



Baxter Timothy "Tim" Shelton

October 4, 1954 - April 25, 2022

Baxter Timothy Shelton 67 of Wildwood, Georgia passed away at his home on April 25, 2022. He was preceded in death by his parents Leman F. Shelton and Willie Rose Cross Shelton of Wildwood, Georgia.

He is survived by his son Baxter Shelton of Atlanta, twin brother Roger Shelton of Wildwood, sister and brother-in-law Kristy and Tony Gresham of Huntersville, NC. He is also survived by nieces and nephews, Kimberly Shelton, Jon (Brooke) Shelton, Brian (Jen) Gresham and Brooke (Caleb) Vuljanic.

Tim graduated from Dade County High School, Northeast Alabama Community College and attended West Georgia College. His career was in the vending industry working at Cavalier Corp., Dixie Narco and most recently retired from Changer Services of Minnesota the end of 2020. Tim was a member of Church of the Apostles in Atlanta, Georgia. He treasured his many friendships from childhood through every phase of life. He loved spending time on his farm and sharing it with others. If you received a call from him while he was on the "back 40", you were special to him.

Tim was proud of the work his nephew does with Samaritan's Purse. In lieu of flowers, consider making a contribution to Samaritan's Purse, Boone, NC.

A celebration of life will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. in the funeral home chapel.

The family will receive friends on Saturday from 12:00 p.m. until the service hour at Ryan Funeral Home & Crematory, Trenton, GA.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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A Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Baxter Timothy "Tim" Shelton*

October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *I am at a complete loss of words. I met Tim in 1982 and considered him a very special friend for over 40 years. We kept in touch on a regular basis and talked about everything from kids, to work, to retirement, to college football. The last time we talked he told me he was doing good and was even considering going back to work part-time. I was not expecting to hear this kind of news anytime soon. What a great guy and a better friend. My deepest sympathy to Roger, Baxter and the Shelton family. I wish I could have been their to say goodbye.*

I will miss you.

Larry Hauser

Larry Hauser - May 01, 2022 at 02:32 PM



“ *Tim was a good man and a true gentleman. I knew him and worked with him for I can't remember how many years. He believed in, and lived by the golden rule. He was kind, caring, and always there if you needed help or support. A better friend you will not find. Rest In Peace Tim. I know you're in a better place but I sure will miss you.*

Joe Laycock - May 01, 2022 at 07:31 AM

DC

“ *Tim was a coworker and friend for many years. Roger, I know you feel a special loss. May God comfort the family and friends.*

Dan Clark - April 30, 2022 at 08:18 PM

SS

“ *I will miss you Tim. Thank you for all our new Memories. I will cherish them forever. ❤️ Until we meet again. 🙏 Sharon*



Sharon Simpson - April 30, 2022 at 12:39 PM



“ *1 file added to the album LifeTributes*



Ryan Funeral Home - April 30, 2022 at 11:56 AM

BG

“ I miss you already Uncle Tim!

My Uncle Tim was as great an uncle as a kid could ever want. Lucky for me I had two. As I sit and think about memories with Uncle Tim, I'm amazed at how much I remember and the joy I felt when I was around him. The number of days we spent together wasn't all that impressive but what is amazing is the fact that I feel like I remember most of them. My Uncle Tim had a joy about him that he constantly shared through his smile. He was laid back and fun to be around. I always felt comfortable, happy, and loved when I was with Uncle Tim. The farm won't ever be the same, and we'll never have another bonfire without thinking of him. But through all the great memories, I'm sure he will continue to bring us joy.

Thank you, Lord, for Uncle Tim. Thank you for how he was authentic and full of joy. I miss him; but I'm glad he's with you now. I'm glad his body is fully restored and that he is now hanging out with Jesus alongside Grandmother and Granddaddy. Amen.

Brian Gresham - April 30, 2022 at 08:31 AM

SS

“ My sincerest condolences to Baxter and the Shelton Family in the loss of Tim. I have known Tim for over 30 years and he was the kindest and most genuine spirit. Over the last year we reconnected and our friendship never missed a beat. He was a wonderful friend and blessing to many others. I will cherish our many memories, remember our numerous "back 40" calls and thank God for allowing us to reconnect. I will see you on the other side, my friend. I know you are in God's hands. Baxter, I pray God will comfort and strengthen you and your family. God Bless you all. 🙏

Sharon Simpson - April 29, 2022 at 06:28 PM



“ 62 files added to the album LifeTributes



Ryan Funeral Home - April 29, 2022 at 04:31 PM

LA

“ Linda Gillam Weir - LR, AR purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Baxter Timothy "Tim" Shelton.



Linda Gillam Weir - LR, AR - April 29, 2022 at 10:15 AM

LW

“ I met Tim back in the 90's. He was driving thru LR on a sales trip, and I arranged for him to meet with Coca Cola reps. He was so friendly and had such a great smile...we became friends Instantly. A friendship that has lasted through the years. Although we didn't see each other often, he ALWAYS kept in touch by phone. I will miss him very much. My prayers are with his son and family.

Linda Gillam Weir - April 29, 2022 at 10:01 AM

MA

“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Mark - April 29, 2022 at 06:18 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Baxter Timothy "Tim" Shelton.



April 28, 2022 at 12:40 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Baxter Timothy "Tim" Shelton.



April 28, 2022 at 10:27 AM

BB

“ I remember visiting/playing with Tim, Roger and Kristy when my sister Ginger and I were small. Tim's parents were good friends with my mom and dad, Edward and Ellene Wilkie. Their friendship meant a lot to us all. My condolences to his family all who will miss him. -
Becky Wilkie Baker

Becky Wilkie Baker - April 28, 2022 at 09:57 AM

DB

“ So sorry for the loss of Tim. O only met him once but Roger talked about him often. I know he will be missed by the family.

Dixie Barker

Dixie Barker - April 28, 2022 at 09:31 AM

MS

“ Tim was one of the greatest guys I have ever had the privilege of knowing and a true friend. I will miss him like a brother. My sincere condolences go out to his family.

Mark Stolley

Mark Stolley - April 28, 2022 at 07:19 AM

DH

“ Don and I are heartbroken over Tim’s passing. A childhood lifelong friend of mine. Growing up having birthday parties, church and Sunday school activities, school, softball in the Shelton’s front yard , spending the night with Kristy and all of us playing games. What wonderful and precious memories! The Shelton’s have been like family to me all my life. Tim was loved and will be missed by all. 💔🙏✝️



Don and Dorothy Hicks - April 28, 2022 at 03:05 AM

LM

“ I was fortunate enough to have Tim as my friend and received calls from the back 40 ,and to sit by the fire in the (Ain't No Palace),and talk about world affairs, and life . I truly miss him .

Lamar McNabb - April 27, 2022 at 05:09 PM

SS

“ Tim was one of the "good guys"! I always enjoyed our chats we had about all sorts of topics. He will be truly missed....

Also, my condolences goes out to Tim's family.

*Scott Singer
Sales Manager
Changer Services*

Scott Singer - April 27, 2022 at 04:25 PM

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Lamar

Lamar McNabb - April 27, 2022 at 03:40 PM

KP

“ I worked with Tim in his Cavalier days. While I had Lost contact with him personally I did catch up with several other friends of ours who gave me updates from time to time on Tim's well-being. My memory of Tim was a very dependable likable and enjoyable person to be around and I enjoyed working with him. I would like to personally express my condolences to the family.

Kyle Price

Kyle Price - April 27, 2022 at 01:38 PM

JD

Tim and I worked together at Cavalier and Debitek. We shared lots of good times and many adventures. Our paths crossed through the years as we were both in the same industry. Sometimes years would go by but once we met again it was as if no time had passed and we picked up where we left off. Tim was a good friend and will be missed. Condolences to Roger and the rest of the family.
Jim Delaney

Jim Delaney - April 30, 2022 at 05:04 PM

CS

“ *Changer Services purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Baxter Timothy "Tim" Shelton.*



Changer Services - April 26, 2022 at 05:08 PM