



George Harris Gaddie

August 15, 1940 - April 23, 2025

GADDIE, George Harris, 84, resident of Dadeville, AL, passed away on Wednesday, April 23, 2025. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, May 3, 2025, at 2:00 pm from Prattville Memorial Chapel with Pastor David McGowin officiating. Burial will follow at Prattville Memory Gardens with Prattville Memorial directing. The family will receive friends on Saturday at Prattville Memorial one-hour prior to the service.

George was born on August 15, 1940, in Deatsville, Alabama. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force, a 1962 graduate of Auburn University, and a “Golden Eagle” member of the Auburn Alumni Association. We will always remember George’s broad smile, his gentle manner, and his ability to start a meaningful, heartfelt conversation with anyone, anywhere, at any time. George never met a stranger, and he never hesitated to share his curiosities, insights, and genuine love of life with his family and friends (new and old alike). George had a wonderful sense of humor, and he enjoyed giving and receiving good-natured teasing, especially if it involved Auburn vs Alabama football. He touched many lives, and those that met him will always remember him.

Mr. Gaddie was preceded in death by his first wife, Frances Pugh Gaddie; parents, Emerson and Johnabel Gaddie. He is survived by his loving wife of 36 years, Sandy Gaddie; two sons, George Gaddie, Jr. (Elizabeth) and

Stephen Gaddie (Janette); two stepsons, Marcus Finster (Christy) and Samuel Lee Finster; eight grandchildren, Robert Gaddie, Christopher Gaddie, Nathan Gaddie, Liam Gaddie, Nicholas Finster, Lexi Finster, Lauren Carter and Sarah Campbell; sister, Norma Moore (Tony); extended family and friends. Pallbearers will be Robert Gaddie, Christopher Gaddie, Nathan Gaddie, Liam Gaddie, Nicholas Finster and L.B. Stringfellow.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you make donations to St. Jude's or your local animal shelter.

Cemetery Details

Prattville Memory Gardens

841 Fairview Avenue
Prattville, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 3. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Prattville Memorial Chapel
841 Fairview Avenue
Prattville, AL 36066
(334) 365-7147
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Service

MAY 3. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Carolyn Poole lit a candle in memory of George Harris Gaddie



Carolyn Poole - May 03, 2025 at 03:03 PM



The Ware's

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“ A gentle soul has flown away, a heart so kind, a life we knew, and now a memory. Though grief may linger, may it be met with love and peace, may the light of their memories shine brightly within you. Sending sincere heartfelt condolences to the Gaddis family. We are deeply saddened by your loss of Mr. G. The Wellness Center family will never be the same, without his presence: his smile, his sense of humor, those faces he makes and his friendship. May you fit comfort in the loving memories of your loved one, Mr. G. Lifting you all up in prayers, Clyde and Carolyn Ware

Carolyn Poole - May 03, 2025 at 03:01 PM



“ Carolyn Poole lit a candle in memory of George Harris Gaddie



Carolyn Poole - May 02, 2025 at 11:39 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of George Harris Gaddie.

May 02, 2025 at 12:01 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of George Harris Gaddie.



May 02, 2025 at 12:01 PM



“ George and I were good friends at Holtville, but we became very close when we were roommates at Montevallo for our first two years. I left for Auburn a few months before George and got a new roommate, a mutual friend of ours we met at Montevallo. When George joined us he got a room next to mine in our boarding house for another two years. So, four years all told. I don't remember any cross words, but those were more gentle times. I know men aren't suppose to say this, bit I love George Gaddie will miss his friendship.

Joe Van Matre - April 30, 2025 at 09:37 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of George Harris Gaddie.



April 30, 2025 at 03:36 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of George Harris Gaddie.



April 30, 2025 at 11:02 AM



“ Debra C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Harris Gaddie.

Debra C. - April 30, 2025 at 08:39 AM



“ Debra C. purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of George Harris Gaddie.



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“ Thinking of you and sending our deepest sympathy. We cherish our memories of George, that smile, that humor and the time we spent with him. Bob and Julie Seckler

Julie Seckler - April 29, 2025 at 05:46 PM

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“ Please join George’s family for a reception to honor George’s life immediately following the graveside services. The reception will be held at Niffer’s on Lake Martin in Dadeville, AL beginning around 4:30pm and will be held at the outdoor area in front of the restaurant. Appetizers will be available and wait staff will take your order for beverages. Please come mingle with George’s family and friends and share your favorite stories and memories of George. He would want to be remembered with laughter and joy.

Stephen Gaddie - April 29, 2025 at 09:03 AM

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“ It's with great respect that I write this note of admiration for "Our" George. He has left an indelible mark with his Wellness Center Family and his presence will be greatly missed. His spirit and life spunk had so much value and meaning to us. Godspeed his travels into heaven and the entire Gaddie Family's healing. We have sadness and a hole in our heart that only his warm and sassy memories can heal. Thank you for sharing him with us over the last four years. If there is anything we do to ease this tragic event please do not hesitate to reach out. Sending love on a stream.

-Michael Keating, The Club 309 Wellness Center at Lake Martin.

michael keating - April 28, 2025 at 01:54 PM