



## Walter John Barney

March 22, 1940 - April 28, 2025

Walter John Barney, age 85 of Cedar Bluff, passed away Monday, April 28, 2025 at his residence.

A memorial service will be held 11:00AM Saturday, May 10, 2025 at Believer's Fellowship Church with Bro. Keith Day officiating. The family will receive friends from 10:00AM until the time of service Saturday at the church.

He is survived by his loving wife, Karen L. Barney; daughter, Dawn Michelle Ruff; brothers, Burnard Justus Barney II (Nona) and James "Jim" Barney (Frances); grandchildren, David Cole Barney Brannon (Cheyenne), Jessica Hannah Ruff and Joshua Walter Ruff; friends of 60 years, Larry & Sue Baumgartner (and family) and Judy & Frank Haupricht.

He was preceded in death by his son, David Paul Barney; brother and sister-in-law, Norman Lee & Faith Barney; sister, Gwenn Kay Barney.

Mr. Barney was a native of Toledo, Ohio and the son of the late Burnard Justus Barney I and Blanche Rose Murphey Barney. Walt was a member of Believer's Fellowship in Centre, Alabama.

In lieu of flowers the family request donations be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Perry Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

[www.perryfuneral.net](http://www.perryfuneral.net)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gatherering and Visitation

MAY 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Believers Fellowship Church  
1505 W Main St  
Centre, AL 35960  
(256) 927-4463

## Celebration of Life

MAY 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Walter John Barney.*



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May 17, 2025 at 08:11 AM



“ *Jeff and Joy Simmons purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Walter John Barney.*



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**Jeff and Joy Simmons** - May 08, 2025 at 02:10 PM



“ *ACG Hospice sends deepest condolences and prayers for comfort and healing to the family of Walter Barney during this difficult time. It has been an honor being with your family during this time. Our thoughts and prayers will continue to be with you. Your ACG Hospice team.*

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**Sandra Silvey** - May 08, 2025 at 01:31 PM



“ *Hank & Nona Barney & family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Walter John Barney.*



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**Hank & Nona Barney & family** - May 07, 2025 at 02:53 PM

BB

“ Becca Clubb & Brittany Bentley purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Walter John Barney.



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Becca Clubb & Brittany Bentley - May 07, 2025 at 11:26 AM

BB

“ Becca Clubb & Brittany Bentley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Walter John Barney.

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Becca Clubb & Brittany Bentley - May 07, 2025 at 11:26 AM

BI

“ Uncle Walt was my Godfather and my brothers spent a lot of time with him both at his home in Toledo and at the lake in Indiana. He would leave his dentures on the dining room table and he would grab them and chase us around the house laughing the whole time. When I was older my dad, Grandpa, and Uncle Jim took me salmon fishing with them on Lake Michigan. The motor on his boat was acting up so he decided that we better head back in. For some reason everyone except for me ended up getting motion sickness leaving me to get the boat back to the ramp. That was the first trip up there that we caught fish. I'll miss him for the rest of my life. For now rest in peace Uncle Walt ❤️❤️❤️

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Burnard Barney III - May 06, 2025 at 11:11 AM

CT

“ Uncle Walt always had a smile on his face. I have lots of great memories of summers filled with camping, boating and fishing. And then of course the many holiday celebrations with the whole family. He was well loved and loved well in return. For Aunt Karen and Dawn and family--I hope your sorrow soon fades, he will always be with you in your hearts and memories. Love, Rich and Cindy and family.

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**Cindy Teet** - May 05, 2025 at 08:52 AM

CL

“ Cindy L. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Walter John Barney.

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**Cindy L.** - May 05, 2025 at 08:39 AM

NC

“ Sad to see another one of Limetree pass on. Walt was so good to my Dad while he lived there. Condolences to Karen and family

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**Nick and Chick Carrino** - May 01, 2025 at 07:55 PM

RD

*Neighbor to Walt. for over 30 years he was a great person*

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**Robert and travis Duarte** - May 02, 2025 at 12:00 AM