



Owen Wayne Underwood

November 27, 1942 - January 31, 2026

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Wayne, lovingly known as Papa to his family and many who cherished him, passed peacefully into the arms of his Savior at 10:40 a.m. on Saturday, January 31, 2026. Freed from the shackles of this world, he was delivered into the loving embrace of our Lord Jesus Christ, where he now rests in eternal peace and joy.

Papa lived a life marked by quiet strength, unwavering devotion, and a deep love for his family. He was a steadfast presence, offering guidance, laughter, and unconditional support to those blessed to call him husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. His faith in Christ was the cornerstone of his life, guiding him through every season and shining brightly in the way he loved others.

He is survived by his devoted wife, Sharon, who shared a lifetime of love and partnership with him; his children, Christopher, Beth, James, and Jennifer; his cherished grandchildren, Caleb, Andrew, Haylie, Henry, and Brooke; and his precious great-grandchild, Apryl. He also leaves behind his siblings, along with their spouses, children, and extended family, all of whom were touched by his kindness and will carry his memory forward.

Papa's legacy lives on in the hearts of his family, in the stories shared around the table, and in the faith he instilled in those he loved. Though we grieve his absence here, we find comfort in knowing he is home with Jesus, whole and at peace.

A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 7, 2026, at the Chapel of Flanagan Funeral Home (4400 South Lee Street, Buford GA 30518) with Rev. Phillip Underwood officiating. Graveside Service will be at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, February 7, 2026, at Brooks Memorial Cemetery (147 Price Road, Brooks, GA). The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday, February 6, 2026, from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to your favorite charity or cause.

We love you, Papa. Until we meet again.

Cemetery Details

Brooks Memorial Cemetery

147 Price Road
Brooks, GA

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Flanigan Funeral Home
4400 South Lee Street
Buford, GA 30518

Funeral Service

FEB 7. 11:00 AM.

Chapel of Flanigan Funeral Home

Graveside Service

FEB 7. 2:30 PM (ET)

Brooks Memorial Cemetery
147 Price Road
Brooks, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Flanigan Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Owen Wayne Underwood*



Flanigan Funeral Home - February 03 at 12:58 PM

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Sorry to hear about Wayne. His ex sister in law, Theresa

Theresa Sullivan - February 22 at 08:29 PM

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“ *Wayne would take me to work with him when I was 13 years old. Also fishing a few times. Many fond memories. Love. Wayne Elton cousin.*

Wayne Marion Elton - February 03 at 07:15 PM