



## Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb

July 15, 1957 - September 30, 2021

Christopher (Chris) Arden Holcomb a.k.a. “Hook” of 12391 Crabapple Meadow Way, Alpharetta, Georgia, unexpectedly passed away on Thursday evening, September 30, 2021 at the age of 64. He was born on July 15, 1957 in Waynesboro, Virginia.

Chris was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, brother-in-law, and friend. He was a man of great morals; he was loyal, dependable, caring, and loving. It was said often that Chris should have had his own TV show because of his reputation for knowing how to do and fix anything. He was always willing to teach and share his talents with others. He had a wide range of interests including tennis, motorcycles, wakeboarding, fishing, boating, skiing, car racing, bike racing, hiking and way too many others to name.

In 1982, he moved to Atlanta where he received his Bachelor’s degree. He then married his wife, Gloria, in 1984 and began his career at Management Science America. Later he was employed with Blue Circle Cement and for the last 17 years with Lockheed Martin as a Network Engineer.

He was preceded in death by his parents Kathryn Green Holcomb and Robert Anson Holcomb and his sister Barbara Lou Holcomb.

Surviving are his wife of 37 years, Gloria McCormick Holcomb, his sons Ryan with his wife Amy and Austin with his fiancé Ludwika Pankowska, his grandson Hansford, his brother Scott with his wife Rosemary, his nephew and multiple nieces.

A celebration of Chris's life will be held at 2:00 pm on October 9th 2021 at Northside Chapel, 12050 Crabapple Road, Roswell, GA. His final resting place will be in Waynesboro, Virginia close to his beloved Blue Ridge Mountains within the foothills of the Shenandoah Valley.

Memorials can be made by sending flowers to Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory for his service or donations to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta via "[give.choa.org](https://give.choa.org)".

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.*



October 08, 2021 at 10:02 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.*



October 08, 2021 at 06:30 PM

DB

“ Chris and Gloria have been our immediate neighbors for almost 19 years now. We're so saddened to have lost such a wonderful and generous friend in Chris. I leaned on Chris for advice on so many topics of homeownership and beyond. So many of us here in the neighborhood can attest to his eagerness to help when we asked for his advice. He wouldn't just share his knowledge either – he'd jump in and assist.

He's going to be missed so much and it's sad to know we'll no longer have our lengthy yard work chats that delayed us from getting those weekend chores done. Rest in peace Chris and our love to Gloria, Ryan, Austin and all of the extended Holcomb family. Our thoughts are with you all.

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**David Burdette** - October 08, 2021 at 02:39 PM

SS

“ Stanley and Joyce Savincki purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.



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**Stanley and Joyce Savincki** - October 08, 2021 at 12:53 PM

AS

“ Gloria,  
I am so sorry to hear of Chris’s passing. (I read the obituary in the News-Virginian this morning). I didn’t teach Chris, but I remember him as a very nice and friendly young man.  
I know that it has been a million years, but I have fond memories of you as yearbook editor and as a great young lady! You were one of the best editors that I had the pleasure to work with over the years.  
May God bless you and your family.  
Andy Shifflett

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**Andy Shifflett** - October 08, 2021 at 11:01 AM

JS

“ Our love for a dear friend who's family has meant so much to us and who's fellowship cannot be replaced. May our memories of Chris be a comfort to all our souls.  
Our love is with Gloria and the family.  
Jesse and Sandra

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**Jesse and Sandra** - October 07, 2021 at 08:34 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.



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October 07, 2021 at 07:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.



October 07, 2021 at 04:08 PM



“ *Dena, Mike, and Sarah Kennedy* purchased the *Country Basket Blooms* for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.



**Dena, Mike, and Sarah Kennedy** - October 07, 2021 at 03:56 PM



“ *Bridget Johnson & Family* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.



**Bridget Johnson & Family** - October 07, 2021 at 03:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.



October 07, 2021 at 10:46 AM

DM

“ *Dean, Marshall & Staff-Paulson Cheek Mec purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.*



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**Dean, Marshall & Staff-Paulson Cheek Mec** - October 06, 2021  
at 02:02 PM

FT

“ *from the Cisco Systems team. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Christopher A. Holcomb.*



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**from the Cisco Systems team.** - October 06, 2021 at 11:44 AM