



Mr. Marcus Anthony Kilgo Obituary

September 20, 1955 - August 2, 2014

Mr. Marcus Anthony Kilgo, 118 Bud Dr., Leesburg, died Saturday, August 2, 2014 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital.

His funeral service will be Tuesday 5 PM at Kimbrell-Stern. The family will receive friends Tuesday 4 to 5 PM at Kimbrell-Stern.

A native of Griffin, Mr. Kilgo moved here 35 years ago to work with Miller-Coors retiring from them last year after 34 years of service. He was active with I.A.W. Local 2699, loved to listen to music and was a volunteer fireman for Dundee Mills, in Griffin before moving to Albany.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Edgar Lee and Betty Jo Kilgo and a brother, Terry Kilgo.

Survivors include his wife Sharon C. Kilgo, Leesburg; sons, Ryan Kilgo and his wife Dominique, San Diego, CA, Hunter Kilgo, Leesburg; granddaughter, Lindsey Kilgo; sister, Sherry Armour and her husband Mike, Warner Robbins, GA; sister in laws, Sue Kilgo, Griffin, GA, Carolyn Canada and her husband Roger, Turin, GA, Patsy Cobb, Brooks, GA; brother in law, Tommy Cobb, Brooks, GA; 4 nieces and 3 nephews.

In lieu of flowers please make memorials to the Lee County Animal Shelter, 101 Mossy Dale Rd., Leesburg, GA 31763.

Tribute Wall



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“ *My prayers go out to the family.....I am privileged to have had Marcus help guide me through many years as a steward for Local 2699. I was also lucky enough to call him a friend. His jokes and always happy demeanor made the work days go by more quickly! Marcus, thanks for the lessons learned and all the laughs brother!!!! GOD bless!!*

Ken Bragg - Leesburg, GA - Friend/Union brother - August 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Wonderful friend*

Desmond Pope - Dawson, GA - Co-worker - August 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *Marcus and I worked together for many years at Miller. He always greeted me with a smile and his sense of humor made me laugh. Rest in Peace my friend. You will be missed.*

Susan Hernandez - August 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ *Marcus was a true friend. We had many good times together. I suppose the best times we shared were on our many camping and canoe trips down the Flint River. Those trips were a time for us to unwind and share our souls as the river rolled by on its journey to the sea. We talked about many things, home, children, family, world events, etc. We always said we would not discuss union business on these trips because our jobs and tasks with the union were stressful. Non-the-less, we always found ourselves discussing our work. It was in our blood and simply could not be avoided. Marcus loved his union and gave his heart and soul to it.*

Marcus was a big man in many ways and his physical size was not conducive to being a great canoeist. He went bottom up more than once but we always got him upright and on his way again. His canoe skills was the subject of many good natured ribbing sessions around the campfire. As he canoes into the sunset, he travels alone knowing he is leaving behind many who loved and admired him. I know he is traveling to a better place and his pain will be gone forever.

He was a great guy and I will truly miss him.

Alan Williams - Sylvester, GA - Friend - August 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *With deepest sympathy to the family. Marcus was a person I was proud to call a friend. He was a great coworker. Sue Casey*

Sue Casey - Dawson, GA - Friend - August 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ We have known Marcus more than 30 years! We've always known him to be a wonderful friend! Our Miller family will greatly miss his great personality and happy spirit about him! Our deepest sympathy for his family! The world has lost a wonderful man!

Willie and Billy Sadler - Leesburg, GA - Co workers at Miller - August 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ I am so sorry to hear of Marcus' passing. Thinking back the one thing that come to mind is that he had such a caring heart. He made me feel safe and loved. May God give you all much comfort during the days to come. Love, Donna aka Donna Jean.

Donna (Smith) Williams - griffin, GA - cousin - August 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ I was saddened to hear of Marcus passing so suddenly, especially after this new chapter of his life (retirement) was really just starting. He was a great guy to work with, always willing to help out new guys that had questions. I enjoyed reading his page in the Union newsletter too. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family, and know the world lost a good man.

Robert Coleman - Tifton, GA - Coworker - August 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ Sharon, I know it has been many years since that day you and Marcus was married and he asked me to be his best man. I just want you to know that I have thought about both of you over the years. Unfortunately life's go in different directions but I will always have the memories of being friends with Marcus. We went through a lot together growing up.. My heart goes out to you and the family.

Sincerely,
Keith

Keith Killingsworth - Jackson, GA - Childhood friend from Griffin,Ga - August 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ I have so many great memories of growing up with Marcus on Elm St.,he was a couple of yrs. older than me & always looked out for me.He taught me to ride a bicycle in his back yard, we built huts in the woods,camped out til our folks made us come in the house to sleep,Saw my 1st biker movie with him, built our 1st choppers together,& listening to music was a big part of our lives then too. As sad as I am to hear of his death,it's a comfort knowing that he had such a good life & was thought of so fondly by those who knew him as an adult.Sincere condolences & deepest sympathy to his family.

Rest in Peace my Friend.

Terry

Terry Grant - Griffin, GA - childhood friend - August 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ I am praying that God will surround your family and give you peace that only He can give in times of grief. Marcus and I weren't as close as some of our other cousins but I am saddened to hear of his passing. I will continue to keep you in my prayers.

Peggy Kilgo Brooks - Piedmont, AL - cousin - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Sorry for your loss Marcus will be sadly missed by IAM Local Lodge 2699 membership.

Tom Peters - Albany, GA - Friend - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I will always remember his helpfulness. He was always ready to lend a hand. My deepest sympathy goes out to the family.

Mary Peterman - Albany, GA - Co-worker - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ Hard to say goodbye to my best friend growing up. So many summers spending weeks at Uncle Ed and Aunt Betty's. We would play all day at the house on Elm St, the surrounding neighborhood and mostly the woods in back of the house. Playing paratroopers and jumping off the railing on the front porch, rolling across the yard and shooting imaginary enemies. Wish we could run thru the woods one more time. All my love to Sharon and the kids and Sherry and Mike

Glenn Tolbert - Byron, GA - Cousin - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ My condolences to the family and prayers for your serenity on Marcus' transition. I knew him as a "gentle giant" ; one who served his constituents diligently, yet displayed professional courtesy to those he fought for their rights. I will miss his sense of humor as well as his friendship. RIP Marcus...

Janice Route-Blaylock - Albany, GA - friend/coworker - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Was a neighbor and coworker in brewing for 22 years. Sad to hear of the news. Prayers out to the family.

Sam Cooper - Talladega, AL - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Sharon, Ryan and Hunter we are so sorry for your loss. I will miss Marcus he was a true friend and Union Brother. We used to give each other a hard time just in fun. Rest In Peace my Friend.

Clint & Nim Allen - Albany, GA - Union Brother - August 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Very sorry to learn of Marcus' passing. His leadership and friendship will be missed.

Tom Dorgan - Orlando, FL - Co-Worker - August 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM