



## Gary Lynn Herndon

October 11, 1951 - June 10, 2026

Gary Lynn Herndon, 74, of Dry Fork, Virginia, passed away on June 10, 2026, at Lynchburg General Hospital after a gentle decline in his health. Born on October 11, 1951, in Dry Fork to Walter and Gracie Herndon. Gary was a man who loved his hometown and the people in it.

He graduated from Chatham High School, Danville Community College, and Averett University. Gary started working at Sears in Danville when he was still very young, and it became the heart of his career. He briefly managed the Sears store in Martinsville before returning to Danville, where he retired as manager after many years of service.

Gary is lovingly remembered by his spouse, Francis Baki; his faithful dog, Buddy; cousins Lois Wells, Betty Milam; and countless other cousins and friends who cherished him. He was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Gracie Herndon; his brother, Jerry; and his wife, Carolyn.

Gary asked for no funeral or visitation. His family will hold a private burial later.

The family wants to express their deepest gratitude to the faculty and staff at Lynchburg General Hospital for the kindness and wonderful care Gary received. To everyone who helped care for him, sent phone calls and cards, or offered best wishes during his final days, thank you. Your love and support

meant the world to us. We also thank Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home, Westover Chapel for carrying out Gary's last wishes with care and respect.

Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes, Westover Chapel, is respectfully serving the Herndon family.

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