



*Cecil Scott Carson*

**Nov. 4, 1961 - May 2, 2026**

Cecil Scott Carson, 64, of Morganton, NC, passed away Saturday, May 2, 2026.

Born in Wake County, NC on November 4, 1961, he was the son of the late Donald Roy Carson and Jean Marie Davis Carson.

Cecil was a veteran of the NC National Guard and retired as a lieutenant from the Burke County Sheriff's Office. He was a faithful member of Foothills Christian Church, where he always greeted every Sunday morning and helped with children's church every Wednesday. Cecil loved the great outdoors. He especially loved to hike and spend time at Grandfather Mountain. Mr. Carson was a loving husband, father, grandfather, uncle, and friend.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Jannie Lee Eller Carson; daughter, Jodi Carson; son, Dustin Carson (Rachel); grandchildren, River and Lakelyn Carson; step-son, Matt Ingram; step-grandsons, Remington and Harrison Ingram; sister, Donna Carson (Bruce); nieces, Alicia (Chris), Amber, and Sarah; great-nephews, Mason, Benton, Reilly, Dalton, Trenton, and Joe; great-niece, Paris; uncle and aunt, Rufus and Margaret Davis; and numerous cousins and friends.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 to 2 p.m., Thursday, May 7, 2026 at Foothills Christian Church, 211 Lenoir Road, Morganton. The funeral will be held at 2

ROBERTS CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 211 LENOX ROAD, MORGANTON. THE FUNERAL WILL BE HELD AT 2 p.m. in the church with Pastor Patrick Bradshaw officiating. Burial will follow at Burke Memorial Park with honors provided by the Burke County Sheriff's Office.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



–Anonymous



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Cecil's heart was pure gold. Love and prayers for family.

–Tony & Doris Thompson

You were more than just an uncle...you were a guiding light and a source of inspiration! Your infectious laughter and warm smile brightened even the gloomiest days. Rest easy big uncle C I love you always and forever

–Sarah Bame

–Eddie Prewitt

Well done, thou good and faithful frien! RIP. ALWAYS A SMILE FOR EVERYONE AND A HELPING HAND!

–Glenda Truax

Cecil was one of the nicest officers ever, and so cheerful and kind. In 1999, Cecil and Bobby Joe Johnson went with the All America City group to Philadelphia. They were very impressive, and contributed a lot to working with the kids. I'm sorry to hear of his passing.

–Debbie Bradley



Cecil was like a big brother and was so good to me and to everyone else he worked with at BCSO. He made a positive difference every single day. Prayers for his family, friends, and past co-workers from BCSO and Broughton. The world has sadly lost a hero while heaven has joyously received an angel. Rest easy my "brother" Cecil.

–Renee C. Carswell



Cecil, you will be missed. Your smiling face and great stories. I'm so glad I was about to see and talk to you recently. Go rest high on that mountain. Prayers are with all the family. God Bless you all during this difficult time.

–Frances Curry



Sincerest condolences to an amazing man I've had the privilege of knowing since I was a small kid. Hate to hear of his passing, but Heaven gained a good one! I'm sure he is



celebrating big with Jesus.

–Tiffany M



Rest In Peace Brother. Know you are loved and missed. I look forward to seeing you in Heaven . Prayers for the family

–David Stikeleather

–Wanda Stacy

Cecil was always the jolliest person no matter where you run into him! He will truly be missed by all who knew him! Praying for comfort and peace only God can give during this difficult time!! RIP friend!! Love and hugs to the family!!

–Carolyn Stamey

So very sorry to hear about Cecil. He was a kind and thoughtful man. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. James and Sharon Carlton

–Sharon H Carlton



–Jared Callahan

