



Mr. Paul King Martin Jr.

September 8, 1949 - July 17, 2025

Paul King Martin, Jr., age 75, of Rock Spring, Georgia passed away Thursday, July 17, 2025 in a local hospital. He was born in LaFayette, Georgia to the late Paul King Martin, Sr. and Geneva Annice Fricks Martin. He was a graduate of LaFayette High School – Class of 1969 and a lifelong resident of the area. He was drafted into the U.S. Army where he served his country during the Vietnam War and was a proud veteran. Paul was a Tool & Dye Maker and was a faithful employee of the Roper Corporation for forty years. Paul was an active man and lived life to the fullest. He loved hunting, fishing and trips to Florida. He also enjoyed spending time on the lake, working on his farm or just hanging out at the house with his family. To his family, he was known as “Butch” and was a great man who will be missed greatly. He was a devoted husband to his wife: Paula Lynn Bryson Martin for forty-one years, a supportive father to Nathan Paul Martin and Tessy Gray, loving grandfather to Brennon and Sally Gray, Kendra and Brandon Mason, adored great-grandfather to Ryder Mason and Hank Gray. Butch loved his siblings: Sara and James Ulrich, Carl and Susan Martin, Mary Ann Martin, Bob and Tonia Martin, several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends Sunday from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm and Monday after 10:00 am until the service. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm – Monday – July 21, 2025 in the chapel with Pastor Ashley Mew officiating. Burial will follow at Gordon Lake Cemetery – LaFayette, Georgia. Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Homes - LaFayette Chapel. Online register book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Gordon Lake Cemetery

29 Gordon Lake Rd
LaFayette, GA 30728

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **20**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - LaFayette Chapel
1779 North Main Street
P.O. Box 1592
LaFayette, GA 30728
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Visitation

JUL **21**. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

JUL 21. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SC

“ I really enjoyed knowing and working with Paul. He was the nicest man you would ever meet. My heart goes out to Paula, also a sweet person. May God spread his love and guidance to this family.

Steve Cochran - July 22, 2025 at 04:43 AM

MV

“ Brennon and family, very sorry for your loss.



Matt Varnell - July 21, 2025 at 09:09 AM

DH

“ Dawn, Ashley, Brian & Morgan Hill purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Paul King Martin Jr..



Dawn, Ashley, Brian & Morgan Hill - July 20, 2025 at 11:13 PM

DH

“ Dawn, Ashley, Brian & Morgan Hill planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Paul King Martin Jr..

Dawn, Ashley, Brian & Morgan Hill - July 20, 2025 at 11:13 PM

BM

“ Paul was a legend at Roper Corp being clock number 1 . He was so knowledgeable and helpful and always with a calm approach , as well as a truly good person . Condolences to his family .

Bob McKinley - July 20, 2025 at 12:04 PM

EH

“ Edith Hartline lit a candle in memory of Mr. Paul King Martin Jr.



Edith Hartline - July 20, 2025 at 11:49 AM

EH

Deepest condolences to all the family and all who knew him. Grateful to have been able to grow up with him and his family, so many memories through school and church. I will remember him fondly for his smile, heart , and deep laughter, willingness to help others, his deep love and connection with his family and close friends! He is going to be truly missed and never forgotten.

*Peace ,Love and respect,
Edith and Tammy*

Edith Hartline - July 20, 2025 at 12:08 PM

PW

“ Paul was a great friend and helped us out many times he never asked for a penny just some home cooked turnip greens. Paul was like a member of our family and we shared many Christmas dinners with Paul and Paula playing crazy games and trying to win lottery tickets. Good people are hard to find and so many of our good people are leaving us with no one to take their place Rest In Peace Paul will see you again . Praying for Nathan and Paula and Family. Love You Pat and Phyliss Wimpy

Patricia Wimpy - July 19, 2025 at 06:36 PM