

## Marvin Medders

July 14, 1944 - February 25, 2025

Marvin Arthur Medders, 80, passed away Tuesday, February 25, at his home in Milledgeville. Born in Savannah, Georgia on July 14, 1944, to the late Dewey E. and Lucy Elisabeth Medders.

Marvin grew up in Pembroke, GA before making his home in Milledgeville in 1973. He was a 1962 graduate of Bryan County High School. After high school he attended Abraham Baldwin College before transferring to Georgia Southern in Statesboro where he earned his degree in Business Administration. Marvin owned and operated M&M Furniture Refinishing for 45 years in Milledgeville. He was known throughout Georgia for his skill and talent with furniture restoration. He was a master scuba diver. He and his wife Joyce enjoyed spending time with their children and grandchildren, relatives and friends. Marvin was a dedicated member of the Masons Benevolent Lodge 3 and Al Sihah Temple in Macon. He served several terms as the president of the Tri County Shrine Club. He was a member of the First Baptist Church Milledgeville and served in the United States Marine Reserves.

The family will receive friends at Williams Funeral Home Friday, February 28, 5:30-7:00 and Saturday, March 1, noon until the service at 1:00 with Rev. Jerry Bradley officiating. Interment will follow at Heritage Memorial Park.

Marvin is survived by his wife of 59 years, Joyce; his daughter Joy Williamson

(Jamey), his son Jason Medders (Traci); his grandchildren James Williamson, Anna Williamson, Lane Medders, and Aubri Medders; his brother Howell Medders (Donna) and several nieces and nephews. He is also survived by his cat, Kitty.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children. Checks need to be mailed to:

Al Sihah Shrine Temple

P.O. Box 3147

Macon, Ga 31205

Note: In Memory of Marvin Medders

# Cemetery Details

## Heritage Memorial Park

371 Log Cabin Road  
Milledgeville, GA 31061  
(478) 452-2148  
staff@williamsfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.williamsfuneralhome.net>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 28. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville  
1670 N. Jefferson St.  
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## Funeral Service

MAR 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Webcast will start approximately 10 minutes before the service in memory of Marvin Medders



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - March 01, 2025 at 11:04 AM



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Marvin Medders



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - February 28, 2025 at 01:39 PM

LR

What a beautiful life Marvin created! Than you for sharing this glimpse of all the family he loved so much!

Lyn Romine - March 10, 2025 at 05:02 PM

CS

“ Mr Meddars repaired an antique for me and refurbished an antique pie safe. He picked up and delivered, then put it where I wanted. He will be missed. Prayers lifted for comfort and peace for his family and friends.

carlene smith - March 04, 2025 at 04:47 PM

CA

“ So sorry to learn of Mavins passing.... He was such a nice man ... refinished many pieces of furniture for me .. so talented.... Jason I remember u from school with my kids ... joyce ill be praying for u and ur family ❤️🙏

carol agee - February 28, 2025 at 09:29 PM

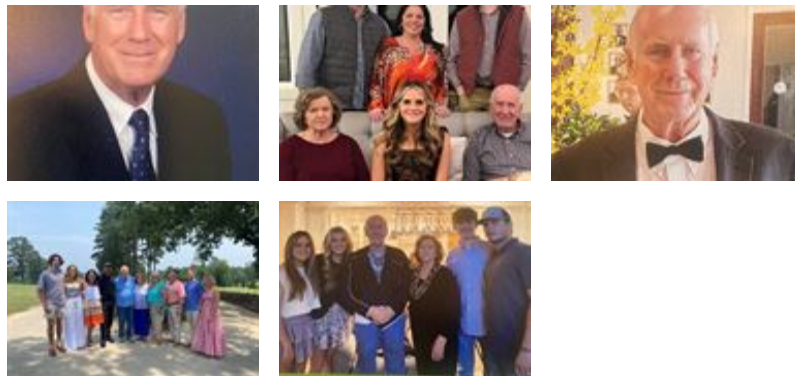
JF

“ Marvin Medders was such a gentleman. He was a master at his work especially antiques.  
There is no one else with talent he had.  
My love to his family.

janet P Ferguson - February 28, 2025 at 04:37 PM

*Williams*  
Funeral Homes & Crematory

“ 76 files added to the album Life Tributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - February 28, 2025 at 01:38 PM

GH

“ *Joyce and Family,*

*Lainya and I are very saddened to hear of Marvin's passing. What a great friend, man and leader of the community he was. We shared many years together at the shop in the brickyard and there were many meaningful and good times from those years! He was very talented and gracious and we know he will be sorely missed by all who knew him! We pray the peace and embrace of our Lord and Savior on you and your family and may it bring you peace and comfort as you go through this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you!*

*Greg and Lainya Hutchins  
Bowdon, Ga.*

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**Greg Hutchins** - February 28, 2025 at 11:37 AM

HG

“ *Marvin was such a kind and talented person. I know he will be missed by all. My prayers are with your family.*

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**Hulane E George** - February 28, 2025 at 10:32 AM

CF

“ *Joyce and family, I was so sorry to hear about Marvin's passing. He fought a courageous fight throughout his illness. You and Marvin were such a comfort to me while my husband was fighting his battle. You and Marvin have been our friends for many years and Bill appreciated everything Marvin did to keep our Shrine club going. Let's stay in touch.*

*Chris Flury*

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**Christina C Flury** - February 28, 2025 at 08:04 AM

JP

“Joyce, you & your family are in Spencer & my prayers & thoughts. Marvin & you have given helpful hands to me & Spencer many times for which I am so thankful. I will continue to keep you in my prayers. Jean & Spencer Parker

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**Jean Parker** - February 27, 2025 at 11:23 PM

BE

We are sorry to hear about Marvin. Our prayers and thoughts are with you Joyce and your family. Bear and Barbara

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**Barbara Ezell** - March 01, 2025 at 06:32 AM

ME

“Marvin’s parents were special lifetime friends with Wilson and me, as we were next door neighbors in Pembroke. Marvin and I went to high school together, with him being a grade behind me. I am so sorry, Joyce, to hear the news of Marvin’s passing. If Wilson were still living he would join with me in expressing sympathy. God bless the family.  
Mary Exley

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**Mary Exley** - February 27, 2025 at 07:14 PM

JW

“RIP, Marvin! You were always a delight to be around. Prayers and love to the family.

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**Joel & Janet Williamson** - February 27, 2025 at 06:35 PM

DM

“ Dear Sister-in-law Joyce, Joy, and Jason-my heart is with all of you and I wish I could have been there in person. I remember the first time I met Marvin-more than 50 years ago now-I knew he was going to be someone very special in my life. And I was right, as are all of you.

*I've always loved the stories Howell tells of growing up with Marvin as his big brother. They will be more precious than ever now.*

*I hope to see you in August.*

*Love, Donna*

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**Donna Medders** - February 27, 2025 at 05:14 PM

JJ

“ Joyce and family, so very sorry for your loss. Marvin was such a talented man and such a wonderful husband, father and friend. Prayers and love to all of you today and always.

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**Judy and Steve Ivey** - February 27, 2025 at 04:20 PM

JG

“ We are so sorry for your loss! The family are in my prayers! Mr Medders was a great person! He always had a heart for others! He will be greatly missed by everyone who knew him! Joy, Ken, Jacob Griffin

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**Joy Griffin** - February 27, 2025 at 04:16 PM

CS

“ Joyce and family, you have my deepest sympathy. I remember Marvin when he refinished our church pews many years ago. So enjoyed talking to him. You are all in my prayers.

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**Cindy Sencindiver** - February 27, 2025 at 02:05 PM