



## Jimmy Houston Sprayberry

May 22, 1931 - June 14, 2021

On Monday, June 14, 2021 God called his faithful and humble servant, Jimmy Houston Sprayberry, into His loving arms. Jimmy was born May 22, 1931 in Newnan to the late Houston W. Sprayberry & Mattie Lou Lambert Sprayberry. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his great-grandson, Landon Sprayberry.

Mr. Sprayberry grew up in Newnan and graduated from Newnan High School in 1951. After high school, he joined the U.S. Army where he honorably served until 1957. After his service in the Army, Jimmy began his professional career working with his father and brother at Sprayberry's Bar-B-Que. In 1982, he retired from the restaurant and with his wife, opened a children's clothing store in Downtown Newnan, Sprayberry's Small World. Mr. Jimmy was devoted to his faith and his beloved First Baptist Church.

The funeral is Friday, June 18, 2021 at 4 o'clock at the First Baptist Church of Newnan with Dr. Gene Tyre officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. The visitation is Thursday evening between 5-7 at McKoon Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church of Newnan for missions and ministries, 15 West Washington St, Newnan, GA 30263. The family expresses their sincere thanks to the doctors and staff on the 5th floor at Piedmont Newnan Hospital and to Mr. Jimmy's devoted caregivers, Carla, Jeniffer, Kim & Iona.

Condolences may be expressed online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com)

Survivors include, wife of 70 years, Mary Summers Sprayberry; children, Cindy (David) Joy, Nancy (David) Parks, Jimbo (Carol) Sprayberry, Jr, Ruth (Cass) DuCharme, Amy (Roger) Dawson; brother, Donald Sprayberry; 12 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; numerous nieces, nephews and numerous beloved friends.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 17. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Funeral Service

JUN 18. 4:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Newnan  
15 West Washington Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall

RM

“ *Robin Mann lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry*



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**Robin Mann** - June 24, 2021 at 01:08 PM

GD

“ *Sorry for your loss. Jimmy and Genelle Davenport*

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**Genelle Davenport** - June 18, 2021 at 04:33 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



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June 18, 2021 at 08:41 AM

KA

“ *It was a pleasure knowing and meeting with Jimmy during our WOGK times and he will be greatly missed.*  
*Ken Allen*

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**Ken Allen** - June 17, 2021 at 05:37 PM

WM

“ *Mr. Jimmy was a mentor, an encourager, a prayer warrior, and a faithful to me for the past 30 years. He was by every measure a gentle and mighty Kingdom Warrior who will be missed by all who were blessed to know him!*

*We are praying for all of the family, especially Mrs Mary Lynn... You are loved much! ❤️ Warren*

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**Warren Moore** - June 16, 2021 at 10:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



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June 16, 2021 at 10:12 PM

AA

“ *Mr. Sprayberry was the sweetest person ever. I feel like I have known him forever just listening to all his wonderful stories. I must say this Mr gained his wings and heaven gained the sweetest angel ever!!*

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**Alexandria Askew** - June 16, 2021 at 10:05 PM

WE

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*Wendi, Freedom, Andrea, Samantha, Rachel, Deena, Anita, K purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*

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**Wendi, Freedom, Andrea, Samantha, Rachel, Deena, Anita, K -**  
June 16, 2021 at 05:22 PM

SW

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*I'm so sorry to hear of Mr. Sprayberry's passing. We dined at Sprayberry's a few times before moving to Newnan in 1985. We had a 2 year old son and my mom and Aunt Norma would drive down from Douglasville so we could shop at Sprayberry's Small World. The customer service we received at Sprayberry's was impeccable and afterwards we would ride to Sprayberry's BbQ and have fried chicken and strawberry cobbler if we were not craving Bbq. I want to express my deepest condolences to the family and know that my son and I are praying for them.*

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**Susan Weegar -** June 16, 2021 at 04:44 PM



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*Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



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June 16, 2021 at 02:34 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



June 16, 2021 at 11:10 AM



“ *We are praying for all the family during this time of loss. Mr. Jimmy was such a great man. I remember seeing him, Mr. Duck, Mr. Houston, and Mrs. Sprayberry all working in Sprayberry's when I was growing up. He will be missed.*  
*Frank and Melody Farmer*

**FRANK and MELODY FARMER** - June 16, 2021 at 10:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



June 16, 2021 at 09:02 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



June 16, 2021 at 07:33 AM

BW

“ Please accept our sincere condolences on Jimmy’s passing. Our thoughts are with you at this time. May the memories you shared be of comfort in the coming days.

Bobby and Geraldine Welch - June 16, 2021 at 02:37 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.



June 15, 2021 at 10:32 PM

CL

“ Charles and Linda Lane purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.



Charles and Linda Lane - June 15, 2021 at 08:46 PM

PC

“ Pam Clemons lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry



Pam Clemons - June 15, 2021 at 07:56 PM

PC

*Sorry for the loss of such a great man. Prayers for peace to all your family!*

**Pam Clemons** - June 15, 2021 at 07:59 PM

MT

“ *What a good and kind man. Many good memories of playing around the BQ pit as cousins visited grandparents. Am unable to be with you Friday but my heart is ever present with your family as you celebrate his life. ❤️🙏*

*Mavis Sprayberry Trice*

**Mavis Sprayberry Trice** - June 15, 2021 at 06:12 PM

LH

“ *Lots of special Memories of Mr. Jimmy. Special man of God who always made Cindy's friends feel welcome at their home and at Sprayberry's.*

**Linda Lyles Houghton** - June 15, 2021 at 05:22 PM

RP

“ *Renee Garner Proctor lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry*



**Renee Garner Proctor** - June 15, 2021 at 04:44 PM

YF

“ *Your JAS Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jimmy Houston Sprayberry.*



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**Your JAS Family** - June 15, 2021 at 04:16 PM

JW

“ *Sprayberry Family, I was so very sorry to hear about Mr. Sprayberry's passing. He was such a good man and he will be greatly missed. Thinking of you all at this very sad time.*

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**Jennifer Welch** - June 15, 2021 at 03:37 PM

GP

“ *Our prayers are with the Sprayberrys family So sorry for your loss. Praying that you will find peace and comfort during this time of grief. Ray and Gerrie Petty*

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**gerrie petty** - June 15, 2021 at 03:12 PM

GP

“ *What a great man. He will be missed by all who knew him. Our lives are all richer for having known him.*

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**Gene Prince** - June 15, 2021 at 01:22 PM

DI

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you mourn, and as you celebrate the life of such a good and faithful servant to the Lord. Much Love, Chris and Dianne Fuller, Macon, Georgia*

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**Dianne** - June 15, 2021 at 11:56 AM