



## Mr. Grant Parrish

September 9, 1947 - May 7, 2025

Grant Parrish age 77, of Chickamauga, Georgia went home to be with The Lord Wednesday – May 7, 2025. He was born in Chickamauga, Georgia to the late William Jess and Otha Grant Rainey Parrish. He was a graduate of Gordon Lee Memorial High School – Class of 1965. After graduation he served his country in the U.S. Air Force where he was stationed in Gulf Port, Mississippi, Warner Robbins, Georgia and Korea. He attended Dalton Junior College after his time in the military. He worked for Combustion Engineering, ABB, Alstom and retired from GE, after forty-seven years of employment. Grant was an avid supporter of the Gordon Lee Trojans, and served on the Board of Education for Chickamauga City Schools for the past forty-two years where was the current Vice-Chairman. He was a member of Elizabeth Lee Methodist Church. He served on the Credit Union Board on Comtrust Bank in Chattanooga, TN. He enjoyed playing golf, fishing, grilling and loved to travel. He cherished being “Poppy,” loved and supported his grandchildren at Gordon Lee, Darlington, the University of Chattanooga and the University of Georgia. Along with his parents, he is preceded in death by his sister: Wanda Faye Parrish and nephew: Rick Wilson. He is survived by his wife of almost fifty-eight years: Wanda Parrish, daughters: Stacey (David) Blaylock of Chickamauga, GA, Roni (Jared) Willerson of Rome, GA, grandchildren: Grant Blaylock, Hannah (Gabe Zuloaga) Willerson, Maribeth Blaylock, Grace, Will and Kate Willerson, sister: Lynn (Ted) Glenn of LaFayette, GA, brothers: Jay (Sandra) Parrish of Chickamauga, GA, Joe (Kathy) Parrish of Chickamauga,

GA, Winfred Parrish of LaFayette, GA, several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends Friday from 3:00 pm – 8:00 pm and Saturday morning from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm – Saturday – May 10, 2025 at Elizabeth Lee Methodist Church with Pastor Zach Fitzpatrick officiating. Burial will follow at Chickamauga Cemetery. Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Homes – Chickamauga, Georgia. Online register book at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Chickamauga City Cemetery

Lee Ave.  
Chickamauga, GA 30707

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 9. 3:00 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](mailto:bo@wilsonfuneralhome.com)  
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

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## Funeral Service

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MAY 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Elizabeth Lee Methodist Church  
139 Cove Road  
Chickamauga, GA 30707

# Tribute Wall

SR

“ Prayers for your family .. We are so very sorry for your loss .. Jeff, Shelly and Brodie Russell

Shelly Russell - May 10, 2025 at 02:04 PM

BB

“ Wanda and family, I am so sorry to hear of Grant's passing. He was such a good person. My prayers are with you and the family.

Betty Bowman - May 09, 2025 at 08:09 PM

BB

“ Betty Bowman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grant Parrish



Betty Bowman - May 09, 2025 at 08:07 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.



May 09, 2025 at 01:48 PM



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

May 09, 2025 at 01:48 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.*



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May 09, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ *John and Debbie Decker purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.*



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**John and Debbie Decker** - May 08, 2025 at 05:54 PM



“ *John and Debbie Decker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Grant Parrish.*

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**John and Debbie Decker** - May 08, 2025 at 05:54 PM



“ *Mike and Sandy (Couch) Menkhoff purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.*



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**Mike and Sandy (Couch) Menkhoff** - May 08, 2025 at 04:10 PM

TK

“ *The Beasts in the East, + Mike and Ken purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.*



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**The Beasts in the East, + Mike and Ken** - May 08, 2025 at 04:04 PM

TK

“ *The Beasts in the East, + Mike and Ken planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Grant Parrish.*

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**The Beasts in the East, + Mike and Ken** - May 08, 2025 at 04:04 PM

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“ *Steve, Courtney, MG, Hayes, & MH Spence purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.*



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**Steve, Courtney, MG, Hayes, & MH Spence** - May 08, 2025 at 03:58 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mr. Grant Parrish.*



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May 08, 2025 at 03:57 PM



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

May 08, 2025 at 03:57 PM



“ Grant was such a sweet and kind man. Prayers for the family.

**Kathy Walker** - May 08, 2025 at 03:17 PM



Loved my cousin Grant. Condolences to his close family.

**Diane Teater** - May 08, 2025 at 03:56 PM



So sorry. Grant was a true Southern Gentleman and Chickamauga Ambassador. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. Doyle & Carol Waters

**Carol Waters** - May 08, 2025 at 08:33 PM