



Allan Lee Kennedy

September 12, 1954 - March 11, 2026

Allan Lee Kennedy, 71, went to be with the Lord March 11, 2026, in Savannah, GA. He was born in Birmingham, AL, on Sept 12, 1954, to Robert Lee Kennedy and Martha Ellen Love Kennedy who both predeceased him, and both sets of grandparents. He is survived by his loving wife Elaine Jones Kennedy and their son Stanley Robert Kennedy, his wife Amber Elizabeth Wright Kennedy whom he adored, and two much loved granddaughters Blakely Elizabeth and Riley Katherine Kennedy. He is also survived by his sister Karen Kennedy Stridiron (Allan) and their children Jason Stridiron (Carolina), and nephew Dustin Stridiron and Laura Stridiron Aven, and his sister-in-law, Lauren Jones Taylor (Rodney) and niece Haley Taylor Davis (Alex), in addition to great nieces and nephews.

Allan was employed by St. Joseph Candler Hospital System, Savannah, GA, for the past 13 years as Vice President of the St. Joseph Candler Physician Network, a position he enjoyed a great deal as he was able to contribute to the whole system. Also, for many years he held a similar position at the Baptist Health System in Alabama. He really enjoyed healthcare as he felt he was helping people.

He earned his undergraduate degree from the University of Alabama in Birmingham, AL in Chemistry and Biology, and held graduate degrees from UAB in Public Health and Business Administration.

He was a member of Briarwood Presbyterian Church and previously the First Baptist Church of Center Point, both in Birmingham, AL, where he had served

at both churches on the Board of Deacons, and Finance Committees. Allan had accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior at a younger age and that belief guided his life and decisions.

Overall, Allan's joy in life was his family and after-work responsibilities, he wanted to spend all his time with them. He and Elaine had been married only a few months short of 50 years. After 15 years, they had Stanley who immediately became his other joy in life, and later, daughter-in-law Amber, and then his young granddaughters. He loved being with them and never minded if they were loud or crying, entertaining them with cartoons on his laptop if needed. He was a wonderful father to Stanley, never missed a sporting event, and helped coach Stanley's ball teams as needed. He had been a good basketball player and was able to coach Stan's 12th grade rec league basketball team to the championship after their coach-less dismal 0-2 start, a fond memory for all. Allan was his family's biggest supporter and encourager. He was always there for us...always. We loved him so much. We know he's happy in heaven, but he will be forever missed by us and his yellow lab Beau.

Service on Friday, March 20, 2026, at 1:00 p.m., Visitation at 12:00 p.m.

Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home

5360 Deerfoot Pkwy.

Trussville, AL 35173

205-655-3444

Burial to follow at Hopewell Baptist Church

9076 Hopewell Church Road

Pinson, AL 35126

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 20. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Allan Lee Kennedy



Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home - March 18 at 02:40 PM

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“ Kimberly purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



Kimberly - March 19 at 10:22 PM

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“ Kimberly planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Allan Lee Kennedy.

Kimberly - March 19 at 10:22 PM

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“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



March 19 at 10:03 PM



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“ Love Tod, Kaitie, and Cameron purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



Love Tod, Kaitie, and Cameron - March 19 at 08:15 PM



“ SJ/C Legal and Compliance Team purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



SJ/C Legal and Compliance Team - March 18 at 07:46 PM



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SJ/C Legal and Compliance Team - March 18 at 07:46 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



March 18 at 05:03 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket* was purchased for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



March 18 at 04:20 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Allan Lee Kennedy.



March 18 at 02:59 PM



“ 87 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home - March 18 at 02:19 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of *Allan Lee Kennedy*.



March 18 at 12:32 PM