



## Rudolph Barrington

November 2, 1923 - March 9, 2023

Mr. Rudolph Barrington, age 99 of Douglas, passed away late Thursday evening March 9, 2023 at his residence following an extended illness. Mr. Barrington was born November 2, 1923 to the late Ollie Barrington and the late Sarah Moore Barrington. Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by a son: Ronald Keith Barrington; 3 Siblings: E. J. Barrington, William Barrington and Margaret Courson.

Mr. Barrington, a native of Douglas, had retired after 30 years of service as a rural postal carrier with the United States Postal Service. He was a veteran of World War II having served in the Marines. He served in the Marshall Islands and Iwo Jima, during which time he was wounded in action. He was a Purple Heart Recipient. Mr. Barrington was an active member of Covenant Christian Church. His love for music was always evident at church where he had led the choir for years.

Survivors include:

His wife of 76 years: Mary Frances Chaney Barrington of Douglas, GA

6 Children: Sonja McKinnon of Calhoun, GA

Rudy Barrington and wife Nancy of Waycross, GA

Lynn Barrington Pack of Madison, GA

Sharon B. Lott and husband Jimmy of Douglas, GA  
Bari B. Stewart and husband Clarence of Jacksonville Beach, FL  
Randy Barrington and wife Stacey of McComb, MS

13 Grandchildren: Fran Bradbury of Birmingham, AL  
Matt McKinnon of Calhoun, GA  
Amy Bryant of Cordele, GA  
Bo Barrington of Denver, CO  
Sophia Carver of Madison, GA  
Stacey Harper of Douglas, GA  
Christi Thomas of Douglas, GA  
Kim Hardy of Chula, GA  
Cam Fambrough of Hickory Bluff, GA  
Clint Stewart of Douglas, GA  
Ryan Stewart of Jacksonville Beach, FL  
Candace Veasey of Winterville, GA  
John Barrington of AL

Numerous Great Grandchildren and Great-Great Grandchildren

Numerous Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and Many Friends

The family will receive friends on Monday, March 20, 2023 at Covenant Christian Church from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM, the hour of the funeral.

The funeral service will be held Monday, March 20, 2023 at 11:00 AM at Covenant Christian Church with Rev. Gregory Pope and Rev. Stacey Carver officiating. The interment will follow at Douglas City Cemetery

Active Pallbearers for the service will be: Matt McKinnon, Bo Barrington, Stacey Harper, Cam Fambrough, Scott Bradbury, Nat Griffin and Clint

Stewart.

Ricketson Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Covenant Church  
3255 us Highway 441 South  
Douglas, GA 31533

## Funeral Service

MAR 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

Covenant Church  
3255 us Highway 441 South  
Douglas, GA 31533

## Interment

MAR 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

Douglas City Cemetery  
1622 North Gaskin Avenue  
Douglas, GA 31533

# Tribute Wall

MW

“ *Maudine Wright sent a virtual gift in memory of Rudolph Barrington*



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**Maudine Wright** - May 01, 2023 at 04:23 PM

TL

“ *We are saddened to hear of your great loss! When my brother Stacey joined this family, they became Papa & Granny Barrington to me also! Over the years they have greeted us with open arms and treated us with the upmost love when we needed a place to stay or food to eat! Conversations with them both were always so inspiring! They treated our mother Roma with such gentle kindness and numerous prayers throughout her life and she loved them so much! Papa was a gentle giant with a lifetime of wisdom to share with anyone willing to listen! You fought your last war on this Earth Papa Barrington, now you can rest eternally in the arms of our Lord Jesus Christ ❤️ Praying for peace for Grandmother & all your family awaiting the day when they will see you again! Love to you all 🙏*

*Tina Carver Lunsford & Robert*

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**Tina Carver Lunsford** - March 20, 2023 at 04:12 PM

PG

“ *Uncle Rudolph was one of the finest men that I’ve ever had the privilege of knowing. He was a great husband, father, grandfather, friend and a Servant of God. Will be praying for my Aunt Mary because I’m sure after 76 yrs of marriage this will be one of the hardest things she’s ever had to deal with! Uncle Rudolph you will be missed with your smile, warm heart along with all your stories that you had to tell with being on this earth for almost 100 yrs. Much love and prayers to the family!*

*Patty Effler-Gordon*



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**Patty Gordon** - March 19, 2023 at 02:23 PM

MH

“ *Miriam Vickers Holland lit a candle in memory of Rudolph Barrington*



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**Miriam Vickers Holland** - March 18, 2023 at 01:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rudolph Barrington.*



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March 15, 2023 at 07:29 PM

KF

“ Kevin and I send our sincere condolences to all of Rudy’s loved ones. We met Rudy at Bo and Angelyn’s wedding. We were blessed to sit with him and several others of the wonderful Barrington family. The love and connection of Jesus Christ was immediate! What a kind, loving Christian man! The legacy he leaves is so profound. We knew that after one conversation, and as we read his obituary, there is so much more than we knew. Humility was one of his many gifts. We weren’t able to converse with him again. However, we are trusting we’ll be able to do that after Jesus takes us to be with Him. We will have eternity to fellowship; what a gift!❤️

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**Kevin and Joyce Foley** - March 15, 2023 at 11:14 AM



“ He was always known to me and my family as Uncle Rudolph, as he was my late mother’s Uncle. He and his wife Aunt Mary, and kids were always known as the most giving people and loved family. From day 1, I have and still have a memory of them going out of their way to help someone or a family in need. My most recent visit to Douglas was last month when I visited them at their home and as I was walking in, although a memory and not real, I could smell the Sunday dinner of Pot Roast, and everyone eating and socializing. In my memories, they have always been the benchmark of a father, giving love, family, religion, and goodness! His loss is a great one to us left behind.but as a Christian, a father, a man and a Marine, he’s now in Heaven singing and standing talk for god’s Army if called to action. I love you Uncle Rudolph! And you will will be missed until I join you. Robert (Robbie) and Jennifer Effler~

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**Jennifer Effler** - March 14, 2023 at 10:31 AM



*As I Think through memories of my volunteer activities he and Aunt Mary would comment on our activities as volunteers within the community which we captured in our annual Christmas newsletter. When they commented I'd remember the volunteer work they provided as great Christians and missionaries, spreading the word of the lord and giving the people they were serving a hope of a better life. I can only say that our loss is not one that can be taken lightly and will be a huge gap for us to fill. I state that this will be a huge gap for Aunt Mary to fill and as she goes through life she will remember the MC a that took her hand and provided for her and their family. He will be missed and his memory will always be one of positive thoughts and memories!*  
*Robbie E~*

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**Jennifer Effler** - March 18, 2023 at 07:51 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Rudolph Barrington.*



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March 13, 2023 at 10:20 PM



“ *So sorry to learn of the passing of Mr Rudolph. He was our postman for many years in the Satilla and Fales community. He would always bring our mail into the store Cady's gro each day and get a coke n pack of crackers or if mama had cooked lunch she would invite him to come to the kitchen and have lunch with her and daddy. Many days he did. He was always a pleasure to be around. Prayers and comfort for all the family. Faye Cady Adams*

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**Faye Adams** - March 13, 2023 at 10:44 AM

DB

“ Sharon, Barri, and Family, I am so sorry for the loss of Rudy. Just reading all the posts, sounds like he was a “mighty fine” man. Which comes as no surprise! Look at his siblings!  
Sending Hugs and Prayers to each of you.



Deborah Boyd - March 12, 2023 at 03:06 PM

CK

“ One fine Christian man of God! Prayers for the loss of a sweet Husband, Daddy, Papa, Great Papa and Friend to all who knew him! Just an all around great Man of God!

We love all of you very much!

Clara Mae Knight & Jackie Wooten

Clara Knight - March 12, 2023 at 08:46 AM

JC

“ Saddened in the loss of Rudolph, such an amazing loving man of faith, Husband, Father, Papa, friend, counselor to so many... He had plenty of advice, stories, great sense of humor and that,

"big ole infectious smile!" ❤️🌹

Ms Barrington, Sonya, Rudy, Lynn, Sharon, Barri & Randy, each of you are in our hearts, thoughts & prayers today & always. 🙏❤️💔



We treasure the memories over the years of having the honor of knowing the Barrington Family...

We love ❤️ y'all, blessings & hugs

Nolan, JoAnn & family



JOANN M. COURSON - March 11, 2023 at 04:08 PM

MT

*Prayers for all the Barrington family. I was blessed to have known such a great family. Thank you Brother Barrington for your service to our Country. Sir now is your time to rest from all your labors. We shall meet again.*

M. Wayne Thomas - March 12, 2023 at 08:38 PM

JL

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. I know that he will truly be missed.*



Jean Adams Lewis - March 10, 2023 at 11:46 AM

TR

“ *He was loving family man. Prayers for family.*



tammy W Rewis - March 10, 2023 at 10:15 AM