

Stanley Jackson Yarbrough

August 27, 1939 - September 17, 2021

Mr. Stanley Jackson Yarbrough, 82, passed away Friday, September 17, 2021 at his home in Newnan. He was born August 27, 1939 in Newnan to the late Rufus Yarbrough & Belle Faver Yarbrough. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by six siblings.

Stanley grew up in Newnan and was a graduate of Newnan High School. After high school, he enlisted in the Air Force where he honorably served during the Vietnam era. Stanley excelled during his military service earning the Airman of the Month for the entire Air Force. After his service to his country, he obtained his bachelor's and master's degrees. He went on to have a long, distinguished career as an Educator at Newnan High School where he made lasting relationships with his students and fellow teachers. In 1986 he was honored by Berry College, being nominated by a former student, as being a "favorite teacher." Stanley's love of softball led to him playing in Senior Softball leagues. He was a member of the team that won two AAA World Championships in which he had the highest batting average in the league.

The visitation is Sunday, September 19, 2021 between 6:00-8:00 p.m. at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan. The private family graveside, with military honors, will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Newnan Coweta Humane Society, 608 Hwy 29 N, Newnan, GA 30263 or <https://www.nchsrescue.org/donate>

Condolences may be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Survivors include wife, Linda Rainey Yarbrough; children, Phillip (Mary) Yarbrough, Phyllis (Dan) Gentry; grandchildren, Stanley Gentry, Phillip Yarbrough, Jr., Victor Pruett, Brian Gentry, Cassey Gentry McKoy; sisters, Novelle Dennis, Mary Shoemake; sisters-in-law, Jane Yarbrough, Margaret Yarbrough; great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Previous Events

Visitation

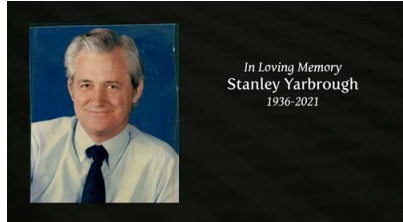
SEP **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Stanley Jackson Yarbrough*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - September 19, 2021 at 09:37 AM

EJ

“ *Mr. Yarbrough reached out to me when I was a senior at Newnan High. He pulled me out of a darkness I was in and showed me that he recognized the worth in me. I will always remember that.*

Eric Johnson

Eric Johnson - September 23, 2021 at 11:31 AM



LT

“ *Leigh Dutton Trisler lit a candle in memory of Stanley Jackson Yarbrough*



Leigh Dutton Trisler - September 23, 2021 at 10:42 AM

FF

“ *My prayers are with all the family.*
Frank Farmer

FRANK FARMER - September 20, 2021 at 11:20 AM

AS

“ *When I began teaching at Newnan High, Stanley was one of the first teachers to take me under his wing and help a newbie. He was truly a sweet, caring, devoted teacher and loved his family very much. I love his family very much. May the Lord hold all of his family tight and give them the comfort and peace as only He can do.*
Angelia M. Smith

Angelia M Smith - September 20, 2021 at 08:54 AM

CM

“ *So sorry to hear of Uncle Stanley's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*
Carol and Chuck McLemore

Carol McLemore - September 19, 2021 at 06:48 PM

HR

“ *Keeping Aunt Linda and family in my prayers during this time of grief*

Harriett Rainey - September 19, 2021 at 01:56 PM

LA

“ *Laura lit a candle in memory of Stanley*
Jackson Yarbrough



laura - September 19, 2021 at 11:58 AM

GW

“ *Geraldine Welch lit a candle in memory of Stanley Jackson Yarbrough*



Geraldine Welch - September 19, 2021 at 07:07 AM

JW

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Mr. Yarbrough's passing. He was certainly a fixture at NHS! He will be missed.*

Jennifer Welch - September 18, 2021 at 11:03 PM

CS

“ *Linda,
I am so sorry to hear of Stanley's passing. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.
Charlene Storey*

Charlene Storey - September 18, 2021 at 04:49 PM