



## Mr. Arland M. McMullen Jr.

June 8, 1962 - December 4, 2017

Arland M. McMullen, Jr., 55, of 614 North Flagship Drive, Salem, longtime companion of, Eliana Peck, of 3815 Walnut Grove Way, Gainesville, GA, passed away, Monday, December 4, 2017, at his home.

A native of Birdsboro, PA, Mr. McMullen was the son of Arland McMullen, Sr. and the late Yvonne Roman. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and later retired from Sawtek Incorporated as the Director of Assembly Operations for the Orlando, FL and Costa Rica Plants. He served as President of the Keowee Key Property Owners Association and the Board of Directors. Mr. McMullen was an active board member of Les Marmitons, volunteered with Hospice of the Foothills and participated in Small Business Association Counseling. He was President of the Keowee Key Wine Appreciation Club, founder of the Booze and Beyond Club of Keowee Key and also volunteered in numerous committees in Oconee County and Keowee Key. Mr. McMullen attended St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church.

In addition to his father and longtime companion, Mr. McMullen is survived by his daughter: Miranda Anderson of Taylors, SC; brother: Matthew McMullen of Las Vegas, NV; sisters: Jackie and Beth Seasholtz both of PA; and three grandchildren: Rebekah Hope Anderson, Ronnie William Anderson and Rachel Grace Anderson all of Taylors, SC.

A private family service will be held. A public celebration of life service will be announced at a later date.

The family is at their respective homes.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Arland M. McMullen Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *How do you measure a man's wealth?*

*Do you count the obvious? Do you count his friends? If we are totally honest with our self we stop counting on one hand. Or do we look at his children and the friends he left behind?*

*Its been almost five years since I learned of his passing. I miss my friend, he has been with me for over 40 years.*

ernie - July 28, 2022 at 11:09 PM



“ *3 files added to the album Arland and Friends*



Bob Birchmore - December 08, 2017 at 06:34 AM



“ *I feel fortunate to have known Arland. He was kind, caring, and so dedicated to the betterment of Keowee Key. He was an outstanding leader and will be missed so much.*

Jan Liddle - December 07, 2017 at 01:46 PM

JY

“ To all of Arland's family and friends - we have lost a very spirited young man - who would do everything in his power to make things better for everyone. We are the ones blessed in so many ways from his friendship, love and laughter. Our lives are enhanced just by knowing him. Even though it will be difficult not having him around - hearing his voice - or, seeing his smile - we will remember him in our hearts.

Let us celebrate his new life! 🍷

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**Jan Villa and Ron Yatsko** - December 07, 2017 at 11:53 AM

BS

“ Sylvia and I will miss Arland very much. We enjoyed knowing him on both a personal and professional (KKPOA) basis. Sylvia appreciated the opportunity to talk with him in September and discuss their mutual illnesses. His advice in community matters was both valuable and encouraging to me as an HOA officer. Again, we will both miss him. Our very deepest condolences to all of you family members. Barry & Sylvia Stuart

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**Barry Stuart** - December 07, 2017 at 10:39 AM

CL

“ Arland was perhaps the best friend Keowee Key has ever had. He was a walking, talking marketing program, always with the community's best interests at heart. He was bright, dedicated and hardworking. But above all, he was kind. We will never forget his proposal to establish a "Friends and Neighbors" table at the Club on Thanksgivings so no one will have to eat alone on that holiday. The year before, Arland had noticed some singles and couples having dinner at the Club by themselves, apparently having no family or friends nearby with whom to share the holiday. So the following Thanksgiving Arland hosted a table for many thankful souls. He did so the following year, and again this past Thanksgiving, perhaps when he wasn't really feeling up to it. What an extraordinarily thoughtful person Arland was. It was a privilege for us to know him.  
Charles & Joy Lutz

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**Charles Lutz** - December 06, 2017 at 03:21 PM

RW

“ Arland truly personified goodness. He was a friend to all that he met and cared about everyone he met.  
No one has served Keowee Key with the love, passion and commitment that Arland has. He loved this neighborhood deeply and he wanted everyone here to have the same passion for Keowee Key.  
To Eliana, Miranda, and all of his family, remember that he was a man loved by many.  
I was blessed by Arland's friendship.

Rita Weaner

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**RITA WEANER** - December 06, 2017 at 02:39 PM

CS

“ We will always remember Arland walking with his grandchildren and stopping to say hello to us. The grandchildren were a true delight to meet (and very well behaved and polite). We learned that evening his daughter and the grandchildren were the foundation to move to our area. On a later walk we met his daughter and witnessed the same love and admiration for her father. He lived by example, and his family is a glowing reflection of love and commitment.

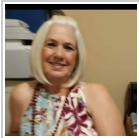
*We were also blessed to have his leadership and burning desire to give so much to our community.*

*It was truly an honor to know Arland and see how to live life and give so much to everyone.*

*Curt and Susan Schneider*

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**curt schneider** - December 05, 2017 at 10:14 PM



“ Kathy Addis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arland M. McMullen Jr.



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**Kathy Addis** - December 05, 2017 at 07:34 PM

SS

“ Arland was a good friend & neighbor. He gave so much to our community of Keowee Key. He had what seemed to be an almost limitless supply of energy, enthusiasm, and optimism. He always gave 110% to everything.

*One of the memories I have of him is at the end of each Wine Club dinner at Keowee Key, Arland as President getting up to thank the cooking and wait staff by name. And then, announcing that “All of the young people are going to the bar.”*

*He will be greatly missed.*

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**Steven Smith** - December 05, 2017 at 02:41 PM

ME

“ Arland will always serve as an inspiration for his gracious manner, concern for others and courage in the face of adversity. He justly earned his reputation as Keowee Key's ambassador-in-chief, as he warmly welcomed newcomers and prospective buyers to the community. His encouraging words were always genuine and heartfelt. The community has lost a champion and caring friend.

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**Margaret Eldridge** - December 05, 2017 at 02:21 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *Arland and Friends*



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**Steven Smith** - December 05, 2017 at 11:51 AM