



Joe Robert Bass

January 3, 1944 - May 5, 2019

Joe Robert Bass was born in Newnan GA to the late Walter William and Lera Ozell Morgan Bass. He attended Newnan High School where an introductory course in simple drafting would launch him into a career that would cover 20 years at The Bonnell Company; later a ten-year stint at Baughman Detailing and ten more years in his own company, Bass Detailing. His natural propensity for great attention to every facet of his work made him a valued employee and, in the last ten years of his career he would own his own firm. Joe's marriage to Brenda Thurman was one of two great highlights in his life. The other would be the birth of their son, Derek. The family tree grew with the addition of Derek's wife Debbie and their children, Brandi Hartley, Josh Perez and McKenzie Bass. The family was complete with the great grandchildren James and Audi. Life changed dramatically for Joe following the unexpected death of his dear Brenda. As his health issues came to the forefront in Joe's life, he was able to accept the fact that his hold on life was tenuous, at best, and he began to formulate a plan for an orderly exit from his life on earth; even arranging for hospice care for himself. Joe's life will be remembered, and memories shared at McKoon Funeral Home at 38 Jackson Street in Newnan on Tuesday, May 7th in a service in the funeral home chapel at 2:00 PM. The family will receive friends beginning at 12:30 PM. Interment will be in Historic Oak Hill Cemetery. Those who wish to honor Joe's life, may do so by a gift in his memory to Unity Baptist Church 311 Smokey Road Newnan GA 30263. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com. McKoon Funeral

Home 770-253-4580.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 7. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
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Service

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ I am grieved to hear about Joe. He was my Masonic coach at Coweta Lodge # 60 in 1980 and we were always friends there after. My self, John Coshnitzke along with Earl Byrom and Wayne Kelley went to Cartersville in May 2017 to present Joe with his 50 year Masonic Apron . We always stayed in touch over the years by phone and the last time he was at Coweta Masonic lodge #60 several years ago, we went together and I was proud to sit with him. I did not know he had passed until Wednesday afternoon and it hurt me that I was not there for the service. He was a very fine man and i shall never forget him.

John Coshnitzke
Coweta Lodge #60



John Coshnitzke - May 08, 2019 at 06:11 PM

RH

“ Derek, we are very sorry to hear of your Dads passing. Wishing peace for your family and you are in our thoughts and prayers. Rick & Teresa Heath

Rick Heath - May 08, 2019 at 07:44 AM

TB

“ We were sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Bass. We did a lot of electrical work for him over the years and for many years he would send us a cake or ham at Christmas. We thought a lot of him and we would often mention him when reflecting on someone who wanted a good job. May God's blessings be with his family.

*Tom Barnett
Harold Barnett and family*

Tom Barnett - May 07, 2019 at 11:41 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joe Robert Bass.



May 07, 2019 at 08:38 AM

SW

“ Mr. Joe, what a wonderful sweet and stubborn man!
I got to know Mr. Joe after his health began to decline. What a joy he was to me and my grandson Camden. I enjoyed hearing stories about his life, his late wife , son, daughter-in- Law and grandchildren . What pride he had in all of you. I know his body was tired and that makes it easier to let him go! Go rest high on that mountain Mr. Joe ! We love you.

Sandi and Camden

sandi weaver - May 06, 2019 at 08:31 PM