



## Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram

July 19, 1953 - September 13, 2016

Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram, 63, of Ringgold, Georgia passed away Tuesday September 13, 2016. A lifelong resident of the North Georgia area, he was an employee of the Catoosa County Sheriff's Department where he served as a deputy then later as court bailiff, a member of the Masonic Lodge and a member of the Ringgold First Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by his parents, William Eugene and Juanita Davis Ingram. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Denise Abston Ingram of Ringgold, GA.; daughter and son-in-law, Ginny and Bo Barnhart of Chattanooga, TN.; grandson, Charles West Barnhart; three sisters, Edith Brown of Ringgold, GA., Carol Brown of Ringgold, GA., and Valera Knight of Ft. Oglethorpe, GA.; two brothers, Carlton Ingram of Tennessee and Rick Ingram of Florida. Memorial services will be held 11:00 A.M. Friday, September 16, 2016 in the funeral home chapel. The family will receive friends Thursday from 4-8 P.M. at the funeral home. Arrangements are by Wilson Funeral Home Wallis-Stewart Chapel Ringgold, Georgia.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **15.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Ringgold Chapel  
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## Memorial Service

SEP **16.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

LM

“Denise, I'm so very sorry to hear about this terrible accident. I just wanted to let you know that you are in my prayers and thoughts. May God wrap his loving arms around you during the this difficult time. Love, LeAnn Mathis

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**LeAnn Mathis** - September 20, 2016 at 12:45 PM

MJ

“I want to express my sincerest sympathy to the Ingram family because of losing Pat way too soon in death. When our loved ones fall asleep in death, the pain and grief seems unbearable. Our loving God Jehovah (Psalms 83:18) understands how we feel and he comforts us by means of his word the Bible. Psalm 34: 18 tells us: "Jehovah is close to the brokenhearted; He saves those who are crushed in spirit." For more comforting scriptures please visit: <http://bit.ly/1K38EFt>. It has given me hope, strengthened my faith and helped me find the answer to Why? I know it will do the same for you. Again, the family is in my prayers and I offer my heartfelt condolences. Feel free to contact me if you wish at my email address; [myranj@centurytel.net](mailto:myranj@centurytel.net)

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**M J Jarmon** - September 18, 2016 at 05:58 PM

SL

“We always thought alot of pat. I haven't seen him for many years but thought of the good times we shared often when i dated his daughter. We were very saddened to hear the news of his passing. Denise and Ginny have our deepest sympathy and pray that god will be with you in this tough time. Sam, Tom and Shirley Low

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**Sam Low** - September 16, 2016 at 10:52 AM



“ *Worked with Pat at courthouse, very sweet man. Praying for family and friends.*

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**Joann Johnston** - September 16, 2016 at 08:47 AM



“ *Denise, I am so ,very sorry to hear about Pats accident. I went to school with Pat. You Patrica an I Sheila were friends when you lived on Meadow lane always wonder about you Trish an I wanted you to know our thoughts an prayers are with you an your family!*



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**Sheila Farmer Spurlin** - September 15, 2016 at 09:15 PM



“ *Johnnie Peters lit a candle in memory of Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram*



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**Johnnie Peters** - September 15, 2016 at 06:54 PM



“ *Denise my heart and prayers go out to you, Ginny and your family. Pat was such a great man and always had everyone laughing. He will be missed by everyone!*



*Love ya Sandra "Boggs" Mitchell*

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**Sandra Mitchell** - September 15, 2016 at 05:00 PM

DR

“ Pat has been such a dear friend to so many. My mother Doris Kirby Neal adored him and never left without getting a hug. Denise and Pat went thru school with me and my sisters and brothers. We rode the same bus. Had fun on the bus. Carol was close your us also. We played softball in the fields between our homes. Pat will be missed. So many prayers for Denise, Ginn, Bo and grandson that he bragged on. Hope him and mother remembers each other in heaven and are so happy and no more pain nor sorrow. Stand tall Pat and be with our Lord. Lord wrap you arms around Denise and family give them Comfort and understanding.

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Debi Kirby Branam class of 72 RHS - September 15, 2016 at 03:47 PM

DM

“ I have know Pat for a long time , since before the TA days in Catoosa, great guy he was,, you can take a person's money and in the end the money is all that was taken, you can take a person's time and you've taken a part of their life, Pat has taken up time in the lives of so many,just as so many have taken up time in his life in many ways, those are the memories we can look back on . All mine of Pat are good, and some at least one way back in 1980 I was grateful, some comical, so many will miss him , God Bless his family, co- workers and Catoosa County S.O.



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David Mahan - September 15, 2016 at 03:47 PM

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**David Mahan** - September 15, 2016 at 03:12 PM

ST

“ Denise, Butch and I are so sorry to hear about Pat's accident. Butch said they had so much fun working together, years ago, and I feel the same. Our thoughts and prayers are for you and your entire family.  
Sharon & Butch Thomas



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**sharon thomas** - September 15, 2016 at 02:58 PM

LH

“ Denise, I am so sorry for Pat's accident.I know you all had a long and good marriage and you have many wonderful memories esp. your recent trip to England, etc. My thoughts and prayers are with you, Ginny and Charles. I will give you a call or you call me when you feel up to it Linda Holmes

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**Linda Holmes** - September 15, 2016 at 12:37 PM

DF

“ *Denise, my heart breaks for you and Ginny. Please know Roger and I are lifting you both up in our prayers and pay for God's peace beyond all understanding*

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**Debra Franks** - September 15, 2016 at 10:28 AM

DS

“ *Dewayne Steele lit a candle in memory of Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram*



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**Dewayne Steele** - September 15, 2016 at 10:16 AM

DS

*Denise and Ginny, my heart and prayers go out to you guys. Pat was always a joy to work with over the years as a Police Officer. I will always remember him and the adventures of life that we all have shared.*

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**Dewayne Steele** - September 15, 2016 at 10:19 AM

DR

“ *My sincerest sympathy for your family. Pat was my supervisor a lifetime ago at TriCounty collections. I was so sorry to hear of his passing. Debbie Goldberg Rodriguez*

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**Debbie Goldberg Rodriguez** - September 15, 2016 at 09:50 AM

JD

“Denise, my deepest sympathies for the loss of your husband. You and your family are in my prayers for peace and comfort.

*Jill Davis*

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**Jill Davis** - September 15, 2016 at 09:50 AM



“Denise:

*I'm sorry for the loss of your husband Pat. Judy and I will keep you in our Prayers.*

*David Vinson*

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**David Vinson** - September 15, 2016 at 08:12 AM

DS

“Denise, very sorry to get the news. I will keep you and all of your family in my prayers.

*David Stone*

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**David Stone** - September 15, 2016 at 08:09 AM

DG

“Denise, I have been where you are and can assure you that God can and will get you through. The comfort of Our Savior will at times be all that you will have to cling too but He will be there for you to lean on. My prayers are with you and your family.

*Dwight and Candy Goodman*

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**Dwight L Goodman** - September 15, 2016 at 07:53 AM

AF

“ When you lose someone very precious, no one else can really know all that you feel except our Heavenly Father, he knows and feel your pain during this time of sorrow.(1 Peter 5:7), (Psalm 55:22).

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**A Friend** - September 15, 2016 at 07:27 AM

BP

“ Wishing you my heartfelt sympathy in the loss of Pat. It's been a very long time since he & Ron & all the great guys were together at the Sheriff's department, but I'll never forget how Pat could make everyone laugh. I'm so sorry for your loss. Your family will be in my thoughts & prayers.

*Brenda Palmer  
(Widow of Ron "Ronny" Palmer, Sr.  
Former Deputy at Catoosa County Sheriff's Department)*

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**B Palmer** - September 15, 2016 at 02:59 AM

TW

“ Denise and Ginny, please accept my sincere condolences during this difficult time. I will lift you and your entire family up in my prayers.

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**Tara Mason Wells** - September 14, 2016 at 10:42 PM

CP

“ *Denise and Ginny-*

*I am so sorry to hear about Pat. Your whole family is in my thoughts and prayers during this heartbreaking time. I will always fondly remember your family from the Mountain Brook neighborhood. Please know that we are thinking of you.*

*Carrie Palmer*

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**Carrie Palmer** - September 14, 2016 at 10:19 PM



“ *From myself personally, and all the Brethren of Quitman Lodge 106, we extend our deepest condolences to the Ingram family, please let us know if we may be of assistance in this time of need.*

*As we say;*

*“Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.”*

*For me, Pat brought joy to many mornings wrought with anxiety and stress. As I entered the courthouse, he always reminded me with kind words or a joke, that I would make it through the day. He would be there still at the end of the day with a smile and a warm heart. He will truly be missed.*

*William Mills  
Senior Warden  
F&AM Quitman #106*

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**William Mills** - September 14, 2016 at 10:17 PM

JW

“ Joy Cawood Whaley lit a candle in memory of Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram



Joy Cawood Whaley - September 14, 2016 at 08:57 PM

JW

Love and prayers for you all. Known all of y'all forever. From riding school bus together....then being neighbors across the road after y'all married. Praying for all your family.

Joy Cawood Whaley - September 14, 2016 at 09:07 PM

KC

“ Thank you for your Service Sir...Thoughts and Prayers to your family.

Kevin Campbell



Kevin Campbell - September 14, 2016 at 08:54 PM

SB

“ Steve And Nancy Bridges lit a candle in memory of Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram



Steve and Nancy Bridges - September 14, 2016 at 08:50 PM

ZB

“ Pat was sure a character. I worked hand in hand with Pat for a while and what a guy. Always fun to be around. My thoughts and prayers will be with you Denise and family during this tragic loss of such a good man.

Zack Bandy

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**Zack Bandy** - September 14, 2016 at 08:23 PM

SM

“ Our prayers and sympathy for Denise, their daughter and all of the family. Pat always had a smile on his face and a hug whenever you saw him, we will always remember the good times we shared with him. May God give you comfort and peace and know that our hearts are with you. With much love, Tommy and Starr Morrow

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**Starr Morrow** - September 14, 2016 at 07:51 PM

  
Melissa  
Griffin

“ Any time I saw Pat at the court house he would shine that bright smile and say "hey buddy". I never saw him when he wasn't smiling. I didn't know him well but enough to know he made people's day a little brighter wit his smile. Rest in peace Pat. You will be missed greatly.



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**Melissa Griffin** - September 14, 2016 at 07:23 PM

SH

“ I'm heartbroken over Pat! Pat always had a sweet smile on his face when I would see him in the Sheriff's Office. After I left the SO he had that same sweet smile and a hug for me when I would see him out. Rest in peace Pat we've got it from here!



Stephanie Hughes - September 14, 2016 at 06:45 PM

LY

“ Linda Brown Young lit a candle in memory of Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram



Linda Brown Young - September 14, 2016 at 05:46 PM

JG

“ Janet Jones Goins lit a candle in memory of Robert "Pat" Patterson Ingram



Janet Jones Goins - September 14, 2016 at 05:44 PM

JG

*I have know Pat for many years, a good man and will truly be missed. Prayers and God Bless his family*

Janet Jones Goins - September 14, 2016 at 05:46 PM



“ *He was a very nice man.my sister went to school with him.I knew him when he was a deputy.God bless his family.prayers!*



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**Sharon Teems** - September 14, 2016 at 04:57 PM

AG

“ *Our deepest condolences to the Ingram family. The family is in our thoughts and prayers.*



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**Angela Grampp** - September 14, 2016 at 04:51 PM

BR

“ *My heart breaks for the Ingram family. You guys will be in my thoughts and prayers!*

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**Bobby Riley** - September 14, 2016 at 04:12 PM

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“ *My prayers are with Pat's family. He was a good man and f=great friend and brother. May God keep you all in his hand.*

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**Alan Yates** - September 14, 2016 at 04:11 PM

EH

“ Praying for Pat's family during this time of loss. He was a great man and will be missed by many.



Elizabeth Henkel - September 14, 2016 at 03:51 PM

AB

“ Praying for the family. I will miss seeing and talking with Pat. He was a wonderful person.



APRIL BRYSON - September 14, 2016 at 03:09 PM

 Kara Jeter

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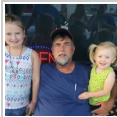
Kara Jeter - September 14, 2016 at 03:06 PM

MP

“ I first got to know Pat in 1981 when I started working at the District Attorney's Office in Ringgold, when he was one of the young deputies driving J.D. Stewart's famous Pontiac Trans Am patrol cars. After he left for a few years for other opportunities, I was really happy to see him again toward the end of his career when he came back to the Sheriff's Office and started working in Court Services. I got to see him almost every day, and never knew him to not have a smile and a warm greeting, or when he would ask about some of my family, including my sister that he knew in high school and he married one of her good friends. While I was a few years younger still, we shared stories of the aches and pains of middle age. Pat was a good guy. He will be very much missed by everyone who frequents the Catoosa County Courthouse. Please pass along the most heartfelt condolences from all of my family to his. God bless Pat and his family and friends.  
McCracken Poston

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**McCracken Poston** - September 14, 2016 at 03:04 PM



a very good friend and co-worker I knew Pat for over 45 years he was my friend and I will always remember the good times we had RIP my friend Ray Reavely

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**Ray Reavely** - September 14, 2016 at 05:05 PM

CD

My husband and I had known Pat for many years and always enjoyed seeing him. He was my sister's best friend in high school. He will be missed and our thoughts and prayers go out to Denise, Ginny and all the family.

*Chris and Helen Davis*

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**Chris & Helen Davis** - September 14, 2016 at 06:42 PM

TH

“ *Praying for the family. I will miss Pat at the courthouse.*



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**Tammy Hardin** - September 14, 2016 at 02:26 PM

DM

*Our Team at the courthouse will surely miss Pat. He was a man with a giant heart. Our prayers go out to his family.*  
*DeWayne Morgan*

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**DeWayne Morgan** - September 14, 2016 at 03:27 PM