



Michael Douglas Brooks

September 28, 1942 - May 16, 2026

Michael "Mike" Douglas Brooks, 83, formerly of Milledgeville, Georgia, passed away, May 16, 2026, in Bradenton, Florida after a lengthy illness.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Sue Hutchins of Milledgeville and father Charles Douglas Brooks of Sandersville.

He is survived by a sister, Karel Goodrich (Robert) of Parrish, FL, a brother Tony Hutchins (Judy) of Wirtz, VA and a step-sister, Gayle Simmons of Milledgeville. He is also survived by a niece, Mandy Dorton of Orlando, FL, nephews, Brian Goodrich of Bradenton, FL , Scott Hutchins of Fort Mill, SC, Lewis Hutchins of Richmond, VA and Wesley Hutchins of Clayton, NC. Several grand nieces and nephews survive Mike.

"Mike" attended Georgia Military College High School and graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1964. His appointment was by U.S. Representative Carl Vinson. He served in the Army, attending Ranger School, Airborne School, U.S. Special Warfare School and Viet Nam language school. He served in Germany, South Korea and two tours of duty in South Viet Nam as a combat Military Training Advisor to the Republic of Viet Nam Army. He was awarded the Bronze Star with Valor with one Oak Leaf Cluster, Viet Nam Gallantry Cross with Silver Star, Combat Infantry Badge and numerous other service awards. After leaving the Army, he learned a law

degree and practiced in Atlanta. He retired from the Georgia State Probation Office in Macon and opened his own online business, Orly Farm Books.

Mike was an avid Atlanta Braves and Georgia Bulldogs fan. He loved books and was an ancestry expert. He was devoted to his cocker spaniels over many years.

A Service will be Saturday, June 20,2026 at 10:30 AM Williams Funeral Home in Milledgeville.

Cemetery Details

West View Cemetery

200 Ernest Byner St
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Previous Events

Service

JUN 20. 10:30 AM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville
1670 N. Jefferson St.
Milledgeville, GA 31061
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Tribute Wall

LM

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



Luther Minor - June 15 at 10:39 AM

EM

“ *My prayers go out to the family*



Ellen Mayers - June 15 at 09:42 AM

GJ

“ *I worked with Mike for many years in the Macon Probation Office.
He was a good man. I'm sad to learn of his passing.*

Greg Jones

Greg Jones - June 01 at 08:37 PM