



## Kimsey Larry Creel

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Kimsey Larry Creel, 79, of Conyers, Georgia, passed away peacefully on Saturday, March 21, surrounded by family.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Sharon; his sons, Brett (Karen) and Brad (Leslie); his granddaughter, Jenna; and his brothers, Kerry (Renee) and Terry (Ann). He was preceded in death by his parents, Kimsey Creel (Carolyn) and Eloise Meeks (Tommy). Born in 1946 in Atlanta, Larry graduated from Gordon High School in Decatur in 1964. There he excelled in football and wrestling and met the love of his life, Sharon. Together, they moved to Conyers with their young sons and made their home in the house Larry built with his own hands, where they lived for nearly 50 years.

A glazier for 38 years, Larry was a proud member of the International Union of Painters and Allied Trades (IUPAT) Local 1940. During his long career, he helped shape the skyline of Atlanta and its airport, taught apprenticeship classes, and later served as Business Manager for the Union, retiring in 2001. Larry was an avid hunter, spending most weekends in the woods with dear friends and family. He dedicated many of his younger years to coaching his sons in football. He enjoyed playing football and softball and even raced motocross. In retirement, he and Sharon were often seen on their Harley or escaping to Panama City Beach. He also traveled the country delivering cars

for Courtesy Ford. Larry was a member of Rutledge Baptist Church, a lifelong Georgia Bulldogs fan, and-according to many-a pro on roller skates.

Visitation will take place on Tuesday, March 24, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., and again on Wednesday, March 25, at 10:00 a.m. The funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m. All events will be held at Scot Ward Funeral Home, 699 American Legion Rd., Conyers, GA 30012.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Alzheimer's Association at [alz.org](http://alz.org) <http://alz.org>.

Condolences may be submitted online at [www.scotward.com](http://www.scotward.com). Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA 30012, 770-483-7216.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **24.** 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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

## Service

MAR **25.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Scot Ward's Green Meadow Chapel  
699 American Legion Road  
Conyers, GA 30012

# Tribute Wall



“ *Scot Ward Funeral Services created a Webcast in memory of Kimsey Larry Creel*



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**Scot Ward Funeral Services** - March 25 at 10:17 AM

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“ *Dear Sharon, Boys and Family, I was sorry to hear of your loss. Actually, Sandra Wilson told me. Also I know Hyla. We dance together at American Legion. My son said Larry and Dean Hayes were his coaches years ago. He sends his Condolences also. We lost Tom at 69. My heart is broken, but I have my wonderful family to LOVE. Those were good memories years ago. Come dance with us sometime. I am glad Sandra told me and I could let Wesley know. I share with you Love and Prayers, Alice Scott and Wesley Scott Too*

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**Alice Scott** - March 27 at 11:37 AM

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“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



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**Marlene** - March 24 at 11:48 AM



“ 73 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Scot Ward Funeral Services** - March 24 at 10:35 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Marlene Anne Theresa Marrero** - March 24 at 10:14 AM