



Edward "Ed" Ivey

July 10, 1938 - August 12, 2025

Edward H. Ivey, age 87, of Albany, GA, died peacefully on Tuesday, August 12, 2025 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital surrounded by his family.

Funeral Services will be held at 3 pm on Friday, August 15, 2025 at Gillionville Baptist Church, 4614 Gillionville Rd, Albany, GA 31721. Visitation will be from 1-3 pm the same day. Pastor Chad Ellis and Pastor Keith Ivey will officiate. Interment will follow at Crown Hill Cemetery. Gifts can be made to Gillionville Baptist Church at www.gillionville.org.

Mr. Ivey is preceded in death by his parents, George and Mildred Ivey, and his brother Bill. Surviving family members include his wife of almost 64 years, Jamye Aultman Ivey; their children Jim Ivey (Angie), Keith Ivey (Amy), Maura Hall (David), and George Ivey (Lily); eleven grandchildren; and siblings Clint Ivey, Annice Causey, and Janice Williams.

Ed was born on July 10, 1938 in Worth County, GA on his parents' farm. He attended the University of Georgia School of Pharmacy while working three jobs and graduated on August 17, 1961. He married the love of his life, Jamye Aultman, on August 27, 1961. Together they raised four children and created many beautiful memories including trips to the beach, fourth of July barbecues and Thanksgiving at the farm. Ed was the owner and pharmacist of Ivey Drug Company on Monroe Street across from Phoebe Putney Hospital from 1966

to 1976. He was generous to those in need who came to his store and saw his work as his ministry to others. Ed went on to work at several drug stores in Albany until he retired at the age of 70. He loved his career as a pharmacist and the communities he served.

Ed was an ordained deacon at Gillionville Baptist Church and sang in the choir with his resonating bass voice. He enjoyed wood working, surf fishing at St. George Island, watching Georgia Bulldog football, a good book, and visiting with his grandchildren. Ed was a devoted husband, father and grandfather. He was generous to a fault, not hesitating to help whenever any one of his children or grandchildren had a need. He had a great sense of humor and liked to tease those he loved. He was fiercely loyal and protective of his wife, Jamye, and they shared a rich life together.

Cemetery Details

Crown Hill Cemetery

1907 Dawson Rd.
Albany, GA 31707

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 15. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Gillionville Baptist Church
4614 Gillionville Road
Albany, GA 31721

Funeral Service

AUG 15. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Albany, GA 31721

Tribute Wall

SF

“ *Sheriff Eddie and Tinisha Fairbanks Sherwood Baptist Church Chaplain*

Sheriff Eddie Fairbanks - September 16, 2025 at 10:13 PM



“ *Deepest Sympathy and Prayers for the Ivy Family .*



Freddie Nation - August 22, 2025 at 01:12 AM

LH

“ *Leslie Hartog planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward "Ed" Ivey.*

Leslie Hartog - August 15, 2025 at 04:04 PM

LH

“ *Leslie Hartog purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Edward "Ed" Ivey.*



Leslie Hartog - August 15, 2025 at 04:04 PM

BC

“ *Barbara Pippin, Colleen and Chip purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Edward "Ed" Ivey.*



Barbara Pippin, Colleen and Chip - August 15, 2025 at 02:20 PM

CB

“ *I am so so sorry Ms. Jayme! Praying for comfort during this time of pain and grief! All my love, Christina Beaty (Robbin Mitchell's daughter)*

Christina Beaty - August 14, 2025 at 04:09 PM

PM

“ *Dear Jayme and family: It was with sadness that I received word that Ed had died. He was such a good man, Jayme, and he was a blessing to all his patients every day that he held the pharmacist position. I know Ed loved his family and I am so touched that Keith will be part of his service tomorrow. I am so sorry but I have a closing at 4:00 tomorrow and my seller lives in North Carolina and will not be present for the closing. I will be there in spirit and love, and will be praying for peace for you and your sweet family as you all walk through these tough days ahead. Love you!!*

Patsy Martin - August 14, 2025 at 03:43 PM

HW

“ Dear Jamye, Twila and I send our deep sorrow in the passing of ED. I knew him since my early teen years and spending time also with Billy. Ed was so kind to me when I called on him at the drug store by Phoebe, which started in 1980. Pray God's comfort and peace on the days ahead. God Bless

Harvey Willis - August 14, 2025 at 01:25 PM

TH

“ Teri and I are praying for Jamey and family. Ed was always a friend and gentleman to all of us may the Lord bless and comfort each one of you. In His love, Tony and Teri Haefs

Tony Haefs - August 14, 2025 at 01:24 PM

AF

“ Archbold Pharmacy Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Edward "Ed" Ivey.



Archbold Pharmacy Family - August 14, 2025 at 11:14 AM

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“ Archbold Pharmacy Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward "Ed" Ivey.

Archbold Pharmacy Family - August 14, 2025 at 11:14 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Edward "Ed" Ivey.



August 14, 2025 at 10:48 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Edward "Ed" Ivey.

August 14, 2025 at 10:48 AM



“ I had been going to GBC for several months before I figured out Ed's sister, Annis had married my first cousin Tommy so immediately Ed looked at me as family. He was in my SS class and until recent years was always in his row. I loved sitting with he and Jamye at the table on Wednesday night supper. Ed had a quick wit and just as quick a laugh that rolled into a good belly laugh. I loved Ed.

Donna Wilkinson - August 14, 2025 at 12:37 AM



“ From Judy and Andy Hoxie purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Edward "Ed" Ivey.



From Judy and Andy Hoxie - August 13, 2025 at 03:58 PM

FH

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