



Eston Henson

January 12, 1944 - January 8, 2026

Eston Henson, age 81, resident of Rossville, Georgia, passed away on Thursday, January 8, 2026 at CHI Memorial Hospital, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Mr. Henson, son of the late Gordon Henson and Reba Persley Henson, was born January 12, 1944 in Lookout Mountain, Georgia. He was a plumber for over 60 years, owning and operating Henson Plumbing. Mr. Henson enjoyed gardening, particularly his tomatoes and playing golf. While at home, he looked forward to watching NASCAR and classic westerns on television; cooking; and listening to Southern Gospel. The family remembers him as a man with a great sense of humor and always showing sincere compassion to others.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Glenda Henson and Wanda Smedley.

Mr. Henson is survived by his wife, Brenda Henson; three sons, Jeff Henson, Jesse Scoggins, and Gary Scoggins; four grandchildren, McKayla Henson, Dakota Scoggins, Abby Scoggins, and Kali Scoggins; many other relatives and friends.

The family will receive friends at W.L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home, 555 West Cloud Springs Road, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia on Sunday, January 18, 2026 from 1-3 p.m.

Arrangements by W.L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home, 555 West Cloud Springs Road, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JAN 18. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel

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Tribute Wall

VG

“ I would like to say thank you to everyone who came out to share the life of Eston. He wanted each of you to know just how much he cherished your friendship and he would had been so proud to see the many lives he touched. He will be loved and missed forever. please carry his kindness with you to honor the love he had for everyone he meet. He is an angel in heaven as well as the God sent angel to our family. May you share sweet memories with your families because those are the only things we leave behind. May God bless each of you.

Violet Gray - January 18 at 09:32 PM

JT

“ Jerry, Chris & Jenny Thompson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eston Henson.

Jerry, Chris & Jenny Thompson - January 16 at 08:09 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Eston Henson.



January 16 at 08:09 PM

RJ

“ *Ronnie & Debbie Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Eston Henson*



Ronnie & Debbie Jenkins - January 12 at 08:11 PM

CC

“ *When we moved to Lookout Mtn. in 1985, we were told, "If you want a reliable and honest plumber, call Eston Henson." That was the start of a 40 year friendship. We had a great trade going for many years. In the summer, he would bring me home-grown tomatoes in exchange for a peach pie. I will miss him greatly.*

Carol Chesnutt - January 11 at 02:16 PM

SH

“ *Sheila sent a virtual gift in memory of Eston Henson*



Sheila - January 09 at 03:16 PM

DP

“ *Eston always felt like an extended family member. He did repairs for us in the early 1970s when I was a toddler and continued right up until his most recent visit a few months ago. His visits got longer and longer throughout the years, because there was always so much stuff (NASCAR included) to talk about that we had in common. What an incredibly productive life for one of the most dependable and fun-loving people I've been blessed to know. He will be dearly missed.*

David Paschall - January 09 at 01:48 PM

SC

“ *Susan C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eston Henson.*

Susan C. - January 09 at 01:39 PM

RB

“ *rick & ali bowers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eston Henson.*

rick & ali bowers - January 09 at 12:25 PM

RB

“ *rick & ali bowers purchased the *Pretty Please* for the family of Eston Henson.*



rick & ali bowers - January 09 at 12:25 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Eston Henson.*



January 09 at 11:47 AM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Eston Henson.*



January 09 at 10:50 AM



“ *Eston was quick to answer and come over whenever we had a plumbing need...but he'd also stop by just to check in or stop and chat if he was "just passing by"...he had a heart of gold and this mountain won't be the same without him. Surely we will see him again....in the meantime...rest well in the arms of Jesus!!!!*

Sandra - January 08 at 10:57 PM

BS

“ Our deepest sympathy to Brenda with the loss of Eston.
Eston has been our dearest friend for over 30+ years and we have
so many wonderful memories of all the fun times with him.
From hunting, fishing, traveling and many more.
May God's Grace and Mercy be with all the family with this loss and
in the coming days.

*Much love
Jimmy and Bertie Spradlin*

Bertie Spradlin - January 08 at 05:20 PM

DB

“ One of my favorite cousins!! Will miss you.

DONNA BARNES - January 08 at 03:31 PM