



James Randolph McKoon

May 4, 1915 - November 22, 2010

James R. McKoon, age 95, of Newnan, passed away Monday, November 22, 2010, at his home. He was born May 4, 1915 in Luthersville, GA to the late Lewis Henry and Helena (Wyche) McKoon. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his loving wife, Lois Ferrell McKoon of 56 years in 1998; four brothers; Urcel Lewis McKoon, Julian Henry McKoon, G.W. (Buck) McKoon, Roy Wyche McKoon, and three sisters; Lurline M. Bryant, Edna M. Braswell, and Louise M. Burton.

Mr. McKoon was a faithful and devoted member of the Freeman Memorial Methodist Church and was the last living charter member. He served in the US Army (WWII) from 1942 to 1945, he moved to Atlanta and then to Newnan and made his home. He worked at the Newnan Cotton Mill, West Point Pepperrell and Playtex Industries.

He was devoted to his family and all who knew him knew how he enjoyed gardening.

The family will receive family & friends at McKoon Funeral Home, Wednesday, November 24, 2010 from 11:00 AM to 12:45 PM. Graveside services will follow at 1:00 PM at Oak Hill Cemetery. Longtime devoted family friend, Rev. Jim Hearn will officiate. The six pallbearers are three nephews; William H. Miller, Jr., Wesley McKoon and Tommy McKoon, and long time friends, Johnny Murphy, Herbert (John) Johnson & William Tinsley.

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

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Freeman Memorial Methodist

Church, c/o Rev. Jim Hearn, P.O. Box 638, Whitesburg, GA 30185

He is survived by his son, James R. McKoon, Jr. of Newnan, daughter, Marsha M. Watts and son-in-law, Jack L. Watts of Newnan. Grandchildren; Kenneth R. Adams, Jason Randal McKoon & wife Rosalyn Moore(Boyd) McKoon, Chanda Nicole McKoon; great grandchildren; Margaret Lane McKoon, Mary Rosalyn McKoon and Cameron Wilson and one remaining sister Inez Miller and many nieces and nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 11:00 AM - 12:45 PM (ET)

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

Service

NOV **24**. 1:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
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Tribute Wall

JN

“ I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Uncle James. I wasn't able to make it with mom and Nancy, but all of you guys are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you, Jamie Nalley

Jamie Nalley - November 24, 2010 at 12:30 PM

TF

“ Chanda - we are so sorry for your loss. Please know that we are thinking of you and your family today. The Horgers

The Horger Family - November 24, 2010 at 10:13 AM

VW

“ Marsha, I just heard about your father and am so sorry for your loss. I remember how you always talked about his love of his garden, home, and family. My prayers are with you and your family.

Valerie Ward - November 23, 2010 at 05:16 PM

WJ

“ Very Sorry to here it Randy !!! Your Friend Willard

Willard D. Hair Jr - November 23, 2010 at 03:01 PM