

Michael E. "Gene" Bennett

July 12, 1952 - February 13, 2026

Michael E. "Gene" Bennett, age 73, of Senoia, passed away on February 13, 2026. He was born on July 12, 1952 to the late Ernest William and Mary Lou Bennett. He was also preceded in death by his siblings; Donald Bennett, Howard Bennett, Joyce Cox and Gary Bennett. He retired from the Georgia Department of Transportation after 34 years as a Transportation Engineer and was an active member in his church. He is survived by his wife; Renee, his children; Christopher M. (Abigail) Bennett of Barnesville, Jennifer (Phillip) Thomas of Senoia, grandchildren; MaryAnn (Kenneth) Whitelock, Carolina (Trey) Arnold, Taylor Thomas, Andrew Thomas, great grandchildren, Asher Prescott, Makenna Whitelock, Eloise Whitelock, special aunts, Ruth Wilkerson and Pat Woodruff, several nieces, a nephew, cousins and extended family. A Funeral Service will be held at 12 Noon on Monday, February 16, 2026 at New Beginning Baptist Church, 973 Standing Rock Rd, Senoia, GA 30276. The family will receive friends one hour prior to service at the church. The interment will be at 11 AM on Tuesday, February 17, 2026 at Fairview Memorial Gardens in Stockbridge, GA. Flowers will be accepted or contributions may be made in his name to: New Beginning Baptist Church, Building Fund, 973 Standing Rock Road, Senoia, GA 30276, phone: 770-599-8071.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Memorial Gardens

164 Fairview Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **16**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

New Beginning Baptist Church
973 Standing Rock Rd
Sennoia, GA 30276

Funeral Service

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Interment

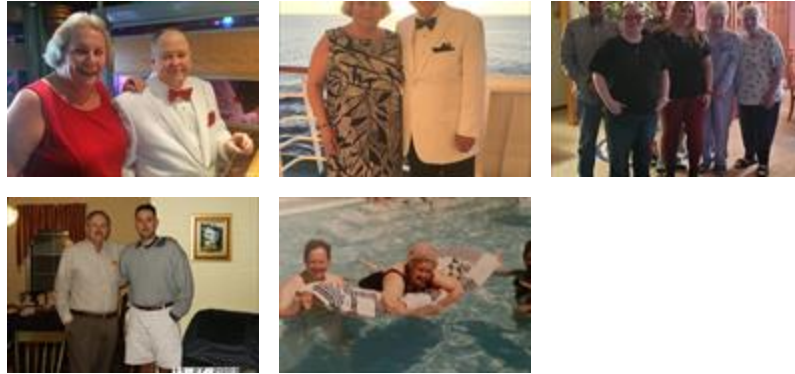
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Tribute Wall

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“ 97 files added to the album Michael's Memorial



Taylor - February 18 at 02:58 PM

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“ Uncle Gene I absolutely loved all the times we spent talking about history, especially the Mayan calendar and the ruins. And the time that we were looking for the INSTYLATION manual for the bathroom downstairs 😭. I know you are in a better place ❤️☐, the Bible clearly defines the promises of Heaven to all who believe 🙏✝️ We will see you again.

Felicia Maddox - February 18 at 10:11 AM



“ I always called him MY Uncle Gene because in my eyes he was only MY Uncle Gene I am even named after him I can't share just a memory because I have so many and they are the best memories I will cherish every one of them

Jimmy AndCallie Hicks - February 17 at 08:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael E. "Gene" Bennett.*



February 16 at 10:33 AM

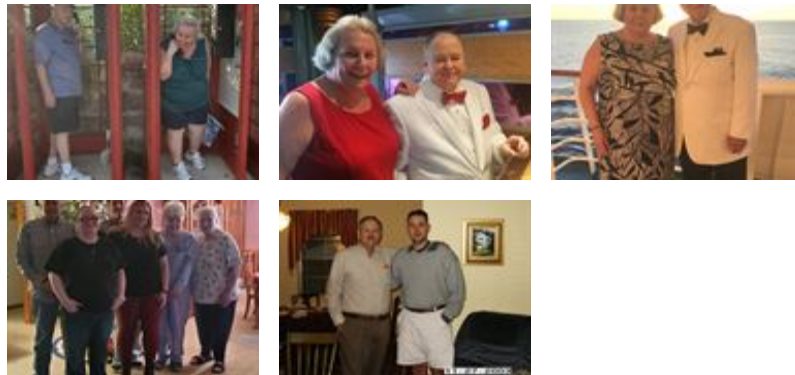


“ *Renee and family I'm sorry to hear about Gene's passing i wanted to meet two you although I believe he was a caring and loving person. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers love all you*

Val Melvin - February 16 at 08:20 AM



“ *49 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Ford Stewart Funeral Home - February 15 at 04:21 PM



“ *Renee and Family, We are so sorry to hear of Gene's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family!*
Mike and Brenda Cown

Mike & Brenda Cown - February 15 at 09:19 AM

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“ Renee, I am so sorry for your loss. I will never forget the kindness that you and Gene showed me when my Darrell was sick. I am here for you always.

Debra Oliver - February 14 at 07:26 PM