



James Franklin Futral

October 17, 1940 - June 19, 2014

James Franklin (Jim) Futral of Newnan, Georgia passed away with his family by his side on Thursday, June 19th, 2014.

A memorial service is planned for Monday, June 23rd at 2:00 PM at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street in Newnan. Reverend Dee Shelnutt will be officiating. Visitation will be Sunday, June 22nd from 5:00-7:00 PM at the funeral home.

Jim was born on October 17, 1940 in Atlanta, Georgia to Elmer and Edna Futral. He was a graduate of Hapeville High School (class of 1958) and worked for 34 years at Delta Airlines before retirement. He was an avid golfer and Georgia Tech football fan. He also coached baseball and football.

Mr. Futral is survived by his childhood sweetheart and wife of 52 1/2 years, Linda Thomas Futral and their 3 precious pups (Baxter, Rosie, and Hank); children Dawn (Kevin) Cochran of Moreland, Tommy (Alicia) Futral of Senoia, and Steve (Heather) Futral of Sharpsburg. He was blessed with 9 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. Other family include his sister Ginny (David) Redding and aunt Betty Futral Bishop.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made in Jim's memory to the Newnan-Coweta Humane Society or St. Jude's Children Hospital. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com.

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
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Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 22. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JUN 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

KB

“ Ms. Linda, I am so sorry, and my heart goes out to you and the entire Futral family for the passing of Jim. There are so many fun, enjoyable, memories and not to forget the many hours spent on the baseball practice field with him as my coach. I have to say that I was truly blessed to have had Mr. Futral, and so many other people throughout my childhood that had a positive influence on me during my many years at North Clayton Athletic Association. Please know that I and the rest of the Byrom family are thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. Shelia, my mother went on to be with the Lord back in February of this year, and it has truly been hard to accept. I pray that God will give you and the rest of your family peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Kenny Byrom - June 26, 2014 at 02:22 PM

BC

“ Though I was only blessed to have had you two in my life for one short year, Mrs Linda and Mr. Jim you guys made me feel right at home in Newnan from my first day working at the coffee shop. I was blessed with the opportunity to work for you guys cleaning and got to spend time with your wonderful dogs. News like this is hard to get from 1,000 miles away and I want you to know you are in my prayers and I will never forget how much of an impact you made on my life in a time when I didn't know anyone in a town I had just moved too. I was so blessed to have been able to be a part of your lives. My condolences to Linda and her family.

Bianca Cummings - June 24, 2014 at 10:59 PM

CF

“ Linda, I was so saddened to read of Jim's passing. Dearly loved meeting him and receiving all of his emails. He will be greatly missed and if I can do anything, please let me know. Carolyn Smith Futral H R Block

Carolyn Smith Futral - June 24, 2014 at 03:26 PM

SF

“ Tommy, Deepest sympathy to you and your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Steve and Betty Fuller - June 23, 2014 at 03:40 PM

DM

“ I played for Coach Futral when I was a little boy and he made such an impact on my life more than any man I knew. He was always very encouraging and giving and touched my life more than he knew. My condolences to Dawn, Kevin and Steven your Dad was a great man and I shall never forget what he did for me.

Derron Murphy - June 23, 2014 at 11:17 AM

EW

“ Linda, I am so sorry to hear of Futral's death. He was a cherished friend. We had many good times at Delta. I will not be able to make the service but my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Ed Wade - June 23, 2014 at 09:28 AM

RE

“ Dearest Linda, we are all so sorry to hear of Jim passing. Will miss our great visits with him. All are shared stories and many laughs. The love from your family and friends will bring much strength to you.he was a wonderful man.

Rhonda Emaus - June 23, 2014 at 08:20 AM

PF

“ Mrs. Futral, we are so saddened to hear of Mr. Futral's passing. There are so many memories from our childhood that he was a major part of. We were so blessed to have had his positive influence during our North Clayton days and the lessons we learned from him are priceless. Please know we are thinking of you and your family and pray that God's loving arms will give you peace and comfort during this difficult time. Frank, Mary, Crystal, Bobby and Andy Poss

Poss Family - June 22, 2014 at 08:00 PM

DB

“ Linda: Janet and I send our condolences. Jim and I worked together at Planterra Golf Club. I will miss him for our monthly breakfasts. He was a true friend. God will bless him. David and Janet Blodgett

David Blodgett - June 22, 2014 at 05:23 PM

CS

“ Linda, extending my deepest sympathy to you and your dear family . May GOD's presence give you strength at this sad and difficult time. Jim will be fondly remembered each time I check my e-mail .

Carol Oliver Sutterfield - June 22, 2014 at 04:36 PM

WW

“ So sorry to hear of your loss we wanted to get over to see you all after you left Loras Place but time slipped away, Linda you and your family are in our prayers and if your ever need any help please call on us.

Windy and Barbara Windolph - June 22, 2014 at 03:23 PM

MF

“ Linda, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Love,
Mary

Mary Foster - June 21, 2014 at 02:41 PM

LM

“ I worked with Jim at Delta many, many years ago. My sympathies to
you and your family during this time of loss.

Linda Morgan - June 21, 2014 at 08:52 AM

CL

“ Linda, we were saddened to hear of Jim's death. You and your are
in our prayers.

Clyde & Avis Loper - June 20, 2014 at 05:24 PM

EB

“ Linda, I am so sorry and sadden by the loss of Jim. Our days at
Delta in the Purchasing department are such fond and happy
memories. Jim kept us all "entertained" with laughter and fun. And
then to reconnect with you'll at Lora's Place...wow! You and the
family are and will be in my thoughts and prayers for days to come.
Praying for God's peace and comfort.

Elain Barnes - June 20, 2014 at 04:21 PM

BA

“ So sorry to hear about Jim. We all enjoyed him at the fitness center and will dearly miss him and his occasional comments. He was a great guy and easy to talk to even though he talked a lot of Ga. Tech. He and I have many discussions about Auburn and Ga. Tech. I went to Auburn and he was always kidding me about going to Auburn. Our condolences are extended to all the family. We are leaving for vacation tomorrow, so we will miss the visitation. You will be in our thoughts and prayers. Billy and Linda Arnall

Billy Arnall - June 20, 2014 at 03:40 PM

LG

“ Linda, I am sorry for your loss. Jim and I had become close in the years since we moved to Lora's place, We did enjoy our golf time. I will miss him , and will remember him every time I tee up the golf ball. God Bless

Lem Griffin - June 20, 2014 at 03:29 PM