



James Kenneth Coggin

January 31, 1943 - August 25, 2012

Mr. Kenny Coggin died on Saturday, August 25, 2012, at his home.

Kenny was born on January 31, 1943, in Newnan Georgia to the late Sara Florine Ferrell Coggin and George Harold Coggin. He graduated from Campbell High School in Fairburn.

Kenny was a man of many talents and a master of restoring classic cars.

Kenny began his working days at Eastern Airlines. All of his spare time was spent working on cars and building his business, Classic Station Body Works. Outside of his family and Church, his biggest passions were restoring cars, gardening and aviation. His greatest adventure was flying a small airplane from Newnan to Alaska. His last project was restoring a 1946 Mercury Woodie Wagon. He will always be remembered for his sense of humor and his colorful commentary of life.

Kenny was an active member of the Newnan Presbyterian Church and served as a deacon and elder.

He is survived by his wife Susan and children Kerrie and Kenny Bourgeois of Ocala, Florida; Payton and Terri Coggin of Newnan; Kacy and Judi Coggin of Knoxville, Tennessee; and Jason and Sherri Coggin of Knoxville; Tennessee; grandchildren Kenny Bourgeois, Mitchell Bourgeois, Sydney Bourgeois, Callie Coggin, Reeves Coggin, Maggie Coggin and Cash Coggin; brother Doug and Melody Coggin of Macclenny, Florida and sister Peggy and Ron Schuster of Newnan, GA.

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

Funeral services were held in the sanctuary of Newnan Presbyterian Church on Monday, August 27, 2012 with Dr. Harry Barrow and Reverend Jan Tolbert officiating. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to a special fund in Kenny's honor at the Newnan Presbyterian Church.
McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 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

AUG 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
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Service

AUG 27. 6:00 PM (ET)

Newnan Presbyterian Church
38 Greenville St/P.O. Box 1107
Newnan, GA 30264

Tribute Wall

CQ

“ *My condolences to your family. According to my genealogy research you are my 3rd cousin. I wish I could have gotten to know you and your family.*

Cindy Shelton Quick - August 03, 2021 at 07:22 PM

WT

“ *Hey Susan, I am so very sorry to hear about Kenny! We had some great times through the years! You and the rest of the family are in my thoughts and prayers! Love you all very much!!! --Wanda*

Wanda Coggin Torrence - September 21, 2012 at 03:18 PM

DW

“ *Dear Susan and Family, I am so sorry for your great loss of such a good man. I saw your photo of Camp Coggin on FB and his total joy was reflected in his smile. May all these wonderful memories surround you and lift you. All of you are remembered in so many prayers.*

Debbie Brown Wilburn - September 07, 2012 at 10:22 AM

DR

“ Susan and Family Dottie and I were shocked to read about Kenny's passing this Wed. in our local paper. I first met Kenny in the early 70's while he worked in a auto repair shop in Hapeville and didn't reconnect with him until we moved to Newnan in 1990 and needed our car repaired. Just took a chance reading the phone book and was surprised when I walked into "Classic Station" and there sat Kenny. Since then He's worked on several cars for us and we'd often see him at local car shows or restaurants. We both enjoyed his quick wit and he always asked Dottie" what have you done to the car this time." Our dear friend will be missed.

Dottie & John Roney - August 31, 2012 at 11:14 AM

MP

“ Peggy and Family.... I am so sorry to hear of Kenny's death. I still have pictures of him and all the Sunday motorcycle bunch that used to gather at Big Mama and Pap's on Sundays to ride the pipeline. I know it is a hard thing to lose a family member but rely on your faith and prayer to pull you through. My prayers are with you. Love, Max

Maxine Simon Privett - August 31, 2012 at 10:09 AM

BH

“ Susan & Family, Kenny will be forever remembered by Britt & I as he was such a Great man to Britt over the years of Britt working with him at Classic Station. Kenny was a "father" to him and Kenny will never be forgotten. You all are in our continued thoughts and prayers. Our Sincerest Sympathy, Britt & Ellen

Britt & Ellen Hall - August 31, 2012 at 08:05 AM

CJ

“ Mr Doug, You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers through this difficult time. We love you. If you and your family need anything please let us know. Sincerely Eli Mae (Co-Worker)

CASEY & STEVEN JONES - August 30, 2012 at 03:55 AM

BW

“ Our sincerest sympathy goes out to you and your family on the passing of Kenny. He was a beloved husband, father, and grandfather and will be greatly missed. Thinking of you all at this time.

Bobby and Geraldine Welch - August 29, 2012 at 04:35 PM

MH

“ Kenny's family, I am so sorry to hear about Kenny. I will always remember the wonderful smile and great sense of humor. My prayers are with you.

Martha McEachern Heard - August 29, 2012 at 03:19 PM

DA

“ Susan, so sorry to hear about Kenny. We didn't find out in time to come to the funeral. Please know how sorry we are. We were very fond of you and Kenny. We will keep you and the family in our prayers. Love Mason and Dolores

Dolores Awbrey - August 29, 2012 at 12:06 PM

EK

“ Sorry to hear about the passing of my long time friend Kenny. I will always remember the good times we had flying planes together and our many years working at Eastern Airlines.

Edwin Kirby - August 29, 2012 at 10:09 AM

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Edwin Kirby - August 29, 2012 at 10:02 AM

BB

“ Susan, Jane and I are so sorry to hear of Kenny's death. He certainly fought a valiant fight. We enjoyed him so much and know you will miss him. We certainly will find his absence in the Newnan community a great loss.

Bill & Jane Berry - August 28, 2012 at 08:17 PM

AJ

“ Susan, we are so sad to hear about Kenny. We didn't know the arrangements in time, so sorry. We remember the great times together. Work family is saddened too. Keeping you in special prayers during this difficult time. Sincerely, Alice

Alice and Mike Jackson - August 28, 2012 at 01:35 PM

PC

“ Mr. Doug my prayers are with you and your family. May the Lord give you comfort on your time of sorrow.

PAULA CREWS - August 28, 2012 at 11:58 AM

PC

“ I was sad to hear of Kenny's passing, even though it was pretty much expected, it is still shocking when it finally happens. Kenny & I were very close when we were growing up. We later went our different ways after we grew up, but I always felt connected to him. My condolences go out to Susan, Peggy, & Doug. Kenny died much too young, and I will miss him. Paul Coggin

paul coggin - August 28, 2012 at 11:15 AM

JR

“ Susan, I won't to express my sincere sympathy for the lose of Kenny. He was a friend, and as Harry said he could always make you laugh. Sorry I didn't get to the visitation, I did not find out about his death until late Sunday evening. I did come to the funeral but didn't stay for the meal, I am sorry I did not get to speak to you. The older I get the harder it is for me to control my emotions, so I felt like I should leave. You are in my prayers. Sincerely Jimmy Ross

Jimmy Ross - August 28, 2012 at 09:54 AM

CT

“ Thoughts and prayers are with your family!!!

Clinton Thrift - August 28, 2012 at 07:35 AM

JL

“ Thoughts and prayers for the Coggin family, may the Lord put peace in your hearts in this difficult time. Jessica Looby

Jessica Looby - August 28, 2012 at 07:15 AM

AD

“ Susan, I am so sad to hear about Kenny. I had been asking my Aunt (Janice Grace) about him often. She so enjoyed the reunion at your home. Being raised in Palmetto, my family has known the Coggins family many, many years. Miss Florine used to make dresses for me when I was a little girl. They were beautiful. In later years, I remember having dinner with them at the Hutcheson Ferry home. Both Miss Florine and Mr. Harold were such good people. My prayers are with you, Kenny's children and the entire Coggin family.

Angela Bentley Dendy - August 27, 2012 at 10:02 PM

RW

“ Susan, I am so sorry I could not be there for you and Kenny. I can say I know how you feel and what you are and wolle gave to go through. You are in my prayers. That is all that keeps me going. It is still not easy. God bless all who loved him so much.

Rita woods - August 27, 2012 at 07:10 PM

AH

“ Susan , I'm sorry for your loss. You and your family will be in our prayers. Angela Hill

Angela Hill - August 27, 2012 at 05:19 PM

SK

“ Doug, You are in our thoughts and prayers. god bless you through the coming days. Call on us as friends to assist in any way we can. God's blessing to you and your family

Sam Kitching - August 27, 2012 at 02:41 PM

TD

“ Susan, You are in my thoughts and prayers. Theresa Davis

Theresa Davis - August 27, 2012 at 01:58 PM

GP

“ *my thoughts and prayers are with the family. goodbye to a longtime friend, on and off the job. gordy price (eal)*

Gordy Price - August 27, 2012 at 01:08 PM

BD

“ *Thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. Buck and Jody Dyal (Mr. Doug Coggins co-workers)*

Buck and Jody Dyal - August 27, 2012 at 08:50 AM

LS

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Leslie Simmons - August 27, 2012 at 08:38 AM

AK

“ *Dear Susan, Charles and I just heard & we are so sorry. Please know our prayers & thoughts are with you. We will always have fond memories of our sweet neighbor, Kenny!*

Alison Kelleher - August 26, 2012 at 08:44 PM

GW

“ *To the Coggins family; Our condolences , thoughts and prayers are with you. Fond memories of Eastern Air Lines. George and Amy Wright . Also , Bill and Louise Corley .*

George Wright - August 26, 2012 at 07:20 PM

GS

“ Susan our deepest sympathy to you and your family. May wonderful memories overshadow the difficult days. God has promised He will never leave nor forsake us. We enjoyed the barbeque you hosted for the class of 61.’

Glenda & Jerry Steadham - August 26, 2012 at 07:10 PM

JG

“ Susan, We are in St.Louis for the weekend. We got the news just a few minutes ago. I am glad that we got a visit in with Kenny and David just a few days ago. We'll be coming home on a Monday morning flight so we'll miss tonight but will see you at the funeral tomorrow. Until then, please accept our sincere condolences. Janice & Richard Grace.

Janice & Richard Grace - August 26, 2012 at 02:09 PM

BC

“ Dear Susan, May the sweet memories of the times spent together with Kenny live on in your heart forever. Sincerely, Becky and Larry Crawford

Becky Crawford - August 26, 2012 at 12:50 PM

JL

“ GOD BLESS THE COGGING FAMILY IN YOUR TIME OF SORROW. I WORKED WITH KENNY AT EASTERN AIRLINES. BIG JOHN

JOHN K. LINDSEY - August 26, 2012 at 11:38 AM

JC

“ Many of your Eastern buddies will always remember you. Many good times to be remembered. Rest in Peace Kenny.

James Cardinali - August 26, 2012 at 10:41 AM

RP

“ ANOTHER LOSS FOR OUR EAL FAMILY. SO SORRY FOR THE LOSS. RON , PAT AND FAMILY.

ron peeples - August 26, 2012 at 10:03 AM

BO

“ Susan, Your family is in my heart and prayers. I have the fondest memories of Kenny at the school dinners/bonfires you hosted. Please know your friends are here for you. Love, Bobbi

Bobbi - August 26, 2012 at 09:15 AM

DO

“ Susan & Family, Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers...I know how difficult the days ahead will be for you.

Debbie Olmstead - August 25, 2012 at 08:38 PM

PW

“ I would like to offer my condolences to the Coggins family and also share a comforting scriptural promise that very soon death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore...Revelation 21:4

P. Watts - August 25, 2012 at 08:33 PM

LE

“ Susan, I am so sorry. Please know that I am thinking of you. Much love, Luree

Luree Echols - August 25, 2012 at 07:49 PM