



## Arthur "Chip" Builta

June 15, 1955 - May 4, 2026

Arthur "Chip" Builta will be remembered as a devoted husband, loving father, faithful servant, and cherished friend whose life reflected kindness, generosity, and unwavering faith.

He treasured his family above all else and was a devoted husband to Wonda and proud father to Shelby, Emory and Taylor. He is survived by his siblings, Scott and Kathleen as well as many nieces, nephews and family.

Deeply rooted in his church community, Chip lived his faith through service to others. He faithfully volunteered each week at the Prodissee Pantry food distribution center, always offering a helping hand and a warm smile to those in need. He also brought companionship and joy to residents at the Brennity assisted living facility, where his mother, Nancy, resides. An avid cyclist and traveler, he found joy in adventure, meaningful experiences, and time spent with those he loved most.

He proudly attended the United States Naval Academy, following in the footsteps of his father, Arthur Builta Sr., and carrying forward a legacy of honor, integrity, and dedication. Chip's life was defined by faith, compassion, and service. He leaves behind a lasting legacy of love that will continue to live on in the hearts of his family, friends, and all who were blessed to know him.

A Celebration of His Life will be held at 2 p.m., Sunday, May 17, 2026, at East Mt. Zion United Methodist Church. Burial will follow in church cemetery with James & Lipford Funeral Home in Graceville directing.

Family will receive friends at the church Sunday, 1:00 PM until time of service.

# Cemetery Details

## E. Mt. Zion United Methodist Church Cemetery

1590 Hwy. 173  
Graceville, FL 32440

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Celebration of Life

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