact you have made in my life. Thanks for being you.*

Tonia Milner - December 09, 2015 at 06:36 PM

JW

“ *Rest In Paradise Dr. Grimes, He was my primary family doctor from Birth til Adulthood. Deepest Sympathies to the family and thank you for sharing such a great and caring person with us.*

Jamie Wilson - December 09, 2015 at 06:16 PM

TS

“ *Tonya Sallad lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Tonya Sallad - December 09, 2015 at 04:12 PM

DS

“ *Dr Grimes was my doctor as a child then he was my child's doctor. He will be greatly missed.*



Deadre Saincine - December 09, 2015 at 04:03 PM

TG

“ *For over 30 years he was my primary physician and my confidant. There are few people in the world that I completely trust, but Dr. Grimes was one of them. His gift of laughter, his dedication to his patients and his love for his family are what I will remember most about him. Our community has lost one of it's greatest assets. He is sorely missed.*

Thelma Guetta - December 09, 2015 at 03:05 PM

RT

“ I went to see Mr. Grimes on a Saturday afternoon, about a mortgage that a coworker had began with him , I was so impress to come meet with him driving about 125 miles one way from Atlanta to his residence. After introducing myself to he and his sisters I remember as we set down and the first words out of his mouth was something I will always remember, "I am impressed that you were willing to come see me when you could of just sent email," What he didn't know was I was the impressed one as we talked about life its meaning ,etc.

Truly he will be missed I wish I could of gotten to know him greater, but God had a plan but I can only imagine that Mr.Grimes touched many that came by his path.

Rest In Peace my Brother.

Robert Trammell

Robert Trammell - December 09, 2015 at 01:18 PM

HT

“ Heavenly Tucker lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Heavenly Tucker - December 09, 2015 at 12:38 PM

SU

“ Susie.jump lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Susie.jump - December 09, 2015 at 12:12 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of George Washington Grimes III MD.*



December 09, 2015 at 11:41 AM



“ *Geneva Chapple lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Geneva Chapple - December 09, 2015 at 11:39 AM



“ *I worked with Dr Grimes on OB @ ORMC many years ago. He was always professional and compassionate. He will certainly be missed.*

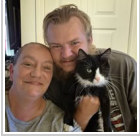
carlene smith - December 09, 2015 at 11:30 AM



“ *James & JoAnn Lunsford lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



James & JoAnn Lunsford - December 09, 2015 at 11:24 AM



“ Nicki Van Eijk lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Nicki Van Eijk - December 09, 2015 at 10:57 AM



“ This was a man of great wisdom. I truly feel he answered his calling in life. Though his life was short lived he gave many the healings to be able to carry on his name and works. May GOD give you solace knowing that he will never be forgotten. I am grateful and blessed to have been one of the many that got to know him. (Angel Anderson)



Angel Anderson - December 09, 2015 at 10:38 AM



“ Latanya Lott Hive lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Latanya Lott Hive - December 09, 2015 at 08:43 AM



“ Delois Beckom lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Delois Beckom - December 09, 2015 at 08:10 AM

DB

“ My condolences to the family of Dr. Grimes. He was my Doctor since the early 1980's. A good Doctor to me, if he couldn't help the illness I would have, sent me to another doctor. Miss my Doctor.
RIP

Delois Beckom - December 09, 2015 at 08:09 AM

LH

“ Leroy And Elaine Hall sent a virtual gift in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Leroy and Elaine Hall - December 09, 2015 at 08:01 AM

BF

“ BARBARA YUOUNGHILL & FAMILIES lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



BARBARA YUOUNGHILL & FAMILIES - December 09, 2015 at 07:21 AM

SJ

“ George & Geoffrey, please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss. Both your Mom & your Dad were wonderful people who have helped and supported many....they have left you a legacy of "giving to our community"....may you find solace in knowing that they were admired, respected and loved by many.
Sherrill Jones

Sherrill Jones - December 09, 2015 at 06:14 AM

KF

“ May Jehovah God continue to comfort your family during this trying time.

Knox Family - December 09, 2015 at 05:47 AM



“ I worked with Dr Grimes when he first came to Milledgeville when the hospital was still Baldwin County Hospital. He was a fine physician. May he rest in peace. Thoughts and prayers to his family. Lynn Martin, Cairo, Georgia



Lynn Crooms Martin - December 09, 2015 at 05:11 AM

NB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Dr. Grimes took such good care of my mother at SNU both times she was there. He had a gift of being both compassionate yet firm, which was essential for us. He will be missed by so many in Millerdgeville.

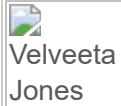
Nancy Beasley - December 09, 2015 at 04:49 AM

CP

“ Cassy Pressley lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD



Cassy Pressley - December 09, 2015 at 04:37 AM



Velveeta Jones

“ *Velveeta Jones lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Velveeta Jones - December 09, 2015 at 04:37 AM

SI

“ *My heart aches for Geoffrey and George and the rest of the Grimes family...Milledgeville has lost a great man and friend but the boys have lost a great father. RIP, Dr. G, and I know you and Cathy are smiling down on all of us in heaven.*

Steve and Judy Ivey - December 09, 2015 at 04:27 AM

JC

“ *Janet Cannon lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Janet Cannon - December 09, 2015 at 03:39 AM

JC

“ *My condolences goes out to the family my prayers are with you. Dr Grimes will truly be missed, I have known Dr. Grimes for many years and he truly was a great man.*

Janet Cannon - December 09, 2015 at 03:38 AM

MW

“ HE DELIVERED TWO OF MY KIDS 2 OF MY KIDS HE WAS GOOD AND TRUSTWORTHY HE WILL BE MISSED

MICHAEL WEST - December 09, 2015 at 12:25 AM

OR

“ My condolences goes out to the family may God give you all strength to get through this loss,Dr.Grimes delivered me and today i just turned 32 yrs. Old he also delivered my 3 kids he was such a great person and an amazing Dr. Real friendly and down to earth may you rest in peace Dr.Grimes i really miss laughing at him when i use to come for my visits i use to ask him a million questions about being a Dr. For so many years. 😊

octavia ross - December 09, 2015 at 12:07 AM



“ My condolence goes out to the family I know he will be missed?? Dr.Grimes deliver my first child he was such an amazing doctor.



Loreesa Havior - December 08, 2015 at 11:57 PM

LW

“ R.I.P. Dr Grimes. Thank you for the great care you gave my mother.



Linda Wright-Apreala - December 08, 2015 at 11:24 PM

SP

“ *Sheela Pounds lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Sheela Pounds - December 08, 2015 at 11:09 PM

TW

“ *Dr. Grimes thanks for taking care of our community. RIP*

Thomas E Ward - December 08, 2015 at 10:51 PM

 Carol Reeves

“ *R. I. P Dr. Grimes*




Carol Reeves - December 08, 2015 at 10:13 PM

KH

“ *It's so sad to hear about your passing. Dr.Grimes was a great doctor and delivered many many many around the CSRA. He was so sweet and nice every time I visited the office. Rip Brother Grimes!*




Kimberly Hubert-Miller - December 08, 2015 at 10:12 PM

 Velveeta Jones

Yes he did & he kept that secret Kim

Velveeta Jones - December 09, 2015 at 04:28 AM

 Carol
Reeves

“ *Carol Reeves lit a candle in memory of
George Washington Grimes III MD*



Carol Reeves - December 08, 2015 at 10:10 PM



“ *Tina Brooks lit a candle in memory of George
Washington Grimes III MD*




Tina Brooks - December 08, 2015 at 10:09 PM

TR

“ *My heart is so heavy...you motivated me so much. I went back to
school because you TOLD ME TOO. I'M NOW A RESPIRATORY
THERAPIST AT GRADY MEMORIAL...SCOTTISH RITE AND
KINDRED. YOU DELIVERED ME AND MY SON. LOVE YOU
ALWAYS. I WILL NEVER FORGET YOU. I GIVE MY
CONDOLENCES AND LOVE. REST IN ETERNAL PEACE. LOVE
ALWAYS.*

Traveta Stone RRT - December 08, 2015 at 09:44 PM

 Velveeta
Jones

Hello Traveta

Velveeta Jones - December 09, 2015 at 04:24 AM



“ *Rest in peace Dr. Grimes*



Kimberly West - December 08, 2015 at 09:27 PM



“ *Great man strength of a lion heart of a child.
Very compassionate. Always a kind heart and
smile to share.*



nikkie - December 08, 2015 at 09:25 PM



“ *Mary Ann Scott lit a candle in memory of
George Washington Grimes III MD*



Mary Ann Scott - December 08, 2015 at 09:22 PM

MS

“ Rest in peace dear Dr. Grimes. You blessed so many with your God guided hands and worldly advice. The depth and fierceness of your convictions in truly living up to the Hippocratic Oath were the epitome that all medical personnel should use as their gauge or 'compass' in providing direction for their professionalism and practice. Take care of the angels in Heaven. your presence will be missed here will be greatly.

To the family of Dr. Grimes, please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I will pray that God will lift you up, to give you peace, solace and rest that only He can provide in your time of immeasurable sorrow.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Grant-Scott

Mary Ann Scott - December 08, 2015 at 09:21 PM

VB

“ Dr. Grimes was my doctor for 24 years and I will never forget how he cared for my family and I. He will be greatly missed. RIP!!

Veronica Bundrage - December 08, 2015 at 09:01 PM



“ Dear George and Geoffrey, words cannot express my sorrow in your loss. Your dad was a wonderful man, skilled healer, and I know he was so proud of both of you. He was our family doctor from when Randy was small until I moved from Milledgeville and I trusted him totally to take care of us.

Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Yvette (Evans) MacGregor
Savannah, Ga.

Yvette MacGregor - December 08, 2015 at 08:58 PM

CC

“ You were such a wonderful Doctor to work with and you will be truly missed!



Crystal Cook - December 08, 2015 at 08:55 PM

TB

“ Dr. Grimes was a,one of kind doctor he delivered both of my boys and also was my grandmother family doctor for many years. He will be miss the best caring doctor that I ever meet R.I.P Dr. Grim rest on



Theresa Bullard - December 08, 2015 at 08:53 PM

CB

“ Dr. Grimes was my doctor for many years, praying for peace and comfort for the family!

Charisse Barlow-Bond - December 08, 2015 at 08:33 PM

DW

“ Dr. Grimes was such a wonderful doctor, father, husband and friend. He will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with George and Geoffrey. Much love and hugs to the family.



Debbie Wood - December 08, 2015 at 08:30 PM

DD

“ *Desma Dudley lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Desma Dudley - December 08, 2015 at 08:19 PM



“ *I remember going to Dr. Grimes for prenatal care in 1997. I was due July 18 but unfortunately my son wanted to come early. I went into labor June 28, the same night Mike Tyson bit off Holifield's ear. Doc came in the hospital and said Ms. White you know you owe me money because I ordered the fight. My reply was doctor Grimes get this baby out of me. He stayed right there with me until I delivered my son. You will be missed.*

Falinda White- Shinholster - December 08, 2015 at 08:10 PM

BH

“ *Barbara Higdon lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



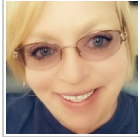
Barbara Higdon - December 08, 2015 at 08:09 PM

MS

“ *Mrs Beverly Smith-Ford lit a candle in memory of George Washington Grimes III MD*



Mrs Beverly Smith-Ford - December 08, 2015 at 08:06 PM



“ *Such an amazing Doctor. He was wonderful to me and taught me so much about becoming a new mom way back when. May God envelop all his family and friends with comfort and love. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*



Angela Walls - December 08, 2015 at 08:01 PM



“ *Dr. G! I am in disbelief. Thank God I'm done having babies because you were the only one I trusted. I'm happy to have known you. RIP! You will truly be missed!*

Chemica Smith - December 08, 2015 at 08:00 PM



“ *Such an amazing man, husband, father and doctor. My thoughts are with the Grimes family in this trying moment. May all the love and memories bring you all through this hard time.*

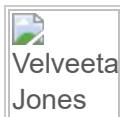


Misty Simmons - December 08, 2015 at 07:25 PM



“ *I know Dr Grimes is finally with Mrs Grimes in heaven. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.*

Maggie Shiver - December 08, 2015 at 07:06 PM



Hello Maggie

Velveeta Jones - December 09, 2015 at 04:34 AM

VR

“ I will truly miss Dr. Grimes, he was the best doctor I've ever had and he was like a father to me....R.I.P, My prayers and condolences are with the family.

Valerie Roberson - December 08, 2015 at 07:05 PM

KD

“ Dr Grimes was a great doctor..he delivered my oldest daughter and helped me get what I needed.he will truly be missed..r.l.p.Dr Grimes we love you

Kathy cook Dudley - December 08, 2015 at 07:02 PM

BB

“ We will truly miss Dr. Grimes. I loved working with him. Prayers for the family. R.I.P Dr. Grimes we love ya.

Betty barber - December 08, 2015 at 06:52 PM



Charlotte Facciani

“ He was an awesome doctor and amazing person. He helped me deliver my oldest son. Prayers for peace and comfort to his family.

Charlotte Facciani - December 08, 2015 at 06:50 PM



Velveeta Jones

It was sweet of you to come by yesterday thanks

Velveeta Jones - December 09, 2015 at 04:36 AM

KB

“ *Dr.Grimes will be missed.You all are in our thoughts and prayers.*



Karen & Kenneth Babb - December 08, 2015 at 06:43 PM

KW

“ *I am deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Dr Grimes who was such a wonderful man. He will definitely be missed by many.*

Krysti woodward - December 08, 2015 at 05:54 PM

SA

Sad news. Peace be with you George and Jeffrey.

Susie Anderson - December 08, 2015 at 07:18 PM

RE

He was My 3 Son's pediatrician. I have never meet a man so caring and a doctor so attentive to his patient's needs. You will be missed by many Dr. Grimes. I Pray for peace for the family, May God be with You all...

Ray Ennis - December 09, 2015 at 05:53 PM