



James Curtis Stringer

March 23, 1941 - July 30, 2014

James "Jim" Stringer, 73, of Grantville, formerly of Gay passed away Wednesday, July 30, 2014 at their home. He was born March 23, 1941 in Rockmart, GA to the late James Curtis Stringer & Margie Fuller Stringer. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by brothers, Winston Stringer & Tony Stringer.

Jim grew up in Rockmart, GA and after graduating high school he attended the University of Georgia where he won many awards on the wrestling team. After graduating from UGA, he went to work with Ford Motor Company where he managed assembly lines and later worked closing assembly plants. He lived in Gay, GA on the Flint River for over 30 years. He was an avid outdoorsman who loved to fish, hunt, and serve as a fishing guide on the Flint River. He was a member of Oak Lawn Baptist Church in Newnan.

The funeral is Saturday, August 2, 2014 at 2 o'clock in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home with Rev. David Arrington & Dr. Ken Ross officiating. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. The visitation is Friday evening between 6:00-8:00 at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Oak Lawn Baptist Church, 482 Pine Road, Newnan, GA 30263.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Survivors include wife, Judy Pitts Stringer; son, Jimmy (Kellie) Stringer of Cumming; daughter, Starla Stringer of Buchanan; step-sons, Kelly (Jennifer) Pitts of Grantville, Todd (Danielle) Pitts of McDonough; grandchildren, Ryan

Stringer, Jonathon Malone Pitts, Brody Pitts; brother, Eric (Joyce) Stringer of Powder Springs; sisters, Cheryl (Wayne) Stone of Yorkville, GA, Linda (Cliff) Matson of Alabama.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

AUG 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
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Tribute Wall

DB

“ As Jim's Pastor while in Gay, I found him to be an extremely kind and straightforward type of man. Always interested in the outdoors - especially the Flint River - he would always mentor me as the new kid out of seminary, since First Baptist of Gay was my first church. Jim always had a way of placing things in order while discussing some of the deepest theological truths we encounter as ministers. For that, his personality, his person, his spirit, and his heart, I will eternally be grateful. I would not have known he had passed had I not conducted some research on my former members and I am grateful I have because it is quite difficult knowing every person a humble man like Jim knew. I send my sympathies and greatest condolences to his family during their time of loss - which, admittedly is late, but I convey them to you because I want you to know that I grieve his loss as you, May God grant each of you in his family the great memories he brought to you during his time on earth, and the eternal hope granted within each of you.



*Rev. Dr. Mark F. Bear
Former Pastor of First Baptist of Gay*

Dr. Mark Bear - March 10, 2021 at 06:36 AM

MB

“ I just learned today of Jim's passing. I got to know Jim over a number of years where I was married to his former step son. Jim was such a fun loving and kind person. I had stopped unannounced to try to see him a few years back when I was in the area and he was off hunting, spending time outdoors as usual. Please accept my condolences, I hope your fond memories of him will carry you through this time.

Molly Bachtel - February 24, 2015 at 01:33 PM

MF

“ We are so sorry to hear of Jimmy's passing. I worked with him at Ford and enjoyed visiting him at our retiree functions.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Freund - August 02, 2014 at 08:19 PM

MP

“ So sorry for your loss. You're in our thoughts and prayers.

Mike and Beverly Payton - August 02, 2014 at 10:12 AM

MY

“ Judy and family, sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Our prayers to you all.

Mike & Bev Yeager - August 01, 2014 at 10:42 PM

DH

“ I worked with Jimmy at Ford Motor Company for years, he was a dear friend, I shall miss him!

Delmar & Linda Holt - August 01, 2014 at 09:21 PM

RM

“ Mrs. Judy, We are so sorry for your loss but happy to know we will all reunite one day! We will always remember Mr. Jim for taking us canoeing, showing us the beautiful river and all the different arrowheads he had collected over the years! He will truly be missed and never forgotten!

Ralph & Heather Menard - August 01, 2014 at 03:41 PM

MH

“ Our prayers are with you. May God give you comfort and peace only He can give when we loose a loved one. Oliver Worked with him until 1999 when he retired.

Mr/Mrs. Oliver Holmes - August 01, 2014 at 11:34 AM

GA

“ Judy and family, I'm sorry for your loss of Jim, you are in my thoughts & prayers.

Gaylene - August 01, 2014 at 09:13 AM

WS

“ I worked with Jimmy at Ford he was a great guy wish I could be there to say good bye but I am working out of town at the time. So long Jimmy you will be missed. Wayne Smith

Wayne Smith - July 31, 2014 at 09:06 PM

DM

“ Judy, Pat and I send our condolences to you and the family in the homegoing of Jim. We pray that God gives you strength, peace and comfort as only He can. May God bless you and keep you. In Christ's Love, Gene & Pat.

Dr. & Mrs. (Pat) Gene Minix - July 31, 2014 at 04:58 PM