



Ron Walker

July 5, 1947 - January 2, 2026

Larry Ronald Walker, born on July 5, 1947, in Atlanta, Georgia, passed away peacefully on January 2, 2026, in Conyers, Georgia, surrounded by his loving family. He lived a life filled with love, dedication, and service, and his memory will forever be cherished by those who knew him.

Ron was the son of Lawrence Edward Walker, Sr. and Evelyn Bailey. He was preceded in death by his beloved parents and his sisters, Helen Crane, Evelyn DeLong, and Terry Jean Coleman. Ron's family was always at the center of his world, and he is survived by his devoted spouse of 54 years, Malinda Walker; his loving daughter, Andrea Walker; and his adoring son, Todd Walker. He also leaves behind his sister and brother-in-law, Donna and David Gibson, and a multitude of nieces, nephews, and cousins who will carry his legacy forward.

Ron proudly served his country by enlisting in the Army in 1967, where he earned the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and became an expert with the M-14 rifle. His service exemplified his commitment to duty and diligence, traits that he carried into every aspect of his life.

On January 23, 1971, Ron married Malinda, and together they built a beautiful life filled with shared dreams and unwavering support. Their bond was a testament to love and partnership, and they celebrated over five decades of

marriage.

After dedicating 35 years of his career to Delta Airlines, Ron transitioned to Scot Ward Funeral Services, where he worked for 20 years. His professional journey reflected his caring nature, as he devoted his time to supporting others during their most challenging moments.

A long-standing member of Cross Point Christian Church, Ron was active in his community and embraced the spirit of fellowship and service. He found joy in the simplest things, like feeding the deer that visited his home, a pastime that brought peace and contentment to his life.

Ron's kindness, integrity, and warm-hearted spirit touched everyone he met. He was a man who approached life with a smile and a willingness to lend a helping hand. His family and friends will remember him not just for his accomplishments, but for the love and laughter he brought into their lives.

Memorial service will be held Saturday, January 10, 2026 at 11:00 AM at Scot Ward's Green Meadow Chapel with Curt Zehner officiating. The family will receive friends Friday, January 9, 2026 from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers the family asks for a donation to Cross Point Christian Church, American Heart Association, or Alzheimer's Association. Condolences may be submitted on-line at www.scotward.com. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Rd., Conyers, GA, 770-483-7216.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **9**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

JAN **10**. 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 Ron Walker*



Scot Ward Funeral Services - January 10 at 08:12 AM



“ *I enjoyed working with Ron Walker when I first started with Drlta. He was always happy and had a smile on his face. He helped me a lot thru the years I was in the plating shop I'm going to miss my friend. Thoughts and prayers to the family. Mark Stoltz*

Mark Stoltz - January 27 at 07:40 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ron Walker.*



January 09 at 07:03 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Ron Walker.*



January 08 at 09:33 PM



“ *Malinda, Todd, Andrea: Sorry for the great loss of Ronald, also Gerald's "brother from another mother." Prayers to all at this difficult time and may Ronald rest in peace. Gerald tells me the stories of the summers they spent together in Boston, GA pond fishing daily with homemade bamboo rods which was the beginning of their many adventures of guided & personal fishing trips in Georgia (w/his tackle box in our closets!), Florida & Alaska and vacations to Glacier and Orlando's fun Halloween event. Gerald has great memories as they shared careers with Delta Air Lines and were both diehard Georgia Tech & Atlanta Braves fans! He said it was a lifetime friendship with his 1st cousin with no cross words--quite a cherished gift. Ronald will be deeply missed.*

Pat Porto - January 08 at 08:47 AM



“ *Melinda, Todd, Andrea: I am so sorry for your loss. Ron was such a good friend to my parents. He was always so friendly and welcoming when I would see him at CCC while I was visiting. He was there each time I said goodbye to my parents. Praying that you would feel the love and comfort from our Lord Jesus during this time! Tricia Stovall*

Tricia Stovall - January 06 at 01:44 PM

AC

“ Ronald was a good man and will be missed. Angela and I made a donation to the American Heart Association in his memory. I plan to attend the funeral on Saturday.

Angela and Scott Carr - January 06 at 11:57 AM

PH

“ Perry and Tammy Hallmark. purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Ron Walker.



Perry and Tammy Hallmark. - January 05 at 09:15 AM

PH

“ Perry and Tammy Hallmark. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ron Walker.

Perry and Tammy Hallmark. - January 05 at 09:15 AM

DH

“ Dexter Harper lit a candle in memory of Ron Walker



Dexter Harper - January 05 at 03:04 AM