



## Mr. Gary Kelly Nelson

August 4, 1947 - March 7, 2024

Mr. Gary Kelly Nelson, age 76 died March 7, 2024, at his residence in Athens, Georgia. He was born in Savannah, Georgia to the late Willie Nelson and Viola Wilkerson Nelson. He was educated in the local schools and attended Sophronia Tompkins High School. He worked several jobs in Clarke County.

In addition to his parents, Gary is preceded in death by three brothers, Nathaniel Bings, Sr., Willie Nelson, Jr., Ronald Nelson; two sisters, Mona Leatha Nelson, Kayola Nelson McGill.

Surviving are: sisters, Mary Lee Nelson Hardy (Donikle, Sr.) and Patricia Ann Nelson Gary (Antione) both of Savannah; two brothers, Joseph Nelson of Brunswick and Lacey Nelson of Savannah; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relative and friends.

# Previous Events

## Service

MAR 30. 2:30 PM (ET)

Sexton- Hall Funeral Home  
5 Birkenhead Road  
(21 South Coastal Highway)  
Port Wentworth, GA 31407  
(912) 964-4336  
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# Tribute Wall

VH

“ Sending healing, prayers and comforting hugs to the family.I am so sorry for your loss.

Vanessa Hardy-Nelson - March 30, 2024 at 08:46 AM

CB

“ May God Comfort you'all.  
Offering my deepest condolences to everyone affected by Gary's passing.

Clarence (cp) Bryant - March 29, 2024 at 09:37 PM

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“ Daran Jones,Thurshman Griffin & Family purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Mr. Gary Kelly Nelson.



Daran Jones,Thurshman Griffin & Family - March 27, 2024 at 05:59 PM

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“ Daran Jones,Thurshman Griffin & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Gary Kelly Nelson.

Daran Jones,Thurshman Griffin & Family - March 27, 2024 at 05:59 PM

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“ Condolences to the Nelson Family. May God comfort you all at this time.

Pamela Adams - March 26, 2024 at 09:59 AM