



Family-Placed Death Notice

W. ROGER SINGLETARY Roger Singletary, 41, of Conyers, died peacefully at his home on April 12, 2007, of a brain tumor. William Roger Singletary was born to William Clyde Singletary and Loraine Joan Engelman Singletary on June 22, 1965, in Pensacola, FL. As the son of a Marine, Roger's early childhood was spent in Okinawa, Japan; Beaufort, SC; and Alexandria, VA. The family later returned to Pensacola when Roger was in elementary school, before settling in nearby Milton. Roger graduated from Milton High School in 1983 and Auburn University in 1990 with a management degree. He married Laura Catherine Barnwell in Covington, GA, on July 21, 1990. Residents of Conyers since 1991, they are the parents are Meredith Adele Singletary, William Foster Singletary, Lyle Anthony Singletary, Whitley Lee Singletary, and Mitchell Lee Singletary. Roger was employed as a computer programmer/analyst by the Auburn Alumni Association, the Federal Reserve Bank and Georgia-Pacific. In 1997, he started his own SAP payroll consulting company. His clients included Johns Hopkins, Armstrong, PG&E, Ryder, MSA and Dade Behring as well as the states of North Carolina and Pennsylvania. A man of varied interests and talents, Roger saw his ongoing indoor and outdoor construction projects as stress relief from the computer world. However, many of his hobbies brought him right back to the computer, such as when he designed a Christmas light show set to music or programmed a speedometer for his bass boat. He also had an artistic side that dabbled in stained glass, photography and painting, indoor/outdoor housepainting only. His quiet side enjoyed reading, eating out, listening to talk radio and playing video games. He loved playing with his kids, setting up a good joke and being a sound guy for the praise band and Xstream at Ebenezer United Methodist Church. In addition to his wife and children, Roger is survived by his mother, Loraine Engelman Singletary, Milton, FL; sister and brother-in-law, Kim and Dale Macarthy, Milton, FL; in-laws, Foster and Laura Barnwell, Marietta, GA; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Patty and Kenny Richardson, nieces, Emily and Allison Richardson, and nephew, Scott Richardson, all of Greensboro, NC. He is also survived by a number of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. He was predeceased by his father. A celebration of Roger's life will be held at Ebenezer UMC, 2533 Stanton Road, Conyers, on Sunday, April 22, 2007, at 2 p.m. Casual dress is encouraged. The family requests no flowers. Instead donations in Roger's memory may be made to his beloved Ebenezer or braintrust.org, which provided online support since his brain tumor diagnosis five years ago. The Cremation Society of the SOUTH @ Eagles Landing is in charge of the arrangements (770)692-1181. Published in The Atlanta Journal-Constitution on 4/17/2007.

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