



## Mr. Barry Dewight Helton

November 22, 1960 - November 30, 2022

Barry Dewight Helton age 62, of Chickamauga, GA, passed away Wednesday – November 30, 2022. Barry was born in Chickamauga, GA, to the late Hilliard Daniel “Poodle” Helton and Glenda Faye Morrison Helton. He worked for the United States Postal Service for twenty-seven years and was known at the Chickamauga Office for his contagious smile and jolly laugh. He attended Elizabeth Lee United Methodist Church in Chickamauga, GA. He was fun-loving and quick-witted, and he loved telling jokes of all sorts! He enjoyed supporting and watching Gordon Lee softball games, fishing, and golf tournaments – always coming in last at every tournament was just fine with him and the others. Spending time with the guys he loved so much was the heart of his game! Barry had an enormous amount of love for his many friends and his brothers. All his friends are life-long friends! Barry had a friendship and bond with each friend and brother that he treasured. Barry is survived by his partner: Teresa Robertson, his sons and daughter-in-law: Hunter D. (Ruth) Helton of Harrisburg, PA, Logan N. Helton of Hixson, TN, brothers and sisters-in-law: Edward D. (Connie) Helton of Houston, TX, Wesley D. Helton of Chickamauga, GA, Randall L. (Trish) Helton of Knoxville, TN, grandchildren: Michael, Taran, Anne and Elijah Helton, nieces and nephews: Sarah, Joshua, Jacob, Brandon, Rachel, Karmin, aunts and uncles: Betty Jo Eagle, Mary Lynn Huff both of Chickamauga, GA, Dwight Morrison of Rome, GA, Dale (Linda) Morrison of Kensington, GA, numerous cousins. Barry was a caring and loveable person that will be deeply missed by many. The family will

receive friends Monday from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm and Tuesday morning from 10:00 am until 12:45 pm at the funeral home. Funeral services will be at 1:00 pm – Tuesday – December 6, 2022 at Elizabeth Lee United Methodist Church with Pastor Zach Fitzpatrick officiating. Burial will follow at Tennessee-Georgia Memorial Park – Rossville, GA. In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial donations be made to the Gordon Lee Alumni Association at 402 Cove Road – Chickamauga, GA 30707. Arrangements are by Wilson Funeral Homes – J. Avery Bryan Chapel, Chickamauga, GA. An online register book may be signed at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Tennessee/Georgia Memorial Park

724 Hogan Rd.  
Rossville, GA 30741  
(706) 866-5533

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 5. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Chickamauga Chapel  
215 Lee Ave.  
P.O. Box 370  
Chickamauga, GA 30707  
(706) 375-2161  
bo@wilsonfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation

DEC 6. 10:00 AM - 12:45 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Chickamauga Chapel  
215 Lee Ave.  
P.O. Box 370  
Chickamauga, GA 30707  
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## Funeral Service

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DEC 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

Elizabeth Lee United Methodist Church  
139 Cove Rd  
Chickamauga, GA 30707  
<http://www.elizabethleeumc.org>

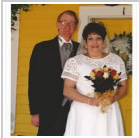
# Tribute Wall

WH

“ 2 files added to the album Dec 6 service at ELUMC



Wesley D Helton - December 19, 2022 at 11:12 PM



“ Barry was one of the kindest, sincere, funny, and caring people I've ever known. I'd only see him when I was in town visiting Mom and Daddy and had to run to the post office but I was already glad I got to see him. My prayers are with his family during these difficult times. Say, "Hi," to Mom in heaven. She joined you yesterday.



Amelia Hipps - December 09, 2022 at 02:07 AM

CW

“ So sorry for the passing of your sweet baby brother Barry. He was always a joy to be around. Cathy Ervin Wooten



Cathy Wooten - December 06, 2022 at 11:08 AM

BW

“ *Benny Ware lit a candle in memory of Mr. Barry Dewight Helton*



**Benny Ware** - December 05, 2022 at 10:18 PM

GN

“ *Barry was a neighbor and a friend to us. He was always smiling and loved his sons deeply. They made him so proud. This town has lost a wonderful young man. RIP Barry.*

**Georgia Nance** - December 04, 2022 at 02:42 PM

DC

“ *Barry was sweet, and always had a smile. You just can't get away from that smile. I'm so sorry for your loss. It is very sad that such a great person friend and family has passed, But, God gained a bright soul. One day soon we will all be having a reunion in heaven.*

**deborah corrine Campbell** - December 04, 2022 at 10:56 AM

IT

“ *I have known Barry my entire life. I also remember his Dad, Poodle and other family members. After becoming adults, Barry and I would meet often in our professional lives as well as during our off time, out in our community. Barry was always one of the most kind, caring, personable, people when it came to our interactions as friends. Barry never saw me that he did not take the time to speak with me and call me by name. I will truly miss Barry and as I have missed him everyday since he left the post office.*

**Ira Taylor** - December 02, 2022 at 06:48 PM

SA

“ Steve & Debbie Atcheson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Barry Dewight Helton



Steve & Debbie Atcheson - December 02, 2022 at 05:00 PM

DD

“ I thought the world of Barry!!! I would see him on a daily basis when I was the 'mail carrier' from the Bank of Chickamauga. I was usually past closing time when I would arrive (which I hated but was unavoidable) & I would be apologetic & he was always so gracious. Had I not known Barry, I would think, 'well he HAS to be' but not Barry. There was a genuine kindness & love he had & anyone who is that way, is a very special gift from God. Barry was that gift & he is irreplaceable. A funny, unique, kind man. The world lost a wonderful man. My thoughts & prayers are with his family & loved ones.

Debra Guffey Diffenderfer - December 02, 2022 at 01:30 PM