



Clyde Thomas Parker, Jr.

April 25, 1941 - August 6, 2025

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Clyde Thomas (Bud) Parker, Jr. age 84 passed away August 6, 2025, at Hillcrest Hospice in Conyers, GA. Born April 25, 1941, in North Bend, Oregon he was the son of the late Clyde Sr. and Cloydene Briggs Parker.

After high school, Bud served as an Electrician Mate with the US Coast Guard where he was awarded the Coast Guard Good Conduct Medal. He spent most of his life in the motorcycle industry working first with Suzuki and later with Yamaha. He loved the outdoor life, fishing, hunting, kayaking and camping. In his later life, he joined SASS (Single Action Shooting Society) where he was known by his alias McKenzie River Drifter. He enjoyed many happy years with this group of wonderful "cowboys" as he participated in their matches both locally and nationally.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his brothers, Bill and Beldon Parker. He is survived by his wife, Mary Lou Hooper Parker of Conyers and his daughter and son-in-law Brandy and Jason Kinsey of Newnan, GA and his beloved dog, Dolly.

Visitation for Bud will be held on Saturday, September 20, 2025, from 2 - 5 pm at Scott Ward Funeral Home, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA.

Commitment Services with full Military Honors will be held on Tuesday, September 30 at 11:30 am at the GA National Cemetery, 1080 Scott Hudgens Drive, Canton, GA.

Condolences may be submitted online at www.scotward.com. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA 30012, 770-483-7216.

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Scot Ward Funeral Services at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens
699 American Legion Road
Conyers, GA 30012

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