



Robert Wayland Callaway

December 29, 1957 - October 28, 2023

Robert Wayland Callaway, (65), of Chattanooga, Tennessee, formerly of Ringgold, Georgia, passed away peacefully at home on October 28, 2023.

Robert grew up on a farm in Cherokee Valley of Catoosa County, Georgia. He was a people person who loved being around friends and family. His early friends were his neighbors in Cherokee Valley and his Callaway and Barrett cousins. When he began school, his friends were classmates at Ringgold Elementary, where his mother was a first-grade teacher. As an adult, his friends were people who shared his love of music. Robert made many lifelong friends with whom he enjoyed sharing his life and his passions. As a parent, Robert's world centered around his two beautiful daughters. They were his biggest joy and legacy.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Wayland Callaway and Willie Mae Barrett Callaway, his sister Mary Nell Callaway (Eugene) Box, and his first wife, Mary L. Fox Callaway.

Robert is survived by his two daughters, Jessi (Nic) Hamill of The Colony, Texas, and Kali (Jonathan) Walls of West Point, Georgia, and several nieces and nephew.

Arrangements are being handled by the Wilson Funeral Home in Ringgold,

Georgia.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, November 1, 2023, from noon to 2:00 at the funeral home. The funeral service will be at 2:00 p.m. in the funeral home chapel with Rev. David Sternberg officiating. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Christ Chapel, Ringgold, Georgia (223 Inman St, Ringgold, GA 30736) or your favorite charity.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Ringgold Chapel
443 Boynton Drive
Ringgold, GA 30736
(706) 935-2331
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<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

NOV 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Girls, I'm sorry I do not know you guys, but your Dad was my first best friend, I will always remember him, with love. We drifted apart with different interests, but always thought a lot of your Dads honesty, and resilience. He was indeed a great man.*

*Praying for you all!
Chris Greene*

Chris - November 01, 2023 at 04:37 PM

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“ *I will remember all the times we laughed, and just enjoyed talking together. It would end up being hours. Have not seen you in awhile, but you have always held a place im my heart.*

Vickie - November 01, 2023 at 08:38 AM

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“ *I will miss you, my friend. You changed my life and taught me how to be a friend. I'll see you again one bright morning. Peace, Ray*

Ray Morgan - October 31, 2023 at 08:31 PM