



Scott Dale Watson

October 11, 1960 - June 3, 2025

2 Timothy 4:7-8 New International Version

7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

8 Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day-and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

SCOTT DALE WATSON

It is with a heavy heart we announce the passing of Mr. Scott Dale Watson, age 64, of Douglas, Georgia. He peacefully departed on Tuesday, June 3, 2025, at his residence, surrounded by his family, following an extended illness.

Scott was born October 11, 1960 in Camden, N.J. to the late Charles Watson, and the late Ruth Vogel Watson. He was an air conditioning installation technician, before becoming an HVAC instructor at Wiregrass Technical College where he taught for 15 years. He will long be remembered as a loving husband, father and grandfather, a Good Samaritan, a great and caring teacher, and a loyal friend. He would always help anyone in need.

Scott leaves behind his wife of 39 years, Kathleen McCarren Watson of Douglas; 2 sons: James Scott Watson and Jesse Watson both of Douglas, Georgia; 1 Grandson Joshua Watson of Douglas, Georgia; 2 brothers; 2

sisters; and extended family.

A memorial service will be held to honor Scott's life on Friday, June 6th 2025, at 2:00 P.M in the Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel.

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

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

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Scott. I worked with Scott at East Central Technical College and Wiregrass Georgia Tech. He was always fun to be around, took his job seriously, and was someone you could count on. Prayers for his family.* ”

Nelda Fitzgerald - June 09, 2025 at 01:41 PM

“ Share a memory but where do you begin? I guess I got to live 9 more months with Scott than anyone. Well okay actually it was Scott, me and our Sister until I still it was Scott would pushed her out. I'm sticking to that one. Lol. Plus I'm the only one here now to take the lie detector and it will count. For years and years after we were born My Mom would say how cute she was in that jar sucking her thumb. Now she will have to tell Scott forever why'd you push me down that tunnel. Scott probably will just smile and say "hey it was boys club". My Mom would tell us that when we were born at Cooper Hospital in Camden NJ that after her C section they closed her up when I was born and then she said "Doc wait a minute there's another one still in here" yup it was our Scott. Little did they know I was the first E*Trade baby yup I started it all way back when in 1960 at Cooper telling the Doctors to " go fetch my brother." Yup the day that would live in infamy nope wasn't World War 2 it was October 11, 1960. Then to make it worst the baby unit somehow lost Scott on the floor. My Mom kept asking the Doctors and Nurses where is the other baby. Finally they found Scott and yeah E*Trade baby Randy still unnamed baby 1 saw my brother and said "My eyes adored you" as we touched the glass "amillion miles away from me you could see how I adored you". Now I was Watson baby 1 and Scott was Watson baby 2 so my Mom would always say she wanted to name us Wolfgang and Hans can you imagine Scott being a Wolfgang or a Hans. Can you imagine me being Wolfgang or Hans. With me she got the homosexual part right but not for Scott. All we needed to do was buy ice skates and change our last names to the Von Trapp Brothers. LOL. It would have worked. Needless we were the last Watson kids born at Cooper in Camden. Thank God my Mom found a new hospital for my brother and sister to be born at.

I remember Scott Aka Hans and me Aka Wolfgang caught German Measles together. Yupper so we had to be isolated in a dark room for 2 weeks and had to stay in the dark to avoid blindness. Alot of good that did for me. I can't see 10 feet in front of me. I asked to sign up for brail in elementary school but they didn't offer it.

Scott Aka Hans loved the snow here in NJ and back when we were young the Winters were cold and snowy not like now. But it amazes how Scott Aka Hans moved from the Freezer to the oven lol. He loved riding his sled and trying to teach our younger brother Ron how to sled down the hills. See like I said he was a Von Trapp from the Alps.

When me and Scott Aka Hans were 13 he woke me up at the break of dawn and said "Yo Bro wake up you wanna go outside and smoke with me?" So me Randy Aka Wolfgang half a sleep in my PJs said okay. So outta bed the Von Trapp twins go behind the garage down the trail into woods Scott Aka Hans hangs a left at the T in the trail Wolfgang following along in a daze and we stop and Scott Aka Hans reaches into this hollowed out pine tree across the path and pulls out a fresh pack of Marlboro Reds. I was like damn Bro. Our parents smoked so I was like well how bad can it be right. So Scott Aka Hans light the smoke coughed alittle and figured okay I can do this? Until I coughed up both my lungs and I think I even peed my PJs. So my Bro smoked our first Marlboro together. Eventually when Scott Aka Hans wanted to hiking, looking for snakes or swimming in Snapper Lake which was a half mile behind our house. Yeah my Bro and I had a code for it's Marlboro time. My Mom caught on plus I'm sure her Pall Mall reds hadn't killed her sense of smell. So she sat Hans and Wolfgang Von Trapp down and said "I hate liars, sneaks and thieves and people who do things behind my back" I bet you're hearing a little Julie Andrew's song here right My Favorite Things. Well you never lied to Momma and she said here's what I'm going to do ill buy you the smokes but I will give you so many a day. Oh my God were we dreaming we get to smoke in front of Mom in the house not on some pine hollowed out tree on a oath. Scott Aka Hans and I looked at each, smiled and gave Mom a big hug.

I recall one Halloween Scott Aka Hans was working at a gay adult store in Collingswood NJ near Philly. My younger brother had a Halloween party so my older Susters Joyceanne and Rose came as a Cat tail and all and I believe Rose was a Lioness or Tiger something Orange not Something in the Orange lol. But the girls wanted to go to Scott's sorry aka Hans to see him so we drive to

Collingswood to the Adult Bookstore my sisters all decked out in those great costumes. They looked amazing but like from Hugh Hefner mansion. But I knew about the XXX places and thought my sisters did too. NOPE! I never realized how sweet and innocent they were (I hear a 70s Donny Osmond song) so they would ask Scott Aka Hans XXX what this was and what this was used for? Scott's Aka Hans XXX answer had us all rolling with a straight face literally he said "how the hell am I supposed to know. This is for the gay guys. I just sell the shit i dont use it." Then he looked at me and said "ask him". But our sisters were the hit of the bookstore. They got more action that night than I ever did. I really think that's Rose first loved Halloween as we went to the Darkside. A night never to be forgotten.

But I could on forever about my Brother so kind, so caring, so loving, such a hardworker, great husband, great dad and one of the finest, funniest when he wanted to be, human beings God ever created and I know some of this rubbed off on me. We grew up poor in NJ buy we were never poor on Love. We had many great times growing up but I need to share some of my funny moments and stories with you. I hope you got to share as much Love and moments with Hans sorry Scott, as I did. I hope Scott is at peace with my Mom and my Dad and my sister Joyceanne I bet that's one hell of a party up there. Love you Bro and I will forever miss you and love you. Your Brother Wolfgang Aka Randy

Randy Watson - June 05, 2025 at 08:53 PM

JA

“ James and Linda Abramo purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Scott Dale Watson.



James and Linda Abramo - June 05, 2025 at 11:38 AM



“ Scott was always so patient and kind. We loved him. He was a great coworker. He will be missed. Prayers for his family. Love, Chancey Crew xoxo



Brandy Harper - June 05, 2025 at 10:15 AM

YR

“ Your Brother Randy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Scott Dale Watson.

Your Brother Randy - June 05, 2025 at 10:01 AM

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“ Your Brother Randy purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Scott Dale Watson.



Your Brother Randy - June 05, 2025 at 10:01 AM

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“ The Watson Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Scott Dale Watson.

The Watson Family - June 05, 2025 at 09:56 AM

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“ *The Watson Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Scott Dale Watson.*



The Watson Family - June 05, 2025 at 09:56 AM

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“ *Tonya Weeks lit a candle in memory of Scott Dale Watson*



Tonya Weeks - June 05, 2025 at 08:58 AM