



## Kenneth Scott Karvonen

November 14, 1966 - June 3, 2026

Mr. Kenneth Scott Karvonen, 59, of Tifton, died on Wednesday, June 3, 2026 at his residence .

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM on Monday, June 8, 2026 at Northside Baptist Church with the Reverend Jodie Jordan officiating. Interment will follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery.

Mr. Karvonen was born on November 14, 1966, in North Kingston, Rhode Island to the late Kenneth A. and Dottie Whalen Karvonen. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and all other outdoor activities. Mr. Karvonen considered "tinkering" an official hobby and loved to work on almost anything. He loved his family dearly and considered them his greatest treasure.

Survivors include his beloved wife, Angela Rigsby Karvonen; children, Kayla Harrelson (Shane), Anna Hancock (Brett), Whitney Kimbrell (Alex), Taylor Karvonen, and Tucker Karvonen; grandchildren, Kylie Rylee O'Grady, Aaden O'Grady, Jordan Hancock, Travis Hancock, Charley Kate Kimbrell, Tate Kimbrell, and Adley Karvonen; sisters, Ruth Karvonen and Lisa Karvonen; father-in-law, Jackie Rigsby; brother-in-law, Keith Rigsby; fur babies, Marley and Duke; along with a host of extended family members and friends.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Karvonen was preceded in death by a daughter, Chelsea Karvonen; his mother-in-law, Mary Rigsby; and sister-in-law, Rhonda Rigsby.

The family will received friends on Monday from 10:00 AM until the Service Hour at Northside Baptist Church.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

# Upcoming Events

## Visitation

JUN 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Northside Baptist Church  
506 North Westberry St.  
Sylvester, GA 31791

## Funeral Service

JUN 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Burial

JUN 8 (ET)

Hillcrest Cemetery  
701 S. Isabella Street  
Sylvester, GA 31791

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Culmer Tanner lit a candle in memory of  
Kenneth Scott Karvonen* ”



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