



Daniel Lee Greene

August 16, 1953 - August 14, 2016

Daniel Lee Greene, 62, died August 14, 2016.

A native of Atlanta, Georgia, son of the late Victor Adair and Mariella Miller Greene, he was a U.S. Navy Veteran and was a retired band director for Anderson County District 1.

Surviving are his wife, Gail Hensley Greene of the home; a son, Austin Greene of Raleigh, North Carolina; a brother, Vic Greene (Janet) of Franklin, North Carolina; and two sisters, Lynn Miller (Alex) of Montreat, North Carolina and Shawn Sutton (Jim) of Old Fort, North Carolina.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, August 17, 2016 at The Wood Mortuary. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held 10:00-10:45 a.m. Wednesday at The Wood Mortuary.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road
Duncan, SC 29334

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 17. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fair Winds & Following Seas Brother Dan.*

Hugh O'Handley - August 17, 2016 at 01:36 PM



“ *Fair Winds and Following Seas Sailor Dan. Goodbye old friend, fellow; Vet, band member & wearer of an aerodynamic hairstyle. You rocked it Dan. RIP, Hugh*

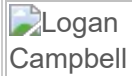
Hugh O'Handley - August 17, 2016 at 01:10 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



August 17, 2016 at 07:51 AM



“ *Mr. Greene was my middle school band director at Powdersville Middle School. I remember my first day in band, holding a small bent single French horn, and his smile was encouraging, comforting, and reassuring that things would work out. His humor was very different than other teachers at the school and his influence on my life has made such a difference. I have gone on to pursue music at Furman University. I am currently sitting in my guest home in Germany where I will be spending the next year refining my German, studying at the Leipzig Music Conservatory, and then finding an internship. I can't even begin to say how much I wish I could thank him one more time for being the person he was. All my prayers and thoughts go out to his family and friends.*

Logan Campbell - August 16, 2016 at 04:27 PM

JG

“ *Jeff and Gail Greer purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



Jeff and Gail Greer - August 16, 2016 at 03:02 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



August 16, 2016 at 12:52 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



August 16, 2016 at 12:22 PM



“ *Steve & Kathleen Miller purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



Steve & Kathleen Miller - August 16, 2016 at 11:23 AM



“ *Mr. Greene made a lasting impact on my life! When I first met him as my band director, I was an 8th grader entering the high school marching band at Berea. He scared the daylights out of me. I was intimidated. But I fell in love with him. I admire him, quite possibly, more than any teacher I've ever had. In my office where I work, I have a magnet attached to a file cabinet that reads, "NO WHINING!" He frequently yelled that to the band on the field. He was a fundamental, disciplined, hard-working man. I'm thankful to have known him and been under his influence for a time. I have too many precious memories to share about his impact; but I'm truly thankful for his life, I loved him very much. I talk of him frequently. Prayers to the family! - Jeremy P. Wakefield*

Jeremy Wakefield - August 16, 2016 at 11:20 AM

TA

“ *The Suttons, Gary, Bettye, Cathy, Barry, Glenn, Am purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



The Suttons, Gary, Bettye, Cathy, Barry, Glenn, Am - August 16, 2016 at 10:46 AM

AB

“ *Ann and Judy Bowles purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



Ann and Judy Bowles - August 16, 2016 at 08:21 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.*



August 16, 2016 at 05:13 AM

RE

“ *Mr. Greene was a wonderful band director. He instilled so many life lessons that have helped shape me into who I am today. I am honored to have know such an amazing person. Thoughts and prayers for his family during this time of loss.*

Reagan - August 16, 2016 at 04:54 AM

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“ Mr Greenes band class was one of a kind.. There was never a dull moment. Once I remember him playing bagpipes for the entire class. He was hilarious, a terrific bagpipe player, and even more-- he was an amazing teacher that thought life lessons, and music too, to many of us who had him. "To be early is to be on time, to be on time is to be late, and to be late is unacceptable!" He will be always remembered and deeply missed! Rest in Peace Mr. Greene!



Ashley Talmage (Clark) - August 16, 2016 at 12:18 AM

RE

“ Mr. Greene was a wonderful band director. He instilled very important life lessons that helped make me part of who I am today. I am so thankful that I had the honor of knowing him. Thoughts and prayers for his family.

Reagan - August 15, 2016 at 10:23 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.



August 15, 2016 at 08:16 PM

SG

“ I am so sorry to hear about Dan’s passing. I hope the love of family & friends will comfort and strengthen you during this difficult time. Although no words can really help to ease your loss, know that you are in my thoughts...

Sincerely,
Steven R. Galloway

Steven R Galloway - August 15, 2016 at 07:36 PM

DK

“ My prayers are with the family. Doris Khoe

doris khoe - August 15, 2016 at 07:22 PM

JG

“ My heart is broken. There were many tears shed on the phone today among close friends and 1972 Byrnes High School graduates. We all loved each other very much. Dan was such a good friend and we laughed a lot. He was such a good musician and always someone to admire. Gail, Vic, Lynn, Shawn - I won't be able to be there Wednesday because I am scheduled for back surgery that day. But know that Dan will be in my heart and all of you will be included in my prayers.

- Judith Anne Blackwell Goodwin

Judith Blackwell Goodwin - August 15, 2016 at 07:01 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Greene.



August 15, 2016 at 05:15 PM

SE

“ *A true teacher! Dan Greene showed great kindness to our daughters and inspired them! He will be missed!*
Sallie Eisengrein

Sallie Eisengrein - August 15, 2016 at 02:05 PM

NW

“ *A piper and friend who I will always miss in the circle! A brilliant man and I'm a better person to have had him in my life!*

Nicholas Williams
former Pipe Major of the City of Greenville Pipes & Drums

Nicholas Williams - August 15, 2016 at 12:22 PM

JG

“ *"At Fiddler's Green, where seamen true
When here they've done their duty
The bowl of grog shall still renew
And pledge to love and beauty."*

*A sailor has stood his last watch.
Hand SALUTE. Ready, Two.
Jeff G*

Jeffrey Greer - August 15, 2016 at 11:57 AM

RJ

“ *Russell Justice lit a candle in memory of
Daniel Lee Greene*



Russell Justice - August 15, 2016 at 11:44 AM

SJ

Dan served the lord, his country and his family! Our heartfelt sympathy reaches out to his family. Rest in peace my friend.

Sandy Jones - August 15, 2016 at 05:41 PM

WH

I am so sorry for your loss. May your faith guide and comfort you at this time. Wayne Hindman

Wayne Hindman - August 16, 2016 at 07:59 PM

RH

Gail, Austin, Lynn, Shawn, and Vic: I'm so sorry for your loss. Dan was one of a kind.

Robert Harris - August 17, 2016 at 02:09 PM

CS

It's hard to believe that Dan is no longer physically here with us. I don't hear a bagpipe playing that he doesn't come to mind and I remember our days in the Philippines. Dan was definitely one of a kind.

COL (R) Carol Solesbee - August 10, 2021 at 11:28 AM