



## Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.

December 21, 1938 - December 23, 2021

Mr. Grady D. Connell, Sr., 83, of Sumner, died on Thursday, December 23, 2021 at Phoebe Worth Medical Center.

The funeral service will be held at 2:00 PM on Sunday, December 26, 2021 at Banks Funeral Home Chapel, interment will follow in the Shingler Cemetery.

The Rev. Jeff Connell, and Rev. Donnie Duncan will officiate.

Mr. Connell was born on December 21, 1938 in Meridian, MS., to the late Robert Jefferson and Catherine Snowden Connell. He had lived in Worth County for the past 60 years and was a veteran having served in the United States Marines Corps. Mr. Connell was retired from the Marine Corps Logistics Base in Albany where he worked as a supply clerk. He enjoyed camping, the outdoors but most importantly spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. Mr. Connell was a member of the First Baptist Church of Sylvester.

Survivors include his wife, Barbara Connell of Sumner; sons, Danny Connell (Darlene) and Jeff Connell (Kim); grandchildren, Cody Connell (Heather), Kevin Connell, Kirby Connell, Kristina Brunson (Nathan), Catherine Wagster (Ashley), and Cara Connell; great grandchildren, Scout Connell, Sunni Connell and Katy Brunson; siblings, Bob Connell (Ruby) and Kathleen (John). In addition to his parents, Mr. Connell was preceded in death by his brother, Delmar Lynn McCrary.

The family will receive friends on Sunday from 1:00 PM until the service hour at Banks Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Margaret Jones Public Library, 205 Pope Street, Sylvester, GA 31791 or to the First Baptist Church of Sylvester, P.O. Box 309, Sylvester, GA 31791.

Please sign our online guest registry at [www.banksfh.com](http://www.banksfh.com).

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Shingler Cemetery

303 North Road  
Poulan, GA 31781

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **26**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Banks Funeral Home  
PO Box 550  
210 N. Main Street  
Sylvester, GA 31791  
(229) 776-2055  
banksfh@yahoo.com  
<http://banks.funeralplan2.com/>

## Funeral Service

DEC **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

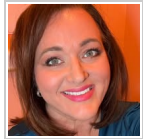
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *Kristy Carberry lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



**Kristy Carberry** - December 28, 2021 at 12:20 AM



“ *May God bless the Connell family! I'm sorry for your loss.*

**Kim Culpepper Tison** - December 27, 2021 at 03:41 PM



“ *Bonnie Potts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



**Bonnie Potts** - December 26, 2021 at 05:49 PM



“ *Barbara and family, we are sorry to hear of Grady's passing. We send our love and prayers.*

**Judy and Mack Sutton** - December 24, 2021 at 07:18 PM

DB

“ *Deborah Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



Deborah Brown - December 24, 2021 at 02:38 PM

DB

*Quiet, Gentle, and loved his chair and watching sports on the TV. God's peace and comfort to you, Ms. Barbara, Danny, Jeff, and the whole family.*

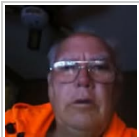
Deborah Brown - December 24, 2021 at 02:39 PM



“ *Charles Potts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



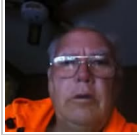
Charles Potts - December 24, 2021 at 02:15 PM



“ *Charles Potts sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



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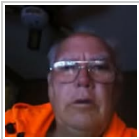


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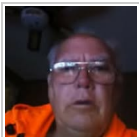


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“ *Culmer & Diane Tanner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



**Culmer & Diane Tanner** - December 24, 2021 at 12:13 PM



“ *Janice Carter sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.*



**Janice Carter** - December 24, 2021 at 11:12 AM



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“ I am so very sorry to hear of the passing of Grady. I know he is now healed and rejoicing in Heaven.  
Barbara, my thoughts and prayers are with you and the entire family. Love and peace to you. ❤️🙏

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**Janice Carter** - December 24, 2021 at 11:09 AM

JS

“ Jeff and family. Sending our love and hugs. Heaven gained a special Saint. Hold on to the memories ! Sam and Jaynell Slagle

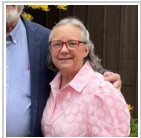
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**Jaynell Slagle** - December 24, 2021 at 09:11 AM

CH

“ Charlotte Souter Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Grady Daniel Connell Sr.



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**Charlotte Souter Hall** - December 23, 2021 at 09:59 PM



“ I remember Mr. Grady driving a group of Ms. Barbara's business students to Valdosta in their RV in 1976 for some sort of competition. He was very patient with all of us talkative girls! My memory is somewhat fuzzy on what sort of competition it was, but the memory of our day spent with the two of them in that RV is vivid. Something I remember so fondly.  
And in the past few years, it has been such a joy to spend time with them again at FBC. Tommy and I are sending much love and prayers for peace to all of the Connell family, but especially to Ms. Barbara. We love you!

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**Kathy Jones** - December 23, 2021 at 07:05 PM

JC

“ Jerry and I are so sorry to hear of Mr. Grady passing. Praying for you and the family.



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**June Coker** - December 23, 2021 at 03:43 PM

EC

“ Too many memories to mention. Grady did baptize me many years ago at Terrell Baptist Church. A very special day for me with a special person. He will be truly missed. He loved his family. Barbara, Danny, Jeff and families, I send my deepest condolences and prayers for all you. Hugs and love to each of you!



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**Evelyn Fletcher Castleberry** - December 23, 2021 at 09:42 AM