



Russell Martin III

February 24, 1945 - October 23, 2024

Russell Stourey Martin III, age 79, of Milledgeville, Ga passed away on October 23, 2024 in his home surrounded by his family in Milledgeville, Ga.

Russell was born on February 24, 1945 in Louisville, Ky to Russell and Anna Mae Martin. Russell met his wife, Mary Elizabeth Lingold, while they were both serving in the United States Navy. They were married for 55 years and were blessed with seven children: Julie (Mike) in Auburn, AL., Russell (Amy) in Douglasville, Ga., Philip in Macon, Ga., Joshua (Cristina) in Klamath Falls, Or., Jacob (Brittney) Gray, Ga., Stephen (Laura) Gray, Ga., and Cati (Clark) in Milledgeville, Ga. He had 21 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Russell was an active member of the church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. He loved the people of the church and devoted much of his time and abilities to serving the people of the church and caring for the building. He will be remembered as a friend to many and a servant to all.

Russell worked for 55 years as a Master Plumber. He took great pride in his trade and was an active member of the United Plumber and Pipefitters Union.

Russell is survived by his sister, Valeria Martin, and his brothers, Paul and Willie Martin, of Louisville, Ky.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday, October 27, 2024 at 2 PM in The

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints at 1700 North Jefferson in Milledgeville, Ga, interment will follow in Oak Grove Methodist Church Cemetery at 121 Lingold Drive Milledgeville Ga.

The family will receive friends on Saturday from 5 to 7 PM at Williams Funeral Home

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove Methodist Church Cemetery

121 SW Lingold Drive
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 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

OCT **27**. 2:00 PM.

Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter-Day Saints

Tribute Wall



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



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 27, 2024 at 01:57 PM



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Russell Martin III



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 25, 2024 at 10:37 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Service



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 27, 2024 at 03:16 PM

WB

“ *Condolences to the Martin Family. Brother Martin had a servant's heart and touched many lives for good. I will miss him.*

Wanda Bur - October 26, 2024 at 01:50 PM

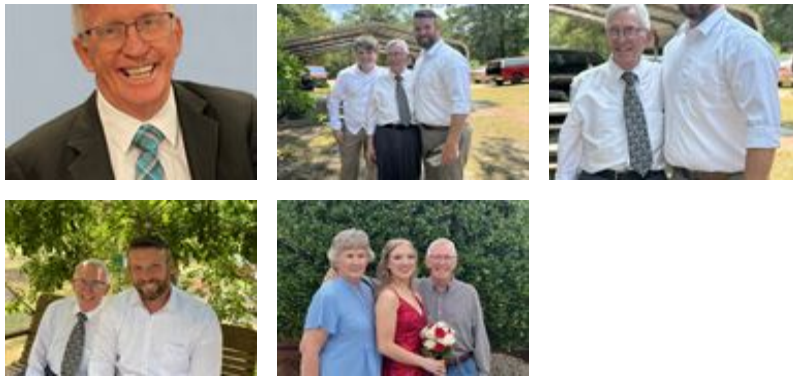
MH

Sending condolences to Stephen and the entire Martin family.

Miss Hodges - October 27, 2024 at 08:56 AM



“ 163 files added to the album LifeTributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 25, 2024 at 06:04 PM

SH

“ *My prayers are with the family. Russell was a kind, godly man. I know he will be missed.*



Shirley Hatfield - October 25, 2024 at 12:01 PM

DN

“ We didn't know your dad but had met him at church a few times while we lived in Auburn. We could tell he was a good man though by his spirit. And by the faithful daughter he raised and her family. We love you Julie. We know this is hard. May God bless you and your family with comfort and peace as you feel this great loss. Hugs.

Debby & Brian Nowell - October 25, 2024 at 09:14 AM

AB

“ Russell Martin was the best grandfather anyone could ever ask for. He showed us how to craft and build. He rode the four wheelers with us and showed us the craziest paths to take. He would show us all up in the obstacle courses. He could never ever eat anything with garlic or an ounce of spice. And I loved him for all that he was. Grateful that I get to see him again some day ☐☐

Abby - October 24, 2024 at 11:39 PM

GC

“ Cati and Clark you have our deepest condolences.

Gerald and Pat Coffee



Gerald A Coffee - October 24, 2024 at 08:43 PM

JL

“ Mary, I am so sorry to hear about Ed, your eternal companion. He was such a good example for the church. I loved being around him. He was always in a good mood and was such a happy person. Carol and I both send our condolences and love and prayers. Jim and Carol Landreau

Jim Landreau - October 24, 2024 at 07:41 PM

EM

“ *Ellen Mayers lit a candle for Russell Martin*



ELLEN MAYERS - October 24, 2024 at 05:50 PM

JJ

“ *Martin family, so very sorry for your loss. Russell was a great man..he and I ran for the BOE a long time ago and it was such a great time...he and I would get so tickled when we were interviewed. He was a joy to be around.*

Judy and Steve Ivey - October 24, 2024 at 04:33 PM

ES

“ *Brother Martin was absolutely one of the best. The Lord didn't make them any better. His presence and kindness was a fixture of my childhood. Thoughts and prayers for the family.*

Eric Simpson - October 24, 2024 at 03:14 PM

WS

“ *Sorry for your loss.*

Wayne Scarbary - October 24, 2024 at 03:07 PM

LC

“ *Lisa Castillo lit a candle in memory of Russell Martin*



Lisa Castillo - October 24, 2024 at 02:27 PM

SB

“ So sorry to hear about Mr. Russell such a sweet man always willing to help. We will missed you RIP.
Eddie, Suzanne and Dawson Brooks

suzanne brooks - October 24, 2024 at 02:12 PM