



Calvin L. Gordon

January 25, 1966 - February 19, 2016

Mr. Calvin L. Gordon, 50, of Newnan passed away Friday, February 19, 2016 as a result of an automobile accident. Calvin was born January 25, 1966 in Estill, SC to Richard Lee Roberts & Aretha Gordon Holt. His father preceded him in death.

At his early career, Calvin honorably served in the U.S. Army during Operation Desert Shield. He then started some small businesses for a few years prior to joining the Norfolk Southern Railways and held the position as a Locomotive Engineer. He was known as a quiet gentleman with a great smile and some people called him "Cowboy" at work. During his employment with Norfolk Southern, he received his Master of Business Administration from Colorado Technical University Online.

He met his wife when they studied at Colorado Technical University Online and started attending Crossroads Church Newnan and he joined in Holy Matrimony to the love of his life, Triesje Gordon. Calvin was the greatest husband who brought warm comfort, joy, happiness and always took good care of his wife and all his children.

He was the man who knew how to get things done tediously, loved doing yard work, he was willing to try and to learn new things.

The funeral is Thursday, February 25, 2016 at 10 o'clock at Crossroads

Church, 3260 Hwy 16 East, Sharpsburg, GA with Rev. John Hobbs officiating. The burial, with military honors, is Thursday at 1:30 PM at Georgia National Cemetery, 1080 Scott Hudgens Drive, Canton, GA. The visitation is Wednesday evening between 6:00-8:00 at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Disabled American Veterans, P.O. Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301 or at www.dav.org/donate

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Calvin will always be remembered in the hearts of the love of his life and best friend, Triesje Gordon; mother: Aretha Gordon Holt; mother in-law: Mikeyana Lesmana; sister in-law: Rita Hermawan; aunts: Mary Etta Mickels, Mamie Martin, Betty Major, his children: Calvin D. Gordon, Christella K. Dhammaputri, Tasya C. Dhammaputri; siblings: Ruth Mayner, Laveda (Ilya) Odom, Lorenzo Roberts, Chandra Brooks, LaTosha (Alex) Grant; cousins, nieces and nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

THE OTHER HALF OF ME, MY HERO WHO BROUGHT BACK JOY AND COMFORT IN MY LIFE

As a husband, he was a very caring, romantic and thoughtful. When I first knew him in college until the end of his life, I have seen huge transformation that he changed into a more godly man. He may be a sinner just as we all are, but since he married me, he kept his promises that he would always do his best to be a godly husband like Jesus loves His church and a husband who always pray with me daily. He was a great provider for our family, my best friend who was always there for me, the best teacher who taught me a lot

about how to be loved like a queen, who put all my broken pieces back together, who always comforted me, encouraged and supported me in whatever I decided to do. who always allowed me to be myself and has seen my worst but still loved me for who I am. Not only he was a very smart man and multi talented, he was also very wise in making decisions for us. His mindset and concept about life taught me a lot to be wiser, more mature, and more careful in things I did. His kindness and generosity that made me so falling in love with him. He almost met all the promises he made to my mother when he proposed me that he would always take good care of me and treat me like a queen. The only thing I wish he could keep is to grow old with me for better and worse, sickness and health, richer and poorer.

I am so grateful to be loved and to have him in my life even though for a short time. He was my best friend, wonderful husband, my hero, my other half who was always willing make time to listen and to learn together. His dignity and kindness taught me to trust again. I cannot describe any better how lucky I was to have the man like him who was willing to lead and to complete each other as one in our short life journey together. My heart still ache and heavy to accept that he is no longer physically around me, but he will always have a special place in my heart. The thing that he always told me that tomorrow is not promising, just enjoy what we have at the moment while we can with no regrets. Thank you babe for loving me, for bringing back joy and comfort and for being such a wonderful husband to me. My other half, you are greatly missed and I know we are temporarily apart until we meet again in heaven. I love you very much sweetheart and I do my very best to honor you as the head of our family!!!

- Wife Triesje Gordon -

MY LOVING SON

Calvin was my only son who always took good care of me, never complained, and was a super tough man. I wish you were still here with all of us.....

You chose the right woman to be your wife who become my daughter now.... I love you, son!!!

- Mother Aretha Gordon Holt -

LOVING FATHER TO HIS SON

He had an entrepreneurial personality and was very hard-working no matter what to provide for his family. He loved all his family both from his mother and father's side and was very outgoing in their presence. His early demise sadly has affected me. Growing up, he taught me many skills ranging from mechanical engineering to farming and house repair. In return I taught him as well, things such as electronics, how to repair and use computer software and hardware. It is through these little exchanges that I shall never forget. Though his job called him to be far away he was never far from my thoughts. He was the man who tried to do the best he could even in any bad situation that was to be admired. It is because of this I will always love, cherish and remember you my humanly father, Calvin L. Gordon, may you rest in peace.

- Son Calvin D. Gordon -

BEST DAD

He taught us how to be treated as ladies by seeing the way he treated our mother lovingly. You will always be our Superman and Master Chef in our memories. We love you, Dad!

- Daughters Christella and Tasya -

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Drive
Canton, GA 30114

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **24**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

FEB **25**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Crossroads Church Hwy 16 Campus
3260 GA Hwy 16
Sharpsburg, GA 30277

Tribute Wall

RD

“ I can't believe your gone you will truly be missed you were one the best friends I had in the Army. God bless you and I'll see you when I get to heaven.

Regina Donald - April 20, 2016 at 04:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Calvin L. Gordon.



February 24, 2016 at 07:28 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Sibling Bond



Laveda Odom - February 24, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Calvin L. Gordon.



February 24, 2016 at 12:17 PM




“ 104 files added to the album LifeTributes



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - February 24, 2016 at 08:58 AM



“ You've been sharing your light with me and I am sending this light to you in heaven that our lights will be reunited again there in heaven. I know we will be together again in heaven. I love you very much babe!!! 



Triesje Gordon - February 23, 2016 at 11:10 PM



“ Richard Hogan lit a candle in memory of Calvin L. Gordon



Richard Hogan - February 23, 2016 at 10:26 PM



“ You always smiled, even when I said the dumbest things. Thanks for always being there for me. I love you.



Christella Dhammaputri - February 23, 2016 at 09:24 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Calvin L. Gordon.



February 23, 2016 at 07:50 PM



“ gone but never forgotten, so long my brother and we all shall meet again . your present will be missed but the memories will live forever in the minds of hearths of many. we all think when something bad occur it's the end but in reality the beginning is only darning. [A FRIEND THAT I'M GLAD TO HAVE MET IN THIS LIFE TIME SO LONG]K.C. DAVIS

K.C. DAVIS - February 23, 2016 at 06:20 PM



“ *Grande Gourmet Fruit Basket was purchased for the family of Calvin L. Gordon.*



February 23, 2016 at 04:36 PM



“ *Forever in our prayers, Joe and Stacy Basilone purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Calvin L. Gordon.*



Forever in our prayers, Joe and Stacy Basilone - February 23, 2016 at 11:54 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Calvin*



Friend - February 23, 2016 at 09:49 AM



“ *Rosa Taylor lit a candle in memory of Calvin L. Gordon*



Rosa Taylor - February 23, 2016 at 07:41 AM

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I will truly miss you my quiet but sweet and loving cousin

Rosa Taylor - February 23, 2016 at 07:46 AM

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“ 1 file added to the album Calvin



Laveda Odom - February 23, 2016 at 07:14 AM

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Love and miss you my dear brother. Rest in peace. Will forever remember your sweet, humble spirit. Your sister, Laveda

Laveda Odom - February 23, 2016 at 12:30 PM

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“ *Laveda Odom lit a candle in memory of Calvin L. Gordon*



Laveda Odom - February 23, 2016 at 07:08 AM

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“ *This obituary is a beautiful and loving tribute to a wonderful man. I'm so glad that Calvin made it to Jesus. He is an inspiration for everyone who knew and loved him. May God continue to bless and comfort you all in your time of need. Remember that earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal.*

Friend - February 23, 2016 at 12:32 AM