

## Mr. Marcus Barry Couch

### Obituary

Mr. Marcus Barry Couch, age 61, of Senoia, Ga., died suddenly on March 22, 2009 at Piedmont Atlanta Hospital.

Barry was a native of Coweta County and was born Nov. 1, 1947 to Vance Addy and Elna Whitlock Couch. His father, a brother, Eddie and also, a son, Marcus Couch, preceded Barry in death. After serving in the United States Army, Barry worked at and retired from Ford Motor Co. A Baptist by faith, he was also a member of the Masonic Lodge #82 in Senoia. Barry's life was a life exemplified by the simple pleasures of family, friends and fishing. He was also the "go to" man if there was barbecue and stew to be prepared. Life took on a whole new dimension for him when his grandchildren entered his life. Nothing gave him more pleasure than being a grandfather to Brantley and Autumn.

His mother Elna Whitlock Couch, his wife, Robin Horne Couch and his children Michael Couch, Maurey Couch, April Couch Duke and her husband Marty and Ashley Couch survive Barry. His grandchildren are Brantley Couch and Autumn Duke.

Funeral arrangements are by McKoon Funeral Home at 38 Jackson St., Newnan, Ga., where the family will receive friends on Tuesday between 5 and 8 p.m. The funeral service will be on Wednesday, March 25, at 2 p.m. in the McKoon Funeral Home chapel with Reverend Ron Whitlock officiating. Interment will be in The Senoia City Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family has suggested that memorial contributions be made in Barry's memory to The American Cancer Society, 301 Kelly Drive, Suite 3, Peachtree City GA 30269. Online condolences may be expressed at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com). McKoon Funeral Home, Newnan, Ga.