



Emmett Rufus Long

February 27, 1960 - April 8, 2011

Emmett R. Long, Jr, beloved son, adored brother & brother-in-law, devoted uncle & great uncle, and loving friend, died Friday, April 08, 2011. He was born February 27, 1960 in Newnan, GA to Emmett R. Long, Sr. & Linda Stitcher Long. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Alec & Mary Long and Buford & Essie Stitcher.

Emmett was a lifelong member of Lovejoy Memorial United Methodist Church, a graduate of Newnan High School and attended The University of Georgia. He was a self employed antiques dealer.

The memorial service is Tuesday, April 12, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. at Lovejoy Memorial United Methodist Church with Rev. Kathy Broadwater and Rev. Jim Hearn officiating. The family will receive friends in the church fellowship hall following the memorial service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions should be made to Lovejoy Memorial United Methodist Church, 60 East Washington St, Newnan, GA 30263.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Survivors include parents, Linda & Emmett Long, Sr.; sister, Dora Long Hayes & husband Benny; nieces, Ashley Desjardin & her husband Dwayne, Lindy Hayes, AnDrea Scott; great-nephew, Benjamin Desjardin; aunt & uncle, Ed & Ellen Long; aunt, Mary Ann Ferrell; great-aunt, Edna Neill; many cousins & friends; and best friends, Tony Long & Wayne Smith.

McKoon Funeral Home (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
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Previous Events

Service

APR 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

Lovejoy Memorial United Methodist Church
60 E. Washington St.
Newnan, GA 30263-

Visitation

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Tribute Wall

CS

“ I met Emmett in high school. We became really good friends. He asked me out on a date one time to go to the Shenandoah Ice Skating Rink. When we arrived, I found out the reason we went there. His ex girlfriend worked there. He asked me there to make her jealous. We remained close friends after that, but we never dated again.

Emmett started dating my best friend, Donna Robinson. They had been dating a while and Valentines Day was fast approaching. Donna was excited about the thought of getting something nice from Emmett. To her surprise, he showed up with a rose bush for her. He said she could plant it in the yard and have something to always remember him by. In a way, I found it to be kind of romantic. I don't think Donna thought so. I believe she was a little disappointed. Anyhow, to my dismay I lost contact with both Donna and Emmett when I moved away from Newnan. Sadly, I won't have the chance to reunite with either of them. They have both passed away way too early. I loved them both dearly and I will always regret losing touch. I will always remember Emmett for his smile and laugh, the way he kept me laughing and for his friendship.

May you rest in peace, Emmett. I hope that we will all be reunited one day. In the meantime, I want you and Donna to have some good times the way we used to, but try to stay out of trouble.
Love always, Cathy Smith

Cathy Smith - January 10, 2023 at 04:33 AM

CH

“ Dear Bud and Linda, I was so sorry to hear that Emmett had passed away. We are not supposed to bury our children before ourselves it would seem. I know God had another plan because my Faith tells me He did. I pray for you all to have peace as you go through this grieving time. Remember that silly Emmett over there on his bike on Elm Circle.....aggravating all the girls!! He had a fine sense of humor!!! My deepest sympathy. Peace to you all that loved him....Cindy Moore Hines

Cindy Moore Hines - April 17, 2011 at 10:26 PM

PB

“ Dear Linda & Bud: Have been away, returned home last night and read in the newspaper about the loss of your son. I am so very sorry and I cannot really imagine what you are going through. You must feel overwhelmed. Just know that you have so many friends who love and care for you and we are all praying that you will feel God's love and comfort. With my love, Pat Brown

Pat Brown - April 13, 2011 at 10:41 AM

JJ

“ Linda and Bud We were so sorry to hear of the loss of your son. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Helen & John Flinn

john flinn jr. - April 12, 2011 at 09:02 PM

PE

“ Becky and I extend our deepest sympathy to you and Linda in this trying time. We can honestly say we know what you're going through, having lost our son Paul Jr in November , 2007. May you always remember the happy times, although this is difficult. Remember, one day, we shall all be together again. God Bless you in this trying time. Love, Paul & Becky Elkins

Paul (Wendell) Elkins - April 12, 2011 at 06:10 PM

MF

“ *My sweet Ashley! I wish there was something I could do to take the pain away that you are expericing since the loss of your Uncle Emmett. Please know that I am here for you & that I love you! My thoughts & prayerts are with you & your family. I love you! Missy*

Missy Frampton - April 12, 2011 at 02:39 PM

LG

“ *With deepest sympathy, Lee and Inger Gilstrap*

Lee and Inger Gilstrap - April 12, 2011 at 11:23 AM

NS

“ *Just wanted you to know we are thinking about all of you and you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Nancy Spradlin / Joan Spradlin - April 12, 2011 at 09:47 AM

BA

“ *My Dear Friends, We are so sorry for your loss. Just remember God does not give us more than we can handle and that he is in his new Heavenly home. You have been some of our dearest friends for all these years and our hearts are filled with sadness for your family. We love you all and wish there were something we could do but only God and time will really do that. We will be here if needed, Love Barb and Gene*

Barb and Gene Ankrom - April 12, 2011 at 08:40 AM

BB

“ I was so shocked to hear of Emmett's passing. I am so very sorry I can't be at the memorial service. You are in my prayers. Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal. Love you all! Betty Jean

Betty Jean Bowers - April 12, 2011 at 08:25 AM

JE

“ Emmett was one of the best friends I ever had. We became friends when I was about 14; I would visit my Grand parents T.H. and Fannie Maude Eidson and my Uncle Tim. Tim and Emmett were close friends and through Tim, Emmett and I became fast friends. The three of us had so many great times together. I honestly don't think that I have met a person with a better personality. Emmett was probably the smartest and funniest person I have ever known. I will miss him horribly.

Jeffrey Eidson - April 11, 2011 at 06:13 PM

LG

“ Our hearts go out to you... Our thoughts and prayers are with you so strong and we wish we were closer in distance, to wrap our arms around all of you. Our last memories of Emmett are those of his smiling face and laughter on the beach. He was truly one of the sweetest souls we have ever been fortunate enough to know. He was always, under any circumstance, able to make anyone crack a smile. The loss of such a beaming light of joy will be felt by all those that knew him, like a missing beacon on the sea. Dearest Bud and Mama Linda, no one should ever, ever have the burden of the passing of a child and I wish with all my heart we could each take a bit of that pain to carry for you, I hope with everything in me, that you will feel the love that surrounds you, with our words and prayers, and know that we are here for you. We LOVE you so very much!!! We are all praying for you through this heartbreaking time, Lacy & Chad, Sheron & Dewey <3

Lacy Gray - April 11, 2011 at 05:51 PM

CK

“ Dora, Ashley and the entire Long family, I am so terribly sorry for your loss. Please know that I have you all in my thoughts and prayers. May God be with you through this most difficult time.

Christy Kelley - April 11, 2011 at 04:36 PM

SR

“ I was shocked to hear the news of Emmett's passing. My heart and prayers go out to all of you.

Seba Mills Renfroe - April 11, 2011 at 04:23 PM

BC

“ so sorry to hear about Emmett's death. know he was special to each of you. GOD BLESS. LOVE AND PRAYERS TOM & BRENDA

B & T COVINGTON - April 11, 2011 at 03:31 PM

DS

“ Dear Linda, Bud, and Dora, I was so sorry to hear of Emmett's passing. All of you will be in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time. With deepest sympathy, Dawn

Dawn Sosby - April 11, 2011 at 03:21 PM

KN

“ Linda, Bud, Dora and Benny, I am so sorry to hear about your loss of Emmett. I know there will always be a whole in your hearts that cannot be mended. My love and prayers are with you and your families. The Beckom's and the Long's go WAY back and our thoughts will be with you for many years to come. Bless each and every one of you. I know all of the pretty words are hollow to you now, but just know that you are thought of and loved. I hope that gives you some comfort. The W.L. (DUB) Beckom Family

Kaye Beckom Nutt - April 11, 2011 at 03:15 PM

JM

“ Thinking about all of you. I'm so sorry for your loss. Love you!

Julie Olmstead Matthews - April 11, 2011 at 11:25 AM

LS

“ Dora, I just learned of your terrible loss, and am so saddened by it. I pray God's grace and mercy will cover you and your family during your time of grieving, and lighten your heavy hearts. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Matt. 5:4. With love, Lisa & family

Lisa Sewell - April 11, 2011 at 10:55 AM

ML

“ I have just read about Emmett and I am so sorry.. Having lost a son, I know what you are thinking and feeling right now. You were there for me in my time of need and I will be here for you. Love to the whole family. *Miriam Horton Lanier*

Miriam Horton Lanier - April 11, 2011 at 10:08 AM

MA

“ I was so sorry to hear of Emmett's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with everyone in the family. *Merry Arace*

Merry Arace - April 11, 2011 at 09:21 AM

JW

“ Dora, Our hearts and prayers are with you and your family. We're praying you will be surrounded by God's comforting love. *Jerry and Ernie*

Jerry and Ernestine Wingfield - April 11, 2011 at 08:46 AM

JH

“ Dear Dora and family, I am tryly sorry to learn of the death of your brother and son. Please know all of you are in my prayers. Love, *Joan*

Joan Smith Hanson - April 11, 2011 at 08:45 AM

LT

“ Dear Dora and Family, We are so sorry to hear about Emmet. Our thought and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. Love, *Lynn and Marshall*

Lynn and Marshall Trumpour - April 11, 2011 at 08:38 AM

AM

“ Bud and Linda, I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers at this time.

Art Murphy - April 11, 2011 at 08:04 AM

JR

“ Dear Bud, Linda, and other family members: Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you in this most difficult time. Our prayers are that the Lord will comfort you as only He can. Love, Jimmy & Margie Rogers

Jimmy Rogers - April 10, 2011 at 11:39 PM

JP

“ Dora and family, I am so sorry for your loss and want you to know you're all in my thoughts and prayers. I still hold dear and remember the times I spent with you and your family; ya'll are a special bunch. Love you, Julie

Julie Pittman - April 10, 2011 at 10:13 PM

TJ

“ Ms. Linda, Mr. Long, Dora & Benny and family I was saddened to hear of the loss of Emmett. I have so many fond memories of him. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Toni (Neese) Johnson

Toni (Neese) Johnson - April 10, 2011 at 09:20 PM

RM

“ Linda, Bud and Family, our prayers and thoughts are with you in this time of your great sorrow. May your wonderful memories of Emmett give you some peace during this period of great sadness. Ron & Ellen Morris

Ron & Ellen Morris - April 10, 2011 at 06:38 PM

BP

“ *Dora- You and your family are in my prayers!*

Beth Spradlin Pitts - April 10, 2011 at 04:44 PM

KM

“ *Sorry to hear about Emmett's passing. You are in my prayers. Know what you going through. Kay*

Kay Mack - April 10, 2011 at 03:31 PM

CO

“ *Bud and Linda, May you all know that you are in our prayers. Truly so sorry to hear of this sadness you are all suffering through. God Bless, Cindy and Greg Owens*

Cindy and Greg Owens - April 10, 2011 at 12:50 PM

B(

“ *Linda and Bud, I am so sorry to read about the death of ur Son. let me know how to get in touch with u. I will also pass this information along to Pat . My prayers are with ya'll.*

Budgy ward (Dewey) - April 10, 2011 at 11:13 AM

MY

“ *Linda, Bud & Family, so sorry to hear of Emmett's passing. You are in our prayers. Mike & Bev Yeager*

Mike & Bev Yeager - April 10, 2011 at 10:20 AM

AA

“ Linda, Emmett, Dora, Benny, Lindy, AnDrea, Ashley, and Dwayne, I'm so sorry to hear about Emmett, Jr. Remember the great times that ya'll shared as a family and his memory will always be you. Please know that I will be praying for you while you go thru this healing process. Your neighbor and friend, Angela

Angela Alexander - April 10, 2011 at 10:05 AM

JP

“ So sorry to hear of Emmett's passing. I have so many good memories involving Emmett. Know that your family is in my thoughts and prayers during this time. Jenny (Wilson) Pryor

Jenny (Wilson) Pryor - April 10, 2011 at 09:38 AM

BS

“ Emmett and Linda I was so sorry to hear about your son. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Betty Jean Wilson Stewart - April 10, 2011 at 09:32 AM

JS

“ Linda, Bud and Family, We are so sad to hear about Emmett. Our thoughts and prayers are with each one of you, during this difficult time. Jimmy, Kathi and Clarence Sumner

Jimmy and Kathi Sumner - April 10, 2011 at 09:11 AM

GS

“ Dora and Benny and Family, This has been a difficult time for your family, but know that your friends are keeping all of you in their thoughts and prayers. We are here to help you in any way we can. Gigi & Mark

Gigi and Mark Deichelbor & Sons - April 10, 2011 at 03:20 AM

KA

“ Praying God lift you all through this heartbreaking loss. I love you all. Kelly

Kelly Abercrombie - April 09, 2011 at 10:59 PM

DO

“ Thinking of all of you during this difficult time, Please know that I am here for you if you need anything.

Debbie Olmstead - April 09, 2011 at 10:34 PM

DW

“ Dora, You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Debbie, Robbie and Callie

Debbie Winkles - April 09, 2011 at 09:43 PM

EB

“ So very sorry to learn of Emmett's passing. Our prayers and thoughts are with you all during this time.

Eddie, Angela & Tinsley Ball - April 09, 2011 at 07:07 PM

MT

“ I am sorry to hear of your loss Linda. There is no words. Please know I am praying for you and your family.

Marcia Crawford Tucker - April 09, 2011 at 03:51 PM

JH

“ I have thought about yall so much in the last few days. I am so sorry to hear about Emmett. Please know that our prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. Love, Judy & David Hill

Judy & David Hill - April 09, 2011 at 09:51 AM

SM

“ *Dora, So sorry to learn of Emmett's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, your parents, your children, and all other family members. Susan & Harry*

Susan & Harry Mullins - April 08, 2011 at 06:58 PM