



Bill Mashburn Obituary

Bill Mashburn, 52, of Albany, died Saturday, June 4, 2005. A native of Rome, GA, he attended schools in Canton, GA, and graduated from Cherokee High School. He attended Kennesaw Junior College (now Kennesaw State University), and graduated from Auburn University "the greatest university in Alabama." Mr. Mashburn received his Executive MBA from Georgia State University. He has been employed with the Georgia Power Co. for 32 years, and he is the current hydro manager at Plant Mitchell. Mr. Mashburn was a member of Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church, Pine Forest Racquet Club, and the Dougherty Rotary Club. Survivors include his wife: Lynn Mashburn, Albany; 2 daughters: Pam Bowlan and her husband John, Atlanta, Kathy Mashburn, Albany; his mother: Kathryn Mashburn, Canton, GA; a brother: Sammy Mashburn, Cumming, GA; his mother-in-law: Kay Seymour, Albany; several nieces and nephews. Those desiring may send memorials to the American Heart Association, Dougherty County Division, P.O. Box 1923, Albany, GA 31702, or to the American Cancer Society, Dougherty/Lee Unit, P.O. Box 1201, Albany, GA 31702.

Tribute Wall



“ *Bill Mashburn Obituary*

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“ *she was a very special person . and everybody love her. she was so sweet . everybody call her mom . and i really going to miss her real bad.*

judy waterman - May 26, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about Bill. I was on vacation last week and just found out. Bill was a great guy and will be truly missed by employees at GPC. My God Bless you and your family.*

Gene Dettmering - June 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. I'm sorry I missed the ceremony. Bill was an excellent human being which I cared a great deal for. He will forever be missed.*

Andrea Revills - June 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kathy,
This is Amanda-you helped me with tennis a few years back. My mom told me about your dad and I just wanted to tell you that I am very soory. My heart is with you and you and our prayers are with you and your family during this loss.
Lots of love, Amanda Mears*

Amanda Mears - June 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Lynn, all of our family are thinking of you in your time of grief. We will see you soon.

Dud, Alex Sarah, Meghan and Lillie

Dudley Wier - June 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Lynn and family,
Chris and I were deeply saddened when we heard about Bill on Monday. You have been on my mind continuously since then. Please know that we are praying for you all God is in control and He will help you during the coming months. We love you and want you to call us for anything. In His Name, Sally Warren Anderson <><

Sally and Chris Anderson - June 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BI

“ I'm blessed to have had the opportunity to know Bill, work some with him, and even play tennis with him. He brought pleasure to God by working hard and living life to its fullest. I also admired the value he placed in his roots, as he noted with pride that he was from Canton, Ga., and still had family there. As another avid tennis player, Bill invited me to come to Albany and play against him sometime. I never made it, but now I'm looking forward to playing our match in heaven. Sincerely,

Barry Inman

Barry Inman - June 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Bill Mashburn was my young first cousin. I remember we played hide and seek at Aunt Leo's house.

Malinda Phillips - June 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Lynn I am so sorry about Bill. I am at the beach this week and will come by to see you when I get home. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers everyday!!!! I am so sorry for your loss.
Susan

susan geeslin - June 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ On behalf of the Board of Directors and Staff of the United Way of Southwest Georgia, I wish to offer our sincere condolences to the family of Bill Mashburn on his untimely passing. Bill was a longtime United Way board member, active volunteer, and major contributor. He was also a personal friend and I will miss him.

Wayne Mehearg - June 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ Our sympathy and concerns are with you and Bill's family at this time.

Garland and Hollis White - June 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ Bill was my boss at Plant Yates and was a pleasure to work with. He will be missed by all who knew him. My deepest sympathy to his family.

Fred McCarley - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Bill was one of the finest gentlemen I have known in my 24 year career at Southern Company. A consummate professional, an inspirational leader who made people WANT to follow him. Bill was so kind to me when I first met him after I came to Southern back in 81. I was nervous and unfamiliar with coal-fired power plant environment, but had been called out for a site visit anyway. I will just never, ever forget how reassuring he was, and how comfortable he made me feel. It meant the world to me, personally and professionally.

Goodbye and Godspeed, Bill. May God bless and comfort you, his dear family.

Joe Dawsey - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ Lynn, Our love, thoughts, and prayers go out to all of you during this sad time. We remember the party in honor of your marriage at our house and the happiness you and Bill shared with your friends. We will all cherish these special memories. God bless you. Linda and Don

Don and Linda Parton - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Met Bill a few yrs ago at Plant Mitchell. Seemed to have a great personality. Sorry for you're lose

Tommy Harrell - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ We were so shocked and so sorry to find bill's obituary in the paper today. I called both girls, and we reminisced about what a great role model he has always been for both of them. We love the girls, Lynn, and wish this had not had to happen to you and to them. Please give hugs from Cami and Mallory to Pam and Kathy.

Coni and Rick Grebel - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ Will sincerely miss Bill. Enjoyed playing tennis with him on league and for fun. My sincere condolences to his family.

Richard J. Russell - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ I worked with Bill at Plant Scherer for several years. I liked Bill and am truly sorry to hear of his passing. I will keep the family in my thoughts and prayers.

John Walker - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ So sad to hear of my friend's passing. As a fellow employee, I was always impressed with his demeanor and knowledge of his work assignment.

Speaking on behalf of the Georgia Power Ambassadors, I want all to know he supported the local chapter in Albany in an impressive manner and was loved by all who came to know him.

My prayers are with the family and I am so sorry for your loss.

Ken Gillespie - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *Bill is the finest example of what a father, a husband, a leader, and a friend should be. He always had a kind word for everyone and had this ability to see the good in every person and situation. His guidance and support were an asset to me when I started with Georgia Power. The heavens have recruited one of the best. My deepest sympathy and all my prayers go out to Lynn, Pam, and Kathy. God speed, Bill. You will be missed everyday.*

Crystal Stephens

Crystal Stephens - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *I am retired from Georgia Power/Southern Company, and knew Bill for many years. I am so sorry to hear of your loss.*

Joe Mobley

Joe and Tondra Mobley - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ *To the family of Bill;*

Please accept my heartfelt condolences on behalf of my family and I. I had worked with Bill while he was at Plant Yates and Mitchell. I always had a respect and appreciation for him. He will be sincerely missed.

Warmest Regards,
Gerry Klemm

Gerry Klemm - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Lynn, Pam and Kathy, I am so sorry for your loss. I was in disbelief when I confirmed the news with Mona this morning. Bill was truly a great man, and one of the most wonderful fathers that I have ever been blessed to know. Pam and Kathy, he loved you girls so much and wasn't embarrassed to show his deep love for you. Lynn, I am so sorry for the pain you are feeling. You brought such happiness into Bill's life. Please accept my heartfelt sympathy, my prayers are with you all. Brenda

Brenda Cameron - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Bill was a great guy, he will be sorely missed by Georgia Power and the Georgia Power Retirees in the Albany area. Our prayers are with the entire family.

*Bobby Wilson
State Director
Georgia Power Ambassadors*

Bobby Wilson - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ I have worked with Bill for the past 25 years. He was a trusted co-worker and a friend. May our LORD comfort you during these times.

Don Rhodes - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

HO

“ I am thinking and praying for you all. Bill was a wonderful person.

Hannah and Dave Orlowski - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Lynn, Even though I never had the chance to meet you, I heard of you and the girls often when I worked in Albany and was at the plant in Bill's office. I work for Southern Company and have been Bill's HR support for the last 3 years until this past March. I would always look at the pictures in his office and would share some story with me about you guys. Bill was such a nice person and really good to work with. He will be missed at Southern Company and GPC. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you all. Kim Brown, Southern Company, HR

Kim Brown - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ I first met Bill on the tennis court, and the last time I saw Bill was on the tennis court. We had many enjoyable times together playing tennis each Monday evening. To me, Bill was the All-American boy, and my life has been enriched by our relationship, both on and off the tennis court. Bill Mills

Bill Mills - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ I shall miss conversations with a fellow Auburn engineer.

WAR EAGLE!!!!

Tommy Hilliard - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ Lynn,
I am thinking about you and the family and will keep you all in my prayers.

*Sincerely,
Linda Cauley*

Linda Cauley - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *With our deepest sympathy. Bill was really fine man and co-worker. We'll miss him.*

Johnnie Carroll - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *How does one put in the words the deep emptiness we all feel and will continue to feel standing in the Pineforest clubhouse or on the clay courts without Bill. His bright smile always speaking and having a pleasant word to say - his funny nicknames for his fellow teammates changing a little of the first or last name, his teasing, his laughter, and he and Lynn kissing after every match they played, even on round robin days when winning didn't really count. He possessed a zest for life and having fun no matter where he was. Lynn, it was just a few weeks ago while our ladies' team was in Rome you retold the story of how you met, became engaged, had anxiety about Bill accepting your dogs, and your wedding proposal and marriage. The happiness ya'll possessed was evident for all to see - Bill was a truly great person and will be greatly missed. My prayers are with you.*

Lisa

Lisa Robinson - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ We knew Bill when he work in Macon. He was a sweet person. We well miss him as much as you. Bill an Donna Hurst

Bill & Donna Hurst - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Please accept our heartfelt sympathy. Alan and I are both retired GPC employees. YOu and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. In Christian Love and Concern, The Moore Family/Moultrie, Ga.

Alan and Susan Moore - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

W(

“ I knew Bill for about 25 years.

My thoughts and Prayers go out to his family.

William C Ambrose (Bill) - June 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ My family and I send heartfelt condolences. Bill was special to our family, especially to my parents who enjoyed watching him begin his career and his family in Macon, Georgia. They were so proud of him and enjoyed spending time with him and his young family. Just last month Bill traveled to Macon for my mother's funeral. He was a loving and caring family member. We will miss him.

As a former employee, I join the many Georgia Power employees who will also miss Bill.

Mary Goss Hughes - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Bill was such a nice person who always had a kind word for everyone. I will miss seeing him on the tennis courts.

Mark Dukes

Mark Dukes - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Bill was a longtime family friend.

Tommy & Patty Anderson Mann - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ To the Masburn Family,
Bill was a good friend and a GREAT manager to work for, he will be missed by all that knew him. Bill loved his family and spoke often of his girls and how proud he was of them. I take comfort in knowing I will see him again one day. I pray you have the same assurance. Know that my thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

*Sincerely,
Grant Parkman*

Grant Parkman - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ Kathy, I wanted to tell you that my heart goes out to you & Pam...my dad died when I was 16, so I know the heartache of losing a parent at a young age. You will always hold a special place in my heart & I ask God to bless you & your family! Know that I love you & your Heavenly Father is with you ALWAYS!! If there is anything I can do for you, please call me!
Love in Christ,
Ginger Ewing Parkman

Ginger Ewing Parkman - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ Lynn, Kathy, Pam...I know Bill was loved & will be missed by his family, friends & all who knew him. Please know that you are in my thoughts & prayers.

Ginger Ewing Parkman - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Kathy, just wanted you to know how much I feel for you right now. It is so surreal to me because I just saw you Friday night with no idea things would change for you so quickly. I know you and your father were very close and you will miss him dearly. However, keep strong in your faith and remember... To be absent from the body, is to be present with the lord! I know you also have the peace that your dad was Saved and knew the Lord. If you need me for anything, just call me. I love you! Brandi

Brandi Ewing Folmar - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ With great sadness but with many fond memories, we send our sympathy to Katherine and to all of Bill's family.

Julia and Cecil Baldwin - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Lynn,
*I am so very sorry for your loss. Bill was such a NICE person,
ALWAYS speaking to you whenever you passed him on the tennis
courts.... I will miss him!!!! Randy Barnes*

Randy Barnes - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *We will alway miss Little Bill. His cousins have many wonderful
memories of grewing up with this wonderful man. Now he will be our
Angel in Heaven with our Aunta and Uncles. Bill, Give them all a
hug from us.*

Your Favorite cousin, Jan

Jan Mashburn Rusin - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Lynn
*I was so shocked and saddened to hear of the loss of a good friend.
I know he has gone to be with our Lord. I wish I would have hugged
him the last time I saw him, And told him I loved him. God bless you
all.*

Tom Cox - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Lynn, Kathy and Pam,

*I am so sorry for your loss. As children we cousins were very close
and we will miss him very much*

Dale and Dora Mashburn Gagnon

Dora Gagnon - June 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM