

Obituary

Anthony Ralph Lord, age 77, of Wrightsville, Georgia, passed away peacefully at his home on June 15, 2026.

Born on October 1, 1948, Anthony was the son of the late Ralph Eugene Lord and Evelyn Boatright Lord. He was a hardworking man who loved farming and his family. A lifelong resident of Wrightsville, he was known for his strong work ethic, kind heart, and unwavering devotion to his family. He retired from the kaolin industry in Sandersville, Georgia, after many years of dedicated service.

Anthony was a devoted husband, father, Papa, and friend. He is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Pamela Tanner Lord; his children, Anthony Neil Lord (Wendi) and Shae Lord Keyton (Shane); his grandchildren, Brittany Lord Oliver (Will), Kala Lord Wombles (Chad), Mitchell Anthony Lord, Blake Keyton (Brittany), and Zac Keyton; his great-grandchildren, C.J. Wombles, Beau Bryan, Waylon Wombles, Cam Keyton, and K.K. Keyton; his sister, Marsha Lord Warner (John); his special friend, Shirley Taylor; and numerous nieces, nephews, extended family members, and dear friends.

Anthony was a deacon and faithful member of Union Hill Baptist Church, where he served the Lord throughout his life. He enjoyed farming, helping with his son's logging business, and spending time with his family. Among his greatest joy was his beloved dog, Buddy, who was his constant companion and faithful friend. Though he is no longer with us, we find comfort in knowing that he is now healed and at peace in the presence of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

In addition to his parents, Anthony was preceded in death by his brother, Allen Lord.

Funeral services will be held at 11 on Wednesday, June 17th at Union Hill Baptist Church with Pastor Donnie Baker and Pastor Chad Drew officiating. Interment will follow at Westview Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6 until 8 on Tuesday, June 16th at Stanley Funeral Home in Wrightsville, GA.

Serving as pallbearers will be Phil Boatright, Josh Lord, Bobby Miller, Blake Keyton, Zac Keyton, Larry Powell, and Edd Tanner.

The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude to Shirley Taylor and Pruitt Hospice for the devotion, kindness, and care shown during Mr. Lord's illness.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Georgia Baptist Children's Home, 9420 Blackshear Highway SE, Baxley, GA 31513.

Anthony's legacy of faith, hard work, and love for his family will continue to live on in the hearts of those who were blessed to know him.

Stanley Funeral Home and Crematory/Wrightsville Chapel has charge of the funeral arrangements.

"Well done, good and faithful servant."

Matthew 25:23

In Memory Of



Anthony Ralph Lord

October 1, 1948 ~ June 15, 2026

WHEN I'M GONE

When I come to the end of my journey
And I travel my last weary mile,
Just forget if you can, that I ever frowned
And remember only the smile.
Forget unkind words I have spoken;
Remember some good I have done,
Forget that I ever had a heartache
And remember I've had loads of fun.
Forget that I have stumbled and blundered
And sometimes fell by the way.
Remember I have fought some hard battles
And won, ere the close of the day,
Then forget to grieve for my going,
I would not have you sad for a day,
But in summer just gather some flowers
And remember the place where I lay,
And come in the evening
When the sun paints the sky in the west
Stand for a few moments beside me
And remember only my best.

Love lives on forever

In Memory Of

Anthony Ralph Lord

Date of Birth

October 1, 1948

Entered Into Rest

June 15, 2026

Funeral Services

11:00 AM, Wednesday, June 17, 2026

Union Hill Baptist Church

Officiating

Rev. Donnie Baker

Rev. Chad Drew

Pallbearers

Phil Boatright

Josh Lord

Blake Keyton

Zac Keyton

Bobby Miller

Larry Powell

Edd Tanner

Interment

Westview Cemetery