



Grover Austin Hammond

December 1, 1937 - March 7, 2010

Austin Hammond, 72, Newnan, passed on March 7, 2010. He was born Dec., 1, 1937. He was preceded in death by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hammond. He was a member of South Metro Ministries, served as church Elder and was a missionary to Africa. Austin graduated from Newnan High School in 1956 and attended Atlanta Business College. He was employed at William L. Bonnell Company for 17 years. He and his wife owned and operated Franklin Healthcare Center for 31 years.

Survivors include his wife, Janette; Brother, Jerome; Children, Allen, Lee and Allison; Grandchildren, Kelsey, Claire, Marc, Lilly and Joel.

In lieu of flowers or gifts, South Metro Ministries has established a fund in Austin's name to Pennies for Posho, an African children's choir.

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

The family will have a memorial service on Sunday, March 14, 2010 at South Metro Ministries at 5:00 PM and the family will visit with friends from 4:00 PM until service time.

McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 14. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

South Metro Ministries
3935 Hwy 34 East
Sharpsburg, GA 30277

Service

MAR 14. 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BM

“ We in Kenya have learned of our dear Brother's passing. Though you (the family) have been left, I am praying for you that the Lord gives you spiritual and physical strength at this trying moment. To believe the word of God, our brother has finished his course and has gone to rest Glory to God. He did his best and we are to copy his example-hard-working, determined, dedicated, and always wanting to be a blessing to the body of Jesus Christ, of which he has been! I remember my visit in 2007 where Jeanette and Austin took me around Newnan town. They bought me a bible and other precious things and visited his health care facility. I enjoyed my time in their home and wonderful meals. Their gift of a generator helped to light my home. I still have the beautiful hand bag Jeanette gave me. Austin and his family have been a blessing to many. Jeanette, you are always welcome in my home and I pray God gives you strength through this time as He will never leave you. I have a lot to say but let me stop here. May God be with you till we meet again.

Beatrice Makokha - March 15, 2010 at 11:42 PM

BM

“ Lee, May God give you and your family comfort during this sad time and bless you with many fond memories of your dad. Blessings,
Bernadette

Bernadette Loesche Murray - March 11, 2010 at 03:43 PM

BP

“ Dear Lee, I am so sad to hear the news about your Father. Your Mother and Father were so very special to me when I lived in Newnan. I know how deeply he will be missed by all of you. Your Dad never met a stranger-he made everyone feel special. I will always cherish the times I spent with him. Sincerely, Bill Parker

Bill Parker - March 09, 2010 at 03:46 PM

PA

“ Well done, good and faithful servant. We will miss you greatly and look forward to seeing you again one glorious day. Jeanette, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We love you dearly.

Paul and Cathy Addis - March 09, 2010 at 12:09 PM

LO

“ We are so sorry to here that our bro in Christ has gone on to be with Christ. He is so happy to be at the feet of Jesus and to basking in His holy presence. We love you and the family.

Laurita Olmstead - March 08, 2010 at 10:23 PM

ER

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all today.

Eva and Frank Robinson - March 08, 2010 at 09:10 AM