



## Franklin Tyson

March 7, 1931 - October 25, 2021

Franklin Tyson, 90, of Albany, died Monday, October 25, 2021.

His funeral service will be at 3 PM on Thursday, October 28, 2021 at Kimbrell-Stern with a private, family only interment to follow. Lance Walker will officiate. The family will receive friends prior to the service on Thursday at Kimbrell-Stern beginning at 2 PM until the funeral hour.

Mr. Tyson was born in Nashville, GA and had lived in Albany since 1955. He worked as Parts Department Manager at Lilliston Implement Corp./Bush Hog for 38 years. He was a Navy veteran and was stationed at Port Hueneme, CA. Mr. Tyson was a former member of the Flint River Sportsman Club. His favorite hobby was fishing. He enjoyed hosting fish fries for his family, and he enjoyed smoking turkeys for them at Thanksgiving and Christmas. He was a NASCAR fan. He was preceded in death by his wife, Patricia Casey Tyson.

Mr. Tyson is survived by his daughter: Linda Walker (Glenn), Albany; 2 sons: Casey Tyson, Albany, Phil Tyson (Stephanie), Albany; 5 grandchildren: Reese Walker (Angie), Macon, Lance Walker (Brooke), Atlanta, Grant Walker (Callie), Albany, James Tyson (Kelsie), Athens, Joyner Freeman (Chandler), Canton, GA; 7 great grandchildren: Elizabeth, Tyson, Campbell, Caleb, Cory, Charlotte, and Lanier Walker.

The family expresses thanks to their special caregiver, Kwajalein Guest, as

well as to the Phoenix at Albany staff.

Those desiring may send memorials to the Flint RiverKeeper, Inc., 102 Pine Ave., Albany, GA 31701.

You may sign the online guestbook at [www.kimbrellstern.com](http://www.kimbrellstern.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 28. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

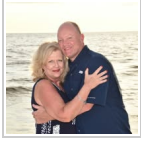
Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors  
1503 Dawson Rd.  
Albany, GA 31707

## Funeral Service

OCT 28. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ We are so sorry to hear about Mr. Tyson. Casey I know you took good care of him while he was at home. Phil I know you and Stephanie were a big part of his care too. It's so hard to lose your parents. Our prayers have been and will continue to be with the entire Tyson family.  
Wayne and Mary Kaye Jordan

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**Mary Kaye Waldal Jordan** - October 30, 2021 at 03:32 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Franklin Tyson.



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October 28, 2021 at 09:09 AM



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October 27, 2021 at 08:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Franklin Tyson.*



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October 26, 2021 at 09:13 PM



“ *Merinda & Mike Wetherington purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Franklin Tyson.*



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**Merinda & Mike Wetherington** - October 26, 2021 at 02:04 PM



“ *Casey and family I am sorry to hear about your father. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Melissa Norman Watson** - October 26, 2021 at 01:47 PM



“ *We will always cherish the memories of Papa with many others from all the sports and activities during our wonderful and fun Deerfield days. He will be missed! Papa was well loved and a pure joy to be around. Many thoughts and daily prayers for the Tyson family during your time of grief.*

*With love,*

*Bubba, Cathy, Gaughf, Chap & Anna Catherine*

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**Cathy Ivey** - October 26, 2021 at 12:45 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Franklin Tyson.*



October 26, 2021 at 03:12 AM



“ *My father, Bill Hambley , worked at Lilliston for many years. I worked in the Parts Dept two summers during college. It was a fun group and I'm so glad I got to meet and work with Mr. Tyson . Deepest sympathy and love from our family to yours. Debbie Hambley*

**Debbie Hambley** - October 26, 2021 at 12:30 AM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Franklin Tyson.*



October 25, 2021 at 11:29 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Franklin Tyson.*



October 25, 2021 at 04:53 PM