



Franklin Earvin Becton

July 22, 1930 - March 21, 2011

Franklin Earvin Becton, 80 passed away March 21, 2011 at his residence. He was born in Millen, GA on July 22, 1930. Mr. Becton was the son of the late Lewis & Carrie Becton. He was, also preceded in death by two brothers, Leroy & Herbert Becton and a sister, Grace Bush. Mr. Becton graduated from Manchester High School and served in the Navy during the Korean War aboard the Destroyer USS Boyd. Following his military service, he began his career with Colonial Stores in Augusta, GA and later retired from Davison Minerals in Tyron, GA.

Mr. Becton was a member of Northside Baptist Church. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening and watching sporting events.

Surviving is his wife of 56 years, Patsy Cornelius Becton, son Allan Becton and his wife Joan of Cartersville, on daughter, Pam Henson and husband Kerry of Newnan. Four grandchildren; Ashley & Bryant Evans of Rome, Justin Henson of Newnan, Allison & Joshua Becton of Milton, Florida. One great-granddaughter, Autumn Kennedy of Milton, Florida. A sister, Barbara Jean Waller of Manchester. Two brother in laws, Robert & Pam Cornelius of North Carolina, and Johnny & Jackie Cornelius of Savannah. Several Nieces & nephews.

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

In lieu of flowers contribution may be made to Northside Baptist Church, 3070 Hwy 29 N., Newnan, GA 30265.

The family will receive friends Wednesday, March 23, 2011 from 6-8 PM at McKoon Funeral Home. Services for Mr. Becton will be conducted Thursday, March 24, 2011 at 12:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home, Newnan.

McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com
<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
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Service

MAR 24. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AO

“ Pam, I am so sorry to hear about your Dad. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Ann Orrell

Ann Orrell - March 28, 2011 at 07:54 PM

JW

“ DEAR PAT, YOU HAVE OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME. WE WILL CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. MAY GOD'S LOVE AND PEACE STRENGTHEN YOU THROUGH THE DAYS AHEAD.

JOHN & JUDY WALKER - March 24, 2011 at 07:58 PM

RP

“ Sis, Allan and Pam, We love you and we loved Earvin. Take comfort in knowing Earvin is in a better place. You are in our thoughts and prayers. We were so glad we were able to be with Earvin last week and spend some time with him and the family. Love you and God Bless you! Robert & Pam

Robert & Pam - March 24, 2011 at 11:10 AM

LM

“ Aunt Patsy, Allan, Pam & Families, We are praying for God's peace and comfort for you and your families at this difficult time. You will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers. Love to all, Lynn and Family

Lynn Meeks - March 23, 2011 at 01:00 PM

BE

“ Pat, my heart goes out to you. But just know that you can lean on God and he will bring you the peace that you need. Cherish all the memories and good times the two of you had together. He will forever be in your heart. Love you, Betty

Betty - March 23, 2011 at 08:14 AM

JU

“ Aunt Pat, I'm so sorry I can't be there with you. Just know I'm there in spirit and my prayers are with you always. I love you both so much. Hug Pam and Allan for me. I'll see you soon. Love, Julie

Julie - March 22, 2011 at 08:10 PM

AB

“ Nanny, It will be so hard for all of us to move on, but I know as Becton's we can. We are strong willed. When papa walked in a room no matter where he was at he would bring a smile to every face there, stranger or not. Joshua will always remember him calling "Boushook" or how ever that is spelled. We will always keep every memory we have with and of him charished and locked away in our heart, he will never be forgotten and will always be with us just like he was 20 years ago! We love you Nanny very much always and forever your grandbabies from Florida.

Allison & Joshua Becton - March 22, 2011 at 04:17 PM

MB

“ Pat, I'm sorry. I have my memory of our last two visits which I enjoyed so much. My prayers are with you and your family. Like you said yesterday when you called he is in a better place, and with no health problems. God be with you and your family. Remember all of the good memories that you shared and they will help. Love to all, Mary Ann

Mary Ann Bostwick - March 22, 2011 at 04:06 PM

RB

“ Nanny I love you and Pop so very much and I'll always treasure our memories and the spice rack and lingerie cabinet Pop made for me. These will be heirlooms that will be passed on to Allison and Joshua. If there's anything at all that I can do, please let me know. I'll always be here for you and help you through whatever you need. You and Pop are so very special to all of us. I love you....Ranae

Ranae Becton - March 22, 2011 at 03:53 PM

SU

“ Pam, you and your family are in my prayers and heart. Love you, my Friend.

Suellen - March 22, 2011 at 02:10 PM

TS

“ Pat, I'm so sorry to hear about Earvin. I know everyone will miss him terribly. He was always such a pleasure to be around. I thoroughly enjoyed my years of seeing you both at Catfish Hollow. You're smiles made my day! Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you and your family. Love always, Tree

Tree Spell - March 22, 2011 at 10:07 AM