



Michael G. "Mickey" Spain

September 16, 1958 - April 8, 2026

Mr. Michael Guerry "Mickey" Spain, age 67, of Douglas, Georgia, passed away unexpectedly Wednesday night, April 8, 2026, at Coffee Regional Medical Center following a sudden illness.

Mickey was born September 16, 1958, in Columbus, Georgia, to the late Gene Spain and the late Ann Fowler Spain. He was a hard-working family man who found no greater joy than time spent with his family. He enjoyed grilling for family and friends and was well known as a chicken wing connoisseur. He dedicated more than 40 years to the service of his community in Law Enforcement. He found relaxation in riding his motorcycle, but not just any motorcycle, it could only be a Harley Davidson. Over the years he enjoyed traveling, but in his later years he learned to enjoy travel abroad. Mickey began his law enforcement career with the Manchester Police Department. Throughout the course of his law enforcement career, he worked as a drug task force agent with the Drug Enforcement Agency, a deputy sheriff with the Coffee County Sheriff's Department, and a State Trooper with the Georgia State Patrol. He also spent time working with East Coast Asphalt. Mickey accomplished many things in his life, but his greatest accomplishment was achieving the title of "MicDaddy" to his grandchildren.

Mickey leaves behind his loving wife, Kim Hutcheson Spain of Douglas, Georgia; along with a legacy of love in his three children: Ansley Marie Spain

of Ambrose, Georgia, Haley (Mitch) Lewis of Douglas, Georgia, Ryan (Kaitlyn) Sellers of Wray, Georgia; and his six precious grandchildren: Mia Claire Lewis, Addie Sellers, Lillie Sellers, Chan Lewis, Hutch Sellers, and Madi Anderson. He is also survived by two sisters: Gayle (Leonard) Wiggley of Warm Springs, Georgia, and Debbie Metzler of Manchester, Georgia; along with a number of extended family members and countless friends and law enforcement family.

Mickey's family will receive friends on Friday evening, April 10, 2026, from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM in the Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel. His funeral service will be held on Saturday morning, April 11, 2026, in the Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. George Carroll Paulk officiating. Interment will follow in the Douglas City Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will include Ryan Sellers, Mitch Lewis, Rome Pike, Kevin Keoppler, Tommy Thompson, and Mike Smeltzer. Honorary pallbearers will include Rusty Fender, Jimmy Dyer, Kenny Rowell, Clay Troupe, Johnny Morrison, Ray Ricketson, Jerry Bennett, Cannon Copeland, East Coast Asphalt Drivers, and law enforcement family.

Condolences, kind words and fond memories may be shared with Mickey's family at www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com.

Mickey's arrangements have been entrusted to the kind and compassionate staff of Ricketson Funeral Home, Inc. of Douglas, Georgia.

Cemetery Details

Douglas City Cemetery

1622 North Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, GA 31533

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533

Funeral Service

APR 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533

Interment

APR 11 (ET)

Douglas City Cemetery
1622 North Gaskin Avenue
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Tribute Wall



“ Ricketson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael G. "Mickey" Spain



Ricketson Funeral Home - April 10 at 01:06 PM

TS

“ Praying for Mickys family at this time. We were classmates at TRI COUNTY ACADEMY In Shiloh Ga. He was kind and always had a smile on his face. RIP



Tena Wheeler Tracy Skidmore - April 14 at 11:34 PM

SC

“ So saddened to learn of Mickey's passing. Nothing but sweet memories of Mickey. Heart broken for his family, with his departure. Prayers, for you all.

Stan Cartwright - April 11 at 02:05 PM

TF

“ The Thompson family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Michael G. "Mickey" Spain.



The Thompson family - April 10 at 02:09 PM

TF

“ The Thompson family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael G. "Mickey" Spain.

The Thompson family - April 10 at 02:09 PM

KE

“ Mickey worked for my husband at the sheriff's Dept as a detective with the drug dept. He later became my son in law marrying my daughter Angie and having one little beautiful daughter Ansley later she had a little baby girl who has brought so much joy to us she was beginning to love her Big Daddy Mick. She is 3 and loves to see her extended family. We love you Mickey you will never be forgotten. Please pray for his Ansley help her to endure the pain she is going thru



Karleen K Evans - April 10 at 12:00 PM

RS

“ Praying for the family. I dispatched for Mickey at GSP . Great man for sure

Rex Smith - April 10 at 09:12 AM

MJ

“ Worked with Mickey at Douglas PD & Georgia state Patrol. He was a smooth fun loving character. Always laughing. Rest on my friend!

Mamie Johnson - April 09 at 08:47 PM

MF

I went to school and played high school football with Mickey. He was always kind and easy going. So sorry to hear about his passing! Praying for the family! Rest in peace, my friend!

Mark Fuller - April 10 at 09:08 AM

DT

I knew Mickey from his Manchester P.D. days. He was always such a good guy. I am so sorry to hear about his passing. Lifting his family and friends in prayer. Rest in Peace, Mickey.

Deidre Brown Taylor - April 10 at 06:10 PM

JR

“ Jeffrey Kidd Ret-339 purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Michael G. "Mickey" Spain.



Jeffrey Kidd Ret-339 - April 09 at 08:43 PM

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Jeffrey Kidd Ret-339 - April 09 at 08:43 PM

AL

“ How grateful I am to have known you, Mickey.
After talking with you, LITERALLY days ago, this feels so unreal.
As a veteran Trooper, you taught me a great deal about working
traffic when I graduated from the Police Academy years ago.
Those stories of your days as a detective still give me uncontrollable
laughter when I see certain people around town.
One is DEFINITELY burned on my brain.
You were absolutely One In A Million and I pray your soul peace.

My heartfelt condolences to Spain family.
An abundance of comfort and strength to you ALL during your hour
of bereavement.

💙Amy💙

A. Lee - April 09 at 08:36 PM

NN

“ I am so sorry to hear this news. I grew up with Mickey. He was a
good guy. He was very dedicated to his Law Enforcement career,
and had a wonderful sense of humor. Lifting his family in prayer as
they walk through this loss together. May he rest in peace.
Norma Swetnam Nesmith.

Norma Nesmith - April 09 at 08:04 PM

MF

“ Mike & Selena Smeltzer and family purchased
the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of
Michael G. "Mickey" Spain.

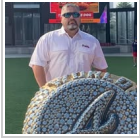


Mike & Selena Smeltzer and family - April 09 at 06:31 PM

MF

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Mike & Selena Smeltzer and family - April 09 at 06:31 PM



“ Thank you for your friendship through the years. The advice, the laughs, and everything in between. You were one of the many that influenced me in my law enforcement career and I never will forget the mark that you made on my life.

Rodney Courson - April 09 at 06:17 PM