



Emmett James Stallings

June 21, 1928 - August 20, 2009

Emmett James Stallings Jr.
1928-2009

Emmett James Stallings Jr., age 81 of Newnan passed away on Thursday, August 20, 2009 at Southwest Christian Hospice. He was born June 21, 1928 in Rocky Mount, NC to the late Emmett James Stallings, Sr. and Addie Mary Curran Stallings. In addition to his parents he, is preceded in death by his brother Alton Curran Stallings who passed away in 1989.

Mr. Stallings married his wife, Jackie, on October 5, 1952. He served in the U. S. Air Force from 1949-1954. He worked for AT&T from 1955 to 1985 when he retired to manage his catfish lake & fruit orchards at "Welcome Farms", his hometown farm in Newnan. He was the host for the Coweta Youth Fishing Rodeo for 20 years. He was a member of Newnan First United Methodist Church and a member of The Kiwanis Club. He supported the Boy Scouts of America. His three sons and six of his grandsons are Eagle Scouts, and one grandson is a Life Scout.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Jacqueline Spradlin Stallings of Newnan; sons, Emmett James Stallings III (Deborah Ward Stallings), Gary Martin Stallings (Elizabeth Ann Stallings), Russell Scott Stallings. Grandsons, Emmett James Stallings IV (Wendy), Mark Timothy Stallings (Melissa), Daniel Zachary Stallings; granddaughter, Carrie Ann Stallings Watson (Jon Paul); grandson, Jacob Martin Stallings; granddaughter, Jacqueline Marie Stallings;

grandsons, Peter Curran Stallings, Samuel Forrest Stallings, Mason Louis Stallings; great granddaughter, Kenslee Olivia Stallings; great grandson, Julian Reese Shoemaker; great grandson, Emmett James Stallings V (Quinn); and great granddaughter, Lucy Ann Watson.

In lieu of flowers the family requests contributions be made to the First United Methodist Church of Newnan, 33 Greenville, St., Newnan, GA 30263 or the Boy Scouts of America, Flint River Council, 1361 Zebulon Road, Griffin, GA 30224.

Condolences may be sent to the family online at www.mckoon.com

The family will receive friends on Saturday, August 22, 2009 from 3:00 PM to 4:45 PM at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan. Funeral service will follow at 5:00 PM at the First United Methodist Church of Newnan. Burial will be at Oak Hill Cemetery.

McKoon Funeral Home, 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 22. 3:00 PM - 4:45 PM (ET)

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

Service

AUG 22. 5:00 PM (ET)

Newnan First United Methodist Church
33 Greenville Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall

BM

“ Jackie, I have been out of town and just now found out about Jay's passing. Please know that we are praying for your strength, and know that Jay is not hurting any more. Diane and I will be in touch when you feel ready. God bless you and your wonderful family.

Bill McKinley - August 23, 2009 at 09:55 PM

DJ

“ We are so sorry to hear about your loss. We just heard last week that Mr. Jay was not doing well. We will miss seeing him in church. Please tell Gary and Jacob that you all are in our thoughts and we pray the days ahead will be easier knowing that Mr. Jay is in a better place. We hope you all find comfort and peace from those around you that care about you so much. Please let us know if there is anything we can do. Love and belief, Don and Leigh Ann

Don and Leigh Ann Jones - August 22, 2009 at 10:01 PM

JW

“ I will miss Jay sitting behind us in Sunday school. He always had a smile and a greeting. You will be in my prayers. Love, Janis

Janis Waugh - August 22, 2009 at 08:30 AM

TF

“ Jim and Debbie.....I'm sorry. I'm so sorry for your sadness, but praise God you have the peace of knowing he is with our Father! I know you'll miss him so much until you are reunited. We are praying for your entire family; especially your mom. I personally owe your entire family my eternal gratitude. I miss you so very much. From my heart, Beth

The Gomes Family - August 22, 2009 at 08:08 AM

BW

“ We extend our deepest sympathy to all the family as you grieve Jay's passing. We rejoice with you in celebrating his life and in his passing to a better place. We pray for your comfort as you adjust to life without Jay's physical presence.

Bob and Janie Ward - August 21, 2009 at 04:18 PM

AD

“ Gary, Anne and I want to express our sympathy for your loss. Having lost my father not long ago, I understand the depth of your grief. You and your whole family are in our thoughts and prayers. May the Lord wrap you in his love and give you peace.

Art and Anne Durante - August 21, 2009 at 03:48 PM

CW

“ May God smile upon you and make the hurt go away. Jay is in no more pain and rest with the pleasure of having a wonderfully family. In Christ's love, Cleo Ward

Cleo Ward - August 21, 2009 at 02:08 PM

RH

“ Gary: Our deepest sympathy on the loss of your Dad. Having gone thru this with my Mom just recently, I can empathize with your grief. If I recall correctly, he still had mental capacity until near the end and knew who you were and understood that you were there for him. That was a great blessing for you, your family and for him. I hope all goes as well as possible under the circumstances over the coming days and weeks. Our thoughts are with you. Ralph and Nancy Hammond

Ralph Hammond - August 21, 2009 at 02:03 PM