



Richard Bell Garner

November 4, 1930 - December 29, 2014

Mr. Richard Bell Garner, age 84, passed away on December 29, 2014. He was born November 4, 1930 in Dickenson, Texas. Mr. Garner was an Air Force pilot and then served as a Captain with Eastern Airlines for many years. He enjoyed fishing, woodworking, touring in his motor home and restoring antique Mustangs and Thunderbirds; but more than anything, he just loved spending time with his family and friends.

Known for his huge heart and his ability to make or fix anything, he was always willing to lend a helping hand to family, friends, neighbors and his community. He was a member of Cornerstone Methodist Church and The Kiwanis Club of White Oak Golden K where he also volunteered his time and talents serving others. He always had a smile and a kind word to share, was loved by everyone and left a lasting imprint on all the hearts he touched. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Doris A. Garner, his daughter, Daphne J. Duncan (son-in-law Rick Duncan), and granddaughter, Katie Duncan; his Son, Michael D. Garner (daughter-in-law Crystal Garner), granddaughter, Christina Garner, and grandson, Jared Garner; his Son, Richard O. Garner (son-in-law Craig Coleman), and grandson, Timothy Harlow; as well as many nieces and nephews in Texas City. Funeral arrangements are by McKoon Funeral Home at 38 Jackson Street in Newnan, GA. The funeral service will be on Friday, January 2, 2015 at 2:00 PM in the McKoon chapel with Reverend Rick Price officiating. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memorial Park. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com. McKoon Funeral Home

770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Service

JAN 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
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<http://www.mckoon.com>

Tribute Wall

GG

“ I am so sorry to hear of Dick's passing. I had the privilege of flying many DC-9 trips with him as his F/O. In fact I flew my very first trip with him. He was a true professional and a gentleman through and through. My thoughts and prayers go out to his entire family. May he rest in peace. Gil Gilbert

Gil Gilbert - January 05, 2015 at 08:00 PM

JB

“ We are so sorry for your loss, we will always remember both of you for the love you spread among your friends. GA Funseekers Jane and Gary Bouland

Jane and Gary Bouland - January 03, 2015 at 10:11 AM

KA

“ My condolences to Doris and family. I enjoyed knowing Dick while at WOGK and exchanging e-mail jokes back and forth over the years, some good some bad but always fun.

Ken Allen - January 02, 2015 at 12:31 PM

FF

“ I am sorry to hear about Mr. Garner. May God's love comfort you during this most difficult time. My prayers are with you. Frank

FRANK FARMER - January 02, 2015 at 10:01 AM

PG

“ To all of the Garner family members my condolences for your loss. I was a high school classmate of Daphne and a Lakehills neighbor.

Paul (Tommy) Garner - January 01, 2015 at 10:20 PM

LB

“ Dear Mrs. Garner and Daphne, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Lynne Bexley - January 01, 2015 at 05:51 PM

SD

“ What a great man with such a big heart. He was the epitome of a Texas EAL captain and everyone felt welcome at the Garner's house! Prayers for the family as you walk through your grief and loss.

Sandy (Whaley) DuVall - January 01, 2015 at 10:26 AM

RW

“ My condolences go out to Doris & Family. Dick was a special friend at Kiwanis. He will be missed.

Ray Walker - January 01, 2015 at 08:26 AM

KR

“ Dick was in my hiring class with Eastern Airlines, and was very well liked by all. To the family and friends of Dick, I would like to extend my condolences.

Kenneth Richards - December 31, 2014 at 05:41 PM

MJ

“ Dick was a great friend to all of us at the White Oak Golden K Kiwanis. He will be greatly missed.

Malcolm Jackson - December 31, 2014 at 11:59 AM

PG

“ Praying for peace and comfort for you during this difficult time.

Pat and Regenia (Hamby) Guariglia - December 31, 2014 at 11:09 AM

GF

“ I'm deeply sorry for the loss of your father-in-law. Our prayers are with you and your family at this time. Losing a close loved one brings sorrow but leaves lasting precious memories. If I can do anything for you please don't hesitate to contact me.

Glenn Falkner - December 31, 2014 at 10:25 AM

JP

“ Mr. Garner was a wonderful man. I knew him for many years. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

JACKI PARKER - December 31, 2014 at 09:49 AM

BW

“ We were shocked to hear of Dick's passing and our thoughts are with the family. He was a good man and will be missed by those who knew him.

Bobby and Geraldine Welch - December 31, 2014 at 06:51 AM