



Graham Alton Barden

December 28, 2000 - June 3, 2024

On the evening of June 3, 2024 Graham Alton Barden of Flowery Branch died unexpectedly at the young age of 23.

He was born December 28, 2000 to Jenny and Tim Barden and grew up in Buford, GA.

Graham was loving, creative, adventurous, very intelligent, hard-working and had a beautiful smile especially when he was being mischievous. Graham was a free spirit!

Graham loved the Lord, his family and friends deeply. He made everyone he spoke to feel special. Graham loved animals, hiking, biking, traveling, camping, being outdoors in the fresh air (rain or shine), lake life, skateboarding, The Grateful Dead, and most recently riding his motorcycle. He was enthusiastic about his interests.

He found his passion in working on cars, motorcycles and was attending the Marine Mechanic program at Lanier Technical College. He said "I want to be known for the quality in my work, it's (what I learned from) my childhood legos that I'm able to grow old doing". Graham was very meticulous in all his work.

He loved the annual family beach trips, the Buttrill fishing and hunting trips,

especially the quail hunt, usually bringing home birds for his mom to cook.

Graham is preceded in death by his beloved grandfather, Jack Barber. He is survived by his mother Jenny (David) DeCelles, father Tim (Sherry) Barden, brother Colton Barden, grandparents Barbara Buttrill Barber, Joyce and Pierce Barden, Aunt Betsy (Toby) Barber, Uncle John (Alisa) Barber, cousins Kylie, Brad, Chandler and Amanda, Aunt Anita (Ronnie) Payne, cousins Cristian, Hannah, Aunt Marie (Greg) Fanning, cousins Austin and Kayley, and very special friends Megan Rowe and Rushil Moonesinghe.

We will miss Graham's beautiful soul every day, may he shine his light upon us from Heaven.

In lieu of flowers, donations towards a scholarship to Lanier Technical College in his memory is requested.

<https://www.laniertechfoundation.org/give>

Place "In memory of Graham Barden" in the comment section

We will have a memorial Celebrating Graham's Life on

Saturday, June 15th, 2024 at

Church on the Hill

4600 Nelson Brogdon Blvd. Sugar Hill, GA 30518

Visitation 10:00-11:30

Service 11:30-12:00

Everyone is invited to join us for lunch at the church immediately following the service.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **15**. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Church on the Hill
4600 Nelson Brogdon Blvd
Sugar Hill, GA 30518

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

WR

“ I will always remember Graham from the fishing trips where he and I would try to get the best spots. We also had some good times on our family hunting trips. He was a big lover of the outdoors. Rest in peace Graham!

Wade Roush - June 14, 2024 at 04:22 PM



“ One of my favorite memories is riding down every hill in the neighborhood when it would snow!! Or when we'd explore in the woods for hours!

Kirsten Laughlin - June 12, 2024 at 04:21 PM

BB

“ One of my favorite memories was a hot July day when Graham was visiting me in Quiet Place. He had been riding his bike around the neighborhood. He came in the front door, turned around, and said, “Betty, look!!”. And in walked Little Lacy!!!! She had followed him home. I said, “Awwwww!!!!....I'm not getting a dog.” Famous last words. She's been my joy for the past 8 years. Graham and I always remember that day with happiness.



Betsy Barber - June 12, 2024 at 11:39 AM

CE

“ We will miss seeing your wonderful smile and sweet hugs. We love you Graham! Till we meet again. ❤️

Cindy Edmondson - June 11, 2024 at 07:59 PM

ME

“ One of my favorite memory's of Graham is watching him dance.

Megan - June 11, 2024 at 11:59 AM

TB

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Tim Barden - June 10, 2024 at 01:36 PM