



Edward Ray Stone

April 16, 1938 - December 5, 2024

Edward Stone, age 86, of McDonough, Georgia passed away peacefully on December 5, 2024. Born on April 16, 1938, Ed was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend, known for his passion for automobiles, his dedication to his family, and his service to his community and church.

Ed was predeceased by his beloved wife, Gail, with whom he cherished 60 years of marriage; his parents Rev. Benjamin and Bennie Lee; his sister, Minnie Lee; and his brother, Jimmy. He is survived by his daughter, Kim (Glenn) Bates; two grandsons, Jake (Alexis) Bates, and Wil Bates (Brooks Barnard); and his great-granddaughter, Brielle Bates. His family and friends will remember him for his love, kindness, and unwavering support.

A lifelong car enthusiast, Ed was an avid collector and enjoyed every aspect of the automotive world. He dedicated 33 years of his life to working for Ford Motor Company, where he built life-long relationships with his colleagues.

Ed was a dedicated member of Union United Methodist Church, joining in 1984. His faith and commitment to his church community were cornerstones of his life. He was always ready to lend a hand and support those around him. His kindness and generosity will never be forgotten.

Services will be held at Union United Methodist Church to celebrate Ed's life

and legacy. The family will receive visitors at the church on Friday, December 13 from 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM followed by the funeral service at 12:00 PM.

Ed will be deeply missed by all who knew him. His legacy of love, devotion, and passion for life will live on in our hearts forever.

In Loving Memory of Edward Stone

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

Cemetery Details

Union United Methodist Church Cemetery

4600 Highway 138 SW
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 13. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Union United Methodist Church
4600 Highway 138 SW
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Service

DEC 13. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Edward Ray Stone.*



December 11, 2024 at 05:54 PM



“ *Denise, Ron, Skylar & Reagan & Janice purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Edward Ray Stone.*



Denise, Ron, Skylar & Reagan & Janice - December 11, 2024 at 03:19 PM



“ *Denise, Ron, Skylar & Reagan & Janice planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward Ray Stone.*

Denise, Ron, Skylar & Reagan & Janice - December 11, 2024 at 03:19 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Edward Ray Stone.*



December 10, 2024 at 09:46 PM



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