



Dennis James Herron

January 29, 1951 - May 24, 2012

Dennis James Herron, age 61, departed this life May 24, 2012. He was surrounded by his family. He leaves to cherish his memory, his beloved wife of 40 years, Martha Herron; his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Herron; his beloved children, Christie H. Crouch (Tracy), Jason D. Herron; a granddaughter, Harper Crouch; his brother, William A. Herron (Sandra), a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other loving relatives and friends. Dennis was preceded in death by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Herron, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. William Heaton; Visitation will be from 12 o'clock PM until service time on Saturday, May 26, 2012 with the memorial service to begin at 1 o'clock PM in the Chapel of McKoon Funeral Home with Rev. Rick Price officiating. Dennis received his formal education through the Jefferson County School System and after graduating from Banks High School in May, 1969, attended The University of Alabama where he received a Bachelor of Science and a Master of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering. He participated in a fellowship research project with Professor Dr. Hill on the design for Hubble space arm. In his leisure time, he enjoyed playing golf, tennis, traveling abroad, and helping others that he loved and those new to the family. But most of all, he loved spending time with his wife, children, parents, and family. He was proud of his children and cherished being a grandfather. Dennis James Herron was truly blessed with family and friends who enjoyed his company and his youthful personality. Pallbearers will be Rick Miller, Cole Herron, Terry House, Sr., Frank E. Summers, III,

Terry House, Jr., and Gergory J. Murphy. The family wishes to thank Dennis's care team: Doctors at Mayo Clinic in Jacksonville, Florida, doctors and nurses at Gentiva Hospice and especially Dr. Vijay Patel for their continuous support. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial gifts be designated for cancer research at Mayo Clinic. Memorials can be made online at www.mayoclinic.org/development or mailed to Department of Development, Mayo Clinic, 200 First St. SW, Rochester, MN 55905. McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St. Newnan GA 30263, 770-253-4580.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 26. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

MAY 26. 1:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
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Tribute Wall

PW

“ I would like to offer my condolences to the Herron family and also share a comforting promise from the Bible. At Revelation 21:3-4 where Jehovah God will very soon wipe every tear from our eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.

P. Watts - June 06, 2012 at 07:55 AM

JO

“ Martha & family, We are so very sad for your loss of Dennis. Our prayers and sympathies are with you all as you journey through this very difficult time. I (Eileen Harrell O'Connell) was the secretary to the engineering group back in 1983 when I was hired at Bonnell. I was very blessed to have met and worked for such a fine man. He was highly respected by many, including myself. It was obvious he loved you all & delighted in his family. I pray that the Lord surrounds you with His love & comforting spirit in the hard days ahead. God bless you and keep you close in his arms. With kindest regards,
Eileen & Jim O'Connell

Jim & Eileen (Harrell) O'Connell - May 26, 2012 at 09:21 AM

VF

“ MARTHA CHRISTI JASON; you are in our hearts and prayers .we grieve with with you over the loss of DENNY please look after your self MARTHA LOVE UNCLE VIC AUNT MARIE AND DANIEL ALEXIS AND SUSAN AND FAMILIES!

vic and marie heaton and family - May 25, 2012 at 01:04 PM

DA

“ Martha, Christie and Jason, I am so sorry to hear about Dennis' passing. He was a role model and mentor for me and he will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

David Asher - May 25, 2012 at 12:16 PM

TW

“ Martha and Family, I am so sorry to hear of Dennis' passing. My thoughts are with you during this time. Tammy

Tammy (Asher) Whaley - May 25, 2012 at 09:00 AM