



James Ray Mote

October 27, 1927 - June 26, 2012

Mr. James "Ray" Mote of Carrollton, formally of Newnan, passed away June 26, 2012. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Margaret Folds Mote, daughters Sheila Moore and her husband Steve of Carrollton, Marsha Duncan and her husband Mike of Newnan and Sherri Evans and her husband Stan of Carrollton. He is "Pa" to five grandchildren, Michelle, Maggie, Phillip, Jordan and Michael and two great granddaughters, Kaylee and Autumn.

Ray retired from the Carrollton Post Office as a rural mail carrier after 30 years of service. Following his retirement he worked for several years at Carrollton Federal Bank. Once Margaret retired, they enjoyed working 3 seasonal assignments at Yellowstone National Park where they made life long friends. He and Margaret shared a love for the North Georgia mountains where they entertained many guests and family members at their mountain getaway in Hiawassee, GA. He also loved his home on Lake Carroll, the Atlanta Braves, and Macedonia Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday, June 28, 2012 at Macedonia Baptist Church with Dr. John Riley and Rev. Searcy Jackson officiating. Ray will lie in state at the church from 1:30 pm until the funeral hour. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. The Family will receive friends Wednesday, June 27, 2012 from 6:00 pm until 8:00pm at McKoon funeral home. those wishing may send an online condolence to www.mckoonfuneralhome.com.

mckoon.com. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be sent to his beloved Macedonia Baptist Church, 1504 Macedonia Rd, Newnan, Ga 30263 for its Sanctuary Fund or Tanner Hospice.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

JUN 28. 2:00 PM (ET)

Macedonia Baptist Church
1504 Macedonia Baptist Church
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall

AC

“ Dear Miss Margaret, I'm so sorry to hear of Ray's passing. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Angela "Angie" Cole

Angela Cole - July 07, 2012 at 05:44 PM

PW

“ I would like to offer my condolences to the Mote family and also share a comforting promise from the Bible. At Revelation 21:4 where Jehovah God will wipe every tear from our eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.

P. Watts - July 02, 2012 at 10:08 PM

RP

“ Dear Margaret & family: We're so sorry to hear of Ray's passing. Robert has many wonderful memories of Ray during the USPS years. Robert always thought very highly of Ray. You and your family are in our hearts and prayers. Most sincerely, Robert and Jean Paschal

Robert Paschal - June 30, 2012 at 04:07 PM

JD

“ You and Ray have been one of life's blessings to us. Our breakfast a couple years ago remains in our hearts forever. Our treat was to be the next time our paths crossed...what a wonderful occasion that will be when we all meet in the 'great beyond'. Love you and God bless.

Joyce and Dick - June 30, 2012 at 10:03 AM

DE

“ Margaret, I aw so sorry to here about your sorrow. Please let GOD help you through this time of your life. I will be praying for you. I love you,Debbie

Debbie - June 28, 2012 at 04:40 PM

ST

“ Margaret, we are wishing you comfort at this time. Hopefully your sorrow will fade with each day that goes by. We will certainly miss Ray. Expressing our love.

Sylvia and Larry Tanner - June 27, 2012 at 04:37 PM

JT

“ Marsha, You and the family are in our thoughts and prayers. I know it is a difficult time and if there is anything we can do let us know.
Jeff & Angie Thompson

Jeff Thompson - June 27, 2012 at 03:57 PM

TC

“ Tanner Hospice Care staff would like to offer our condolences to you during this difficult time and to say thank you for trusting your loved one in our care

Tanner Hospice Care - June 27, 2012 at 01:38 PM

KG

“ Marsha, just wanted you and your family to know you are in my families ththoughts and prayers. If there is anything we can do or if you just need to talk feel free to call anytime. Love Keith Golden and Family

Keith Golden - June 26, 2012 at 10:19 PM

JW

“ Our deepest and heartfelt sympathy to Margaret, Sheila and all the family. We have some very fond and happy memories of Ray. Margaret, you and Ray both have meant a lot to us through the years. We always enjoyed the visits with you both in the mountains, and you always made us feel very welcomed. We'll never forget our trip to Branson together. Wouldn't take nothing for that trip with you and Ray. We know that Ray will be missed by all who knew him. He was a very kind and loving person. Margaret If we can be of any help to you in any way, please call on us. We pray that you all will find a "Peace" in just knowing that Ray is with the Lord now, and if we know the Lord we will be there with him in that great celebration someday. Our Love and Sympathy.

Johnny & Judy Walker - June 26, 2012 at 07:58 PM

DO

“ Miss Margaret, Marsha, & Family, We just want you to know how much we are thinking of you with sympathy, caring, and friendship. Lots of Love, Debbie Olmstead & Family

Debbie Olmstead - June 26, 2012 at 07:58 PM

DH

“ My "Uncle Ray" was kind and caring, as a child I recognized those special attributes . I will forever think of him endearingly.

Donna Holloway - June 26, 2012 at 07:36 PM