



## William "Bill" Riley Dykes Jr.

May 2, 1946 - October 19, 2018

William "Bill" Riley Dykes, Jr. age 72 of LaFayette, passed away on Friday, October 19, 2018 surrounded by his family. He lived most of his life in Walker Co. and was of the Baptist Faith. Bill served his country in the U.S. Army and was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend, who will be greatly missed.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, William Riley and Katherine Kellett Dykes, son, William Riley Dykes, III, sisters, Gerry Dykes Key, Jackie Dykes and Gladys Burgess and brother, Johnny Dykes.

He is survived by his loving wife, of 45 yrs., Joy Dykes, children; Anita (Jeff) Simpson, Christina (Oscar) Harris, William (Tonya) Dykes, James Dykes, Tim (Melody) Dykes and Billy Joe Dykes, sister, Marthaleen Dykes, 11 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at 2:00 pm on Thursday, October 25, 2018 at the LaFayette City Cemetery, with Bro. Wilton Grimes and Bro. George Ashburn officiating. The family will receive friends from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Wednesday and prior to leaving for the cemetery on Thursday. Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Home-LaFayette.

# Cemetery Details

## LaFayette City Cemetery

E. Villanow St.  
LaFayette, GA 30728  
(706) 639-1500

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - LaFayette Chapel  
1779 North Main Street  
P.O. Box 1592  
LaFayette, GA 30728  
(706) 638-1122  
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## Graveside Service

OCT **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Joy, You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.



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**Ronda Tate** - October 24, 2018 at 04:52 PM