



## George T. Chikas Obituary

July 20, 1939 - October 20, 2009

He was born July 20, 1939, in Voutiro, Evrytania, Greece, the son of the late Tony and Helen Nicopolous Tsiklistas. A partner of The Quickie Restaurant in Albany, Georgia, for many years, he was a member of Holy Mother of God Greek Orthodox Church in Tallahassee, FL. He was a loving husband and father and devoted grandfather. He was passionate about gardening, hunting, and spending time with his grandsons. In addition, he always enjoyed sharing stories from his life experiences with friends and family. George is survived by his wife of 43 years, Dena Chikas of Albany, GA; two daughters, Helen Davis and her husband, Steve, of Leesburg, GA, Sophie Adams and her husband, Mark, of Atlanta, GA; a son, Tony Chikas, of Nashville, TN; two grandchildren William Adams and George Adams both of Atlanta, GA; a sister, Vickie Cortessis of Winston-Salem, NC; and brother, John Tsiklistas of Albany, GA, as well as seven nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents and his brother, James Chicklistas, of Charlotte, NC.

# Tribute Wall



“ George T. Chikas Obituary

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ *I cannot express the loss of such a fantastic person who loved his family deeply. He will always be in the hearts of those who loved him. A part of me has died. It is the part that I will be reunited with when I see him again....and then I will be complete Tha patheno mazi sou...Tha pathenis mazi mou, Agape mou*

lynette - Suffolk, VA - friend - April 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *I just wanted to give you my condolences for the lost of your loved one. We have all lost a loved one in death and during this trivial time it can be very hard to endure. One way that I was able to find comfort was through God's word the Bible. God makes a promise to us that at Revelation 21:4 no more pain, sickness, or death will be anymore. God is not a lie so we know that his promise will come true for all. If you have anymore questions please go to [www.watchtower.org](http://www.watchtower.org) for more information.*

Jamia Meeks - November 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ We were shocked and saddened to hear of George's passing. We did not know until late as we were out of town. Otherwise, we would certainly have been at the visitation and services. One of our favorite recollections is one night at Quickie's old location when George sat in our booth and talked about Greece. He urged us to go there and even suggested we should go while his family was there so we could see the real country and people. That trip was never to be, but we always enjoyed conversations with George, Harry, John and Jimmy over these many years. May God give you peace and comfort at this time. Our thoughts and prayers, Robert and Linda Wells

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**Robert and Linda Wells** - October 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ Helen,  
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Mr. George. I lost my Dad in '05 and know what you are going through. Be strong for your Mother and you all will be in my prayers.

Chuck

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**Chuck Driver** - October 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ George will truly be missed. God's Beautiful City has welcomed another "Fine Citizen"

Dena Topshe Watson - Tifton, GA

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**Dena Topshe** - October 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ George,leon and I met at the Homerun every morning to talk and drink coffee before work. He was always headed to the gym or to walk. He will be missed and I am so sorry he is gone. There are so very few people as good a person as George. I will see him again in Heaven!!!

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**Marty Leverett** - October 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ My condolences to the family. I'm unable to come to the service but i enjoyed the years i worked for George he was a great boss and wonderful friend.(Dullah)

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**Lucille R. Smothers (Dullah)** - October 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ Sophie and Family,  
Please know my thoughts and prayers are with ya'll during this very sad time. God Bless you and your family and may he guide you during this difficult time.

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**Keith Pry** - October 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Someone so special can never be forgotten. We will always miss you ole friend.  
Our Deepest Sympathy  
Leon & Brenda

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**Leon & Brenda** - October 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FH

“ *Our condolences to the family. Having known George through the Quickie for so many years he was always up and cheerful and could brighten the day. Knowing you has been a pleasure George.*

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**Fred & Sally Hunt** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ *Sophie, Helen, Tony, Dena and family, please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. What a wonderful and loving life he had. I am so sorry he is not with us now on Earth, but I know he is celebrating and caring for you in Heaven. He lives on in you and his beloved grandsons, Will and sweet George.*

*We love you,  
Gigi, Chris, Eva and Scarlett Rouland*

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**Gigi Rouland** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *Dear Helen and Steve,*

*Our deepest condolences go out to you and your family. We are sure you have wonderful memories and will always cherish him as a loving father.*

*You and your family are in our prayers,  
Keith and Debbie Houston*

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**Keith and Debbie Houston** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ *We are sorry on George's passing. He was a great guy to be around and a lot of fun. I am sure he loved his family very much. Our deepest condolences.*

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**Larry Valis** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ I just talked to George the first of the week. We both like to hunt! George use to hunt in Shellman,near my house. I would see him at The Backporch Restuarant in Shellman. Our staff at the Backporch will miss him! He will be in our thoughts and prayers! THE BACKPORCH, Stacie D.Stewart.

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**Stacie Duke Stewart** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ THINKING OF THE FAMILY AT THIS TIME.

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**Nancy Reimer** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VN

“ George will always be remembered as my favorite cusin. Shared alot good times with him and alot of good stories. It was a shocking to hear about the loss of George. To the family I love you guys and sorry for your loss and God Bless.

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**Vasilios Papageorgiou of High Point NC** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HK

“ Dearest Dena, Helen, Sophie, and Tony, We are heartbroken and the world is less since George's having passed away. We loved him so much..such a tender and wonderful person. We would so love to be with you. Travelling is prohibitive for Harvey right now for such long distances. We love you all. May God bless you and keep you in his graces. Blessings and Love,  
Harvey and Jane Kotsionis

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**Harvey and Jane Kotsionis** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ We will always cherish the wonderful memories we have of George and remember the wonderful, kind man he was. We were so blessed to have met him when we first married and moved to Albany in the sixties and the Quickie family became part of our extended family over the years...our many years of friendship will always remain close to our hearts. You are all in our thoughts and prayers at this difficult time and our deepest sympathies are with you all.

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**John and Gloria Verenakis** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ To John, Jimmy and George's family,  
All of you became members of everyone's family through the Quickie for all of the years you were there. As members of your family pass on, I'm sorry for the younger people in Albany who will never know the pride all of you had in your business and the love and concern you had for your customers. I'll always miss both George and Harry but will hold tight to Jimmy and John - the last two of your family who made Albany such a pleasant place to live.

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**Milton Robinson** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Helen and Family,  
I am so sorry for your loss and know you will miss him dearly. I will be at work (Dillard's) during the visitation and services but my heart and prayers will be with you and your family.  
Beth Wilkes

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**Beth Wilkes** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ George was one of the nicest people I have ever met. I loved go to the Quickie when he was working because you knew that he would make his rounds and sit at your t able for a few minutes just to see how everything ws going. He will be missed.

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**Angel Bradford** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I will miss you at the gym, you always had something good to talk about and I am sad that you left so soon. Im sure we will meet again so save a spot for me. To your family I am sorry for your loss George always put a smile on my face as he always had one on his. God Bless.

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**Mario Ciavattone** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ Helen and Sophie, I cannot tell you how sorry I am to here of the death of your father. I have very fond memories of him as a child. He was a very good man and I will miss him very much. My heart and prayers go out to you. love,Kelli

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**Kelli Mull Tennison** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WG

“ My prayers are with the family and I am sorry for your loss. George was so gracious to everyone and had a big heart. He was special.

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**Winona Greenway** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM