



Michael "Mickey" H. Redfern

January 10, 1937 - August 31, 2017

Michael "Mickey" H. Redfern, age 80, of Smyrna, Georgia passed away, Thursday, August 31, 2017 surrounded by his loving family. A Memorial Service will be held at 11 am on Friday, September 8th at Mayes Ward-Dobbins Macland Chapel with Pastor T.P. Johnston and Pastor Jimmy Stallard officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

Mickey is preceded in death by his parents: Lester and Olivia Redfern and is survived by his wife of 61 years, Ann Redfern of Smyrna; children: Mike (Linda) Redfern of Hiram, Brett (Gina) Redfern of Douglasville, Melanie (Tim) Buchanan of Cartersville and Mark (Kelli) Redfern of Loganville. He was Granddaddy to Drew, Lindsey, Jordan, Matthew, Brandon, Tyler, Preston, Tristan, Morgan, Donovan, Austin and Great Granddaddy to Vedah, Bralynn, Hudson, Jack and one on the way!

Mickey loved the Lord and his family with his whole heart. He was a true outdoorsman. He enjoyed Skeet Shooting and was a Champion Skeet Shooter as well as a small plane pilot. He enjoyed motorcycles, dirt bikes and woodworking. He built much of the furniture in his home.

The family wishes to acknowledge and thank the wonderful, caring staff at WellStar Tranquility Hospice, especially Charles Hinely, RN for his compassion and help during Mickey's stay with them. They also are so grateful for Cobb County Fire Station No. 4 for their attentiveness and help these last few months.

In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests that donations be made to Ann Redfern to help her in the coming days. <https://dm2.gofund.me/michael-mickey-ann-redfern>

Events

SEP **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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Mayes Ward-Dobbins Macland Chapel
3940 Macland Road, Powder Springs, GA, US, 30127

SEP **Memorial Service** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ A webcast video has been added.



Mayes Ward-Dobbins Funeral Home - September 08, 2017 at 09:13 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael "Mickey" H. Redfern.



September 07, 2017 at 11:10 AM



“ Mickey married my sister Anne when I was a teenager. He embraced our family and especially me. Mickey spent countless hours and days with me as we enjoyed the pursuit of all things related to guns and ammo. I remember the little shed he constructed as his first loading room on Starlight Dr. I remember him taking time to teach my best friend Terry Otwell and me how to melt lead then cast bullets along with an occasional lesson to be learned about molten lead burning deep in the flesh of our hands.

Mickey became my big brother and set an example of how to be a man's man. He shared our lives, dreams, hurts and fears. He set the example of integrity, honesty, and diligence for us. He did it with warmth and love.

He taught me to ride a motor cycle then showed me how to ride one in an ice storm! It was a slip & slide ride, and, he let me use his motorcycle to do it!

Mickey shared and gave to all who surrounded him. He was a southern gentleman and a man's man. After all these years I cannot remember any bad behavior, raging anger, selfishness or self centered attitudes. Mickey was willing to teach and hang out with this one time skinny kid and I thank God for it.

Mickey was a man of integrity. He reared me to act with integrity. I don't think God could have given me any better mentors than Mickey and Ann during my teens and 20's. I truly believe it was their influence that enabled me to achieve the success I've enjoyed in my business and family life.

Praise God for Ann & Mickey Redfern.

Jim Seibert

Jim Seibert, Ann's brother - September 01, 2017 at 10:12 PM



“ I didn't know the man, but I do know his son. He must have been a good dad. Brett grew up to be an awesome man who loves the Lord. Loves his wife and helped raise 4 very nice and handsome men. That is our legacy...that we live out life out in love. At the end, nothing else matters except Jesus and love. I am so sorry for your loss. I have been there and I know how hard it is. We love you Redferns!!!! Love and friends forever....The Sivadons

TINA SIVADON - September 01, 2017 at 09:39 PM



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“ Judy and I had the most wonderful relationship with Ann and Mickey, we camped all over the state. Always playing pranks on each other. Every time Mickey went it rained' Before sunrise one morning I put about a dozen umbrellas out, open around his camper. The sign read "Umbrellas for sale, it is guaranteed to rain Mickey is here" Mickey placed on my camper a large sign

"Be careful this is a terrible backer upper. of course I had backed into a tree. We were in South Georgia Mickey heard a owl in the distance. it sounded like "Who cooks for you" Mickey started calling that Owl, the largest, huge owl landed in a tree just beside us. The many days and nights we had together sitting around camp fires, lying to each other. I will remember these special times, praying with each other. He knew more about hunting and guns than any one. He was my brother.

Jerry Slate

Jerry Slate - September 04, 2017 at 11:05 AM