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PERRY, GEORGIA -

Elbert Griffin "Griff" Long, 84, went to be with his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on Friday, August 27, 2021. A Memorial Service will be held at First Baptist Church of Perry on Saturday, September 4, 2021, at 11:00 a.m. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests memorial contributions to First Baptist Church of Perry, House of God Campaign, 1105 Main St, Perry, GA 31069.

Dr. Long was born and grew up in Chattanooga, the son of the late Elbert S. Long and the late Marie Tallifero Griffin Long. He attended the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga and the University of Georgia, where he received a Doctorate of Education degree. He was a charter member of Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church in Chattanooga, Tennessee. His career life consisted of being a teacher, counselor, and administrator/behavioral healthcare surveyor for the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. He enjoyed working in the yard and surveying. Griff loved people and loved helping others. He greatly loved his Savior, Jesus.

Left to cherish the memories they made with Griff are his loving and devoted wife of nearly forty-six years, Margretta "Gretta" Wells of Perry; his daughter, Linda Marie Long-Byler of Chattanooga; his grandson, Jeremiah Byler; and his cousin, Jessie "Buddie" Clinton.

Condolences for the family may be left in the online guestbook at www.watsonhunt.com. Watson-Hunt Funeral has been entrusted with the arrangements.




Events

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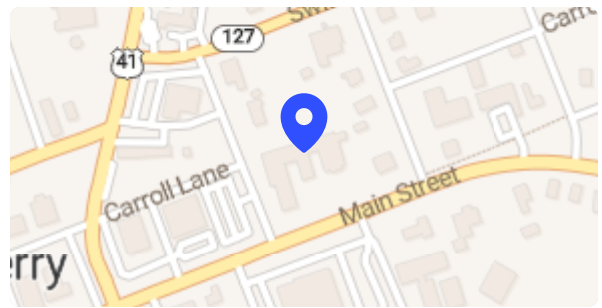
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Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, September 4, 2021

 11:00 AM ET

 **First Baptist Church - Perry**
1105 Main Street, Perry GA 31069





Tribute Wall

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George A Cooper posted:

I was sad to see of Griffin's passing. He was my Sunday school teacher way back in the '50s when I was in Jr High. We lived in the same neighborhood. I knew his Dad and went to the Elbert S Long grammar school (of course named for his Dad). I hadn't seen Griffin in many years, but was a very nice person as I remember. I know he will be missed. George A Cooper Chattanooga, Tn

September 22 at 9:47 AM



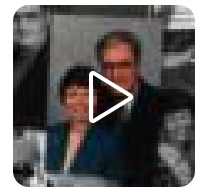
Pam lit a candle in honor of ELBERT.



September 3 at 3:32 PM



Watson-Hunt Funeral Home shared an album called **Elbert Griffin "Griff" Long Memorial Video.**



September 2 at 11:33 AM



Pam September 3 at 1:57 PM

Griff was one of the nicest gentlemen you could ever hope to meet. He was our neighbor practically as long as I can remember, a dear friend to my Dad , and always a kind person that you could depend on. You will be missed by so many. Praying for you always Greta for strength and peace at this time and sending a hug across the miles.



Steve And Judy Trexler September 3 at 7:52 AM

" We will always love you "



Bob And Kathy Bird posted:

Griff was such a beloved neighbor and friend for so many years, it's hard to imagine the neighborhood without him. He will be sorely missed by so many. Greta, praying for the Lord's own peace and comfort to be showered on you in the days ahead.

August 31 at 7:39 AM



Media

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring ELBERT by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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