



## Wayne Mabry

September 8, 1949 - May 23, 2025

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Allen Wayne Mabry, 75, who left us peacefully at his home in Woodstock, Georgia, on May 23, 2025, following an extended illness.

Born in Fulton County on September 8, 1949, Wayne was the oldest son of the late W.L. “Pug” and Sara Lane Mabry. Though born in Sandy Springs, the family moved to Roswell in 1956, and Wayne wholeheartedly embraced life in the then-small town. Throughout his youth, “Little Pug,” as he was known then, was a standout athlete, excelling in school and recreational sports including football, baseball, and track and field. A gifted athlete, Wayne’s remarkable athletic achievements at Roswell High School earned him induction into the Roswell High School Hall of Fame Class of 2015.

Track 4-year letterman; set multiple school records at the time; State Class B Championships: Mile Relay (1st), 440 (1st and two-time runner-up), Broad Jump (2nd and 3rd).

Football 4-year letterman; State Class B Championship: 1968, finishing the season 13-0 under Coach Charlie Horne and marking the first undefeated team in RHS history; twice honored as the AJC Player of the Week honoree.

Baseball 3-year letterman

Basketball 4-year letterman

Wayne graduated from Roswell High School in 1969. He briefly attended Reinhardt College before being drafted into the United States Army during the Vietnam era. He honorably served his country for nearly three years, primarily at Fort Bragg in paratrooper training with the 82nd Airborne Division.

Upon his discharge from the Army, Wayne followed in the footsteps of his father and grandfather, embarking on a career as a carpenter. He quickly mastered the trade, becoming a Master Carpenter and dedicating the rest of his life to crafting everything from custom cabinets to homes with immense pride, skill and care.

Outside of his profession, Wayne harbored a lifelong passion for automobiles, evident in his dedication to collecting and restoring vintage cars. He was also a skilled race car driver, winning numerous races across the Southeast. Wayne's love extended to animals; he treated them as cherished companions. He lovingly cared for many dogs throughout his life, including his beloved Basset Hound, Gracie, and most recently, his faithful dog, Tiger. He also tended many livestock, including competition horses, mules, and alpacas.

Wayne was a faithful Christian and a member of the First Baptist Church of Roswell.

He was preceded in death by his parents, W.L. "Pug" and Sara Mabry, as well as his beloved Gracie and Tiger.

Wayne is survived by his brother, Randy Mabry (Cathy) of High Point, NC; his daughter, Stephanie (Carter) of Greenville, SC; and his cherished grandchildren, Addison, Campbell, and Jack Hollis of Greenville, SC, of whom he was exceptionally proud. He also leaves behind his stepmother, Sandra Mabry of Roswell, GA, extended family including aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews, and a loyal circle of lifelong and recent friends who considered him

family. The family is ever grateful for the loving care and friendship they showed to Wayne.

A memorial service will be held at 3:00 pm on Saturday, May 31, 2025 at Northside Chapel, 12050 Crabapple Road, Roswell, GA 30075. After the service, all who loved Wayne are invited to a celebration of his life at Rooster's in Cumming from 4:00pm to 6:00 pm.

Wayne's memory will be cherished by all who knew him, remembering his dedication, skilled hands, countless stories and loving heart.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAY 31. 3:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall

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“ Beverly Duncan lit a candle in memory of Wayne Mabry



Beverly Duncan - May 31, 2025 at 11:50 PM

BD

RIP Wayne

You are in our hearts.

Love & Sympathy to The Mabry Family.  
Prayers for

Beverly Duncan - June 01, 2025 at 12:08 AM

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Prayers for God's Holy comfort at this time of loss.

Beverly Duncan - June 01, 2025 at 12:11 AM

BF

“ Beverly D. and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wayne Mabry.

Beverly D. and Family - May 31, 2025 at 11:41 PM

TW

“ Wayne was such a presence in my family's life. We will miss his uplifting spirit and positive energy. It won't be the same world without him. Now he can talk shop with my dad up in heaven. With much sympathy, Traci West & Family

Traci West - May 31, 2025 at 04:04 PM

HF

“ Henry and Jan Fitzgerald purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Wayne Mabry.



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Henry and Jan Fitzgerald - May 30, 2025 at 09:57 AM

AC

“ All our love, Karen and Brian Coyle planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wayne Mabry.

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All our love, Karen and Brian Coyle - May 29, 2025 at 05:48 PM

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“ All our love, Karen and Brian Coyle purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Wayne Mabry.



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All our love, Karen and Brian Coyle - May 29, 2025 at 05:48 PM

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“ Doug Ingram planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wayne Mabry.

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Doug Ingram - May 29, 2025 at 12:57 PM

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“ Doug Ingram purchased the *Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum* for the family of Wayne Mabry.



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Doug Ingram - May 29, 2025 at 12:57 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wayne Mabry.

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May 29, 2025 at 12:25 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Wayne Mabry.



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May 29, 2025 at 12:25 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wayne Mabry.

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May 28, 2025 at 05:23 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Wayne Mabry.



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May 28, 2025 at 05:23 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wayne Mabry.

May 28, 2025 at 01:54 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wayne Mabry.



May 28, 2025 at 01:54 PM



“ Patty (Brown) Taylor purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Wayne Mabry.



**Patty (Brown) Taylor** - May 27, 2025 at 02:41 PM