



Philip Ray Simpson

April 1, 1962 - May 18, 2025

Philip passed away peacefully on May 18, 2025, at the age of 63. His brother, Steve Myers, was with him, his hand on Philip's heart, when he passed.

Born on April 1, 1962, Philip lived a life full of love. He was incredibly proud of all of his relatives and loved to visit with them. He also simply loved people. He wanted to spread joy to all – whether that was a hug and a kiss on the cheek, singing in the choir, playing the organ, or taking you for a ride in his Mule.

While he loved so fully, he did have a hard time picking favorites. He would tell his nephews and nieces that they were each his favorite as he hugged them. And as much as he loved football, his alliance was split there, too. He would take turns cheering for the Tennessee Vols and the Alabama Crimson Tide.

Philip graduated from Franklin County High School in 1983. He then helped his parents take care of their farm. One of his favorite jobs was to mow the grass - so long as the mower had a steering wheel (as opposed to handles).

He leaves behind a legacy of love and joy, and he will be greatly missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him.

Philip was preceded in death by his mother, Geralline Simpson (née

Chandler) and his father, Alton Simpson. He is survived by his brother, Steve Myers, sister-in-law, Terry Myers, and many nieces, nephews, grand-nieces, and grand-nephews.

Cemetery Details

Rainsville Memorial Park

498 McCurdy Avenue North
Rainsville, AL 35986

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Rainsville Funeral Home
498 Mccurdy Ave N
Rainsville, AL 35986
(256) 638-2122
<https://www.rainsvillefuneralhome.com>

Service

MAY 25. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Philip Ray Simpson.*



May 23, 2025 at 09:25 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Philip Ray Simpson.

May 22, 2025 at 10:22 AM