



## A Note of Thanks

Thank you for all your visits, thoughts, and prayers especially during these past six months. Your friendship and love have been such an encouragement. We have seen the body of Christ in action.

## In Lieu of Flowers

Donations may be made to  
The Gene Haynes Memorial Fund  
allocated to the Deacon's Fund.  
Checks should be payable to  
Perimeter Church  
9500 Medlock Bridge Road  
Johns Creek, GA 30097  
Please note "Gene Haynes Memorial Fund"

## Share a Memory

Notecards are available during the reception for guests to share any thoughts, stories, or scriptures for the Haynes family. This will be an encouragement and gift to cherish and treasure.  
We appreciate you!

# A CELEBRATION OF THE LIFE OF

## Gene Haynes

February 17, 1931 – November 1, 2023



November 10, 2023  
11:00 a.m.

Cecil B. Day Chapel of Perimeter Church

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life,  
And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.  
Psalm 23:6 (ESV)

Laurie Eugene (Gene) Haynes, 92, of Johns Creek, GA, passed away on November 1, 2023, peacefully at home. Born on February 17, 1931, in Richmond, VA, Gene was a loving husband, stepfather, grandfather, and friend.

Gene is survived by his wife, Lani Haynes, and stepdaughters Shannon Brabner (Bryan), Leslie King, and Kristin Storm (Greg). He was a beloved grandfather to his grandson Robert (Robbie) Lindner. He was preceded in death by his mother, Louise (Johnson) Lanuette, his father, George Haynes, and his brother, Kenneth Haynes (Connie).

After graduating high school, Gene became the lead guitarist in a country band. He would love country music for the rest of his life. Gene attended Virginia Tech for his higher education. He then served in the U.S. Air Force from 1948 to 1952 and was honorably discharged as a Korean War veteran.

After leaving the Air Force, Gene joined Western Electric for ten years and then left to start his own successful home repair business. Gene retired at the age of 67, after several decades of hard work.

Gene was an active member of Perimeter Church for 10 years, where he found community and felt at home. He enjoyed country and ballroom dancing with his beloved wife, Lani, and had a passion for reading non-fiction. He was known to consult his dictionary daily and had a knack for inventing better ways to do things around the house. Gene had a special love for animals and country music. On Saturdays, he watched animal shows during the day and went country dancing at night.

Gene will be dearly missed by his family, friends, and all who had the pleasure of knowing him. He was tenderhearted toward others, especially children, and an encourager to all of us to be intentional in our thinking. Gene believed in asking "why and what if?" May his legacy live on through the memories and those he leaves behind.



## ORDER OF SERVICE

Family Processional <i>Amazing Grace</i>	Cameron Bible
Welcome and Prayer	Kelly Ward
Scripture Reading <i>Psalms 23</i>	Erin Grass
Presentational Hymn <i>How Deep the Father's Love</i>	Cameron Bible
Family Tributes	Shannon Brabner Suanne Collmus Don Henry
Congregational Hymn <i>It Is Well</i>	Cameron Bible Herschel Hatcher
Pastoral Message	Rev. Dr. Randy Schlicting
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Dr. Randy Schlicting
Presentational Hymn <i>In the Garden</i>	Herschel Hatcher
Benediction	Rev. Dr. Randy Schlicting
Family Recessional <i>I'll Fly Away</i>	Cameron Bible Herschel Hatcher

Please join the family in the Ministry Center for a reception.