



Mr. Billy Hendrix

August 21, 1953 - April 13, 2025

Mr. Billy Hendrix, 71, of Sylvester, died on Sunday, April 13, 2025, at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital.

The funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, April 16, 2025, at Salem Baptist Church, interment will follow in the Salem Baptist Church Cemetery. The Rev. Danny Story and Rev. Nick Arbogast will officiate.

Mr. Hendrix was born on August 21, 1953 in Duluth, Georgia, to the late Billy R. and Betty Daniel Hendrix. He was raised in Toccoa, and was a 1971 graduate of Toccoa High School, and a 1975 graduate of Georgia Southern University with an engineering degree. He married Mrs. Beverly Champion in 1976 and started a 47 year long career in the engineering field. Mr. Hendrix worked at Landus & Smith, Wilkins Industrial in Athens, Riverside Manufacturing in Moultrie, and Fire-Dex in Pelham. Mr. Hendrix enjoyed fishing, and spending with family. He was also a member of Salem Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, Sunday School Teacher, Chairman of the finance committee, and worked the audio and video services at the church.

Survivors include his wife, Beverly Champion Hendrix; daughters, Jennifer Hendrix McDougald (Kelly), Whitney Hendrix; grandchildren, Ben, Kolton, and Brooks; sister, Debbie Hendrix Porterfield (Bill); brother, Keith Hendrix (Laurie); and a host of nieces and nephews including Jim Champion (Mary) and Allison Champion Sumner (Taylor) who always made time to check on their Uncle Billy and who he was very proud of.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, April 16, 2025 at 10:00 AM until funeral hour at Salem Baptist Church.

Donations can be made to the Salem Baptist Church Building Fund c/o Mr. Hank Youngblood at 1715 Red Rock Road Sylvester, Georgia 31791.

Please sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 16. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Salem Baptist Church
902 Jewel Crowe Road
Sylvester, GA 31791

Funeral Service

APR 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

Salem Baptist Church
902 Jewel Crowe Road
Sylvester, GA 31791

Burial

APR 16 (ET)

Salem Baptist Church Cemetery
902 Jewell Crowe Road
Sylvester, GA 31791

Tribute Wall

SW

“ *Sandra Watson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Hendrix*



Sandra Watson - April 26, 2025 at 10:51 PM

LR

“ *I'm sorry to hear of the passing of husband, father and grandfather Billy. Only recently did I learn that he has been sick. Keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers.*
Dice and Lynn Roberts

Lynn Roberts - April 16, 2025 at 08:38 PM

DW

“ *Denise Watson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Hendrix*



Denise Watson - April 16, 2025 at 09:01 AM

DW

“ *Beverly and girls, I'm so sorry to read about Billy's passing. I remember him fondly from Salem Baptist. Sending love and prayers.*
Denise Ruffin Watson

Denise Watson - April 16, 2025 at 09:01 AM

MW

“ Beverly and family,
Prayers for you all during this difficult time.
Mary Ann Welch

MaryAnn Welch - April 14, 2025 at 10:54 PM

JR

“ Beverly, Jennifer and Whitney,
The Rayfield family sends our deepest condolences. Billy was such
a great man. He will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with
you during this difficult time.

John, Kelly, Karley & Kendall Rayfield

John Rayfield - April 14, 2025 at 09:26 PM

HS

“ Thinking of you all and sending prayers

Jared, Heather, Lily and Gunner Sherrard

Heather Sherrard - April 14, 2025 at 09:08 PM

LS

“ Prayers for Billy's family. God be with Billy's family and friends as
they go through this difficult time. Billy was a friendly man, enjoyed
working with him at Riverside.

Lanell Causey Schramm - April 14, 2025 at 07:45 PM

JM

“ Beverly and family, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. Love and
prayers from our family to you and your family.

Judy Stripling Martin - April 14, 2025 at 07:28 PM

KS

“ I worked with Billy for years. Enjoyed him being my plant manager.
Rest in peace

Katie Samples - April 14, 2025 at 07:26 PM

EC

“ Beverly, Jennifer and Whitney, I am so sorry.
Please know my prayers are with you all!
Bully was such a sweet soul. God bless you
all!



Evelyn Fletcher Castleberry - April 14, 2025 at 05:47 PM

MH

“ Mack And Mary Houston lit a candle in
memory of Mr. Billy Hendrix



Mack and Mary Houston - April 14, 2025 at 05:08 PM



“ Lit a candle 🕯️ in Remembrance



Elena Taylor - April 14, 2025 at 04:31 PM

MM

“ *Martha L McMickin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Hendrix*



Martha L McMickin - April 14, 2025 at 01:30 PM

GS

“ *Gerry Sutton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Hendrix*



Gerry Sutton - April 14, 2025 at 01:21 PM

SW

Beverly, I am thinking of you and keeping you and your family in my prayers!

Sandra Watson - April 14, 2025 at 02:46 PM

AB

Beverly Perry and I are praying for you and family! Our thoughts, prayers and love is with y'all. We are so sorry for your loss!

Audrey Bruner - April 14, 2025 at 06:37 PM

DD

Sorry for your loss

Dianne Douthit - April 18, 2025 at 01:35 PM

AC

loved you so much

austin champion - November 06, 2025 at 06:48 PM