



F.A. Harmon

September 15, 1914 - January 22, 2010

Mr. F.A. Harmon, Jr., age 95 of Calhoun, passed away Friday, January 22, 2010 in Rome. He was born in Gordon County on September 15, 1914, son of the late F.A. Harmon, Sr. and Ora Bennett Harmon. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife, Johnnie Mae Beason Harmon in 1999.

Mr. Harmon was an avid outdoorsman, and was a 50 year Master Mason of the Sonora Lodge #221 F & AM, and a member of the Sonora Eastern Star. He was a member of the Blackwood Springs Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Reavis Harmon of Calhoun; a daughter and son-in-law, Renva and Bruce Watterson of Rome; three grandchildren, Tim Harmon, Charles Bruce Watterson, Jr., and Wendy Watterson Buntin; and four great-grandchildren, Tanner Harmon, Charles Bruce Watterson III, Annabelle Elaine Watterson, and John Harmon Buntin.

Graveside funeral services for Mr. F.A. Harmon, Jr. will be conducted Monday, January 25 at 11:00am from the Chandler Cemetery, with full Masonic Rites. The family will receive friends at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home Sunday from 6:00pm until 8:00pm.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made in Mr. Harmon's name to The Nature Conservancy in Georgia, 1330 West Peachtree St., Ste. 410, Atlanta, GA 30309-2904.

Online condolences may be expressed and the guestbook signed at www.maxbrannonandsons.com. Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home is conducting

the funeral services for Mr. F.A. Harmon, Jr., of Calhoun.

Tribute Wall

PS

“ We regret the loss of another good lifetime friend and fellow member of Blackwood Church. My sympathy goes out to the entire family and you are all in my thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow.

Paul Sitton - February 04, 2010 at 01:48 PM

EC

“ Reavis and Renva and families,
I am so sorry to hear about our beloved F.A.'s passing. I haven't seen him in years but he was always one of my favorites. You have so many wonderful memories to help you through this difficult time. You will be in my thoughts and prayers. Ellen

Ellen Ray Chappuis - February 03, 2010 at 11:35 AM

DE

“ Revis,
Your father brought sunshine to everyone he touched. I haven't seen F A since the Sonoraville H S reunion several years ago.

Dan Erwin - January 30, 2010 at 03:36 PM

CS

“ I am so sorry Renva, I know you will miss him.

Carol Souders - January 29, 2010 at 05:28 PM

DP

“ *Renva and family, So very sorry to hear of the loss of your father. Did not know until reading the paper today. You have my deepest sympathy.*
Deborah(Shope)Parker

Deborah (Shope) Parker - January 28, 2010 at 09:11 PM

TB

“ *F.A. Harmon*

Tamra Bennett - January 26, 2010 at 07:57 PM

SB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Renva and her family.*

Samantha Bishop - January 26, 2010 at 07:56 PM

KR

“ *Dr. Watterson and family:
you have our deepest condolences on the loss of your father.
Ken Reaves and family.*

Ken Reaves - January 26, 2010 at 08:22 AM

RM

“ *Renva, Rae and I were very sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family through this difficult time.*

Rae & Harvey Moody - January 25, 2010 at 05:58 PM

RM

“ *Renva, Rae and I are very sorry to hear about the loss of your father. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Rae & Harvey Moody - January 25, 2010 at 05:01 PM

LC

“ *Reavis and Renva, We are saddened by the loss of your father and friend. We will always remember his humor. Our prayers are with all of you. God bless*

Larry Curtis - January 25, 2010 at 03:36 PM

WB

“ *Something told the wild geese It was time to go. Though the fields lay golden Something whispered, -- "Snow." Leaves were green and stirring, Berries, luster-glossed, But beneath warm feathers Something cautioned, -- "Frost." All the sagging orchards Steamed with amber spice, But each wild beast stiffened At remembered ice. Something told the wild geese It was time to fly, -- Summer sun was on their wings, Winter in their cry.*
-- Rachel Field

Wendy Buntin - January 25, 2010 at 01:43 PM

SM

“ *Renva, Please accept my heartfelt sympathy on the loss of your father. My thoughts and prayers will continue to be with you and your family. Sincerely, Sue Munn*

Sue Munn - January 25, 2010 at 12:52 PM

GW

“ *Sorry to hear about your dad. I have also been a Master Mason for over 25 years. I know that you were very proud of him. George*

George White - January 25, 2010 at 12:00 PM

LD

“ *All of us in Humanities are with you in this time of sorrow. May the blessings of the universe be with you and comfort you.*

LaNelle Daniel - January 25, 2010 at 11:48 AM

AK

“ *I am so sorry to hear about F.A. Only learned of his passing this Monday morning. Please know that all of you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Regan Stone Anne Kelley Ray Stone

Anne (Stone) Kelley - January 25, 2010 at 09:56 AM

MB

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Mr. Harmon was such a jokester, he could make anybody laugh. I was always so impressed with the love he shared with Mrs. Harmon and the way he took care of her. They're both at rest in the arms of JESUS. GOD bless you all... The Buttrum family.*

Martha Buttrum - January 24, 2010 at 11:31 PM

BW

“ F.A. Harmon was so much more than a great father-in-law and grandfather. He was a steadfast symbol of hope, humor, strength, and passion for life. We will always remember his abiding spirit, his love of the outdoors and hunting/fishing, and his faith in humankind. A Southern story-teller of great depth and breath, family reunions always involved an array of his tales--most based on truth--all bringing laughter and great joy to those of us gathered around the kitchen table. We hope he knows that no one will be able to take his place, we can only hope to retell some of our favorite "FAisms" with a bit of the sense of style and grace we knew to be his alone. God's Speed... Our gratitude and our love always, Bruce, Chase, Wendy, Carrie, Wilson, Tripp, Annabelle and Master Jack.

Bruce Watterson - January 24, 2010 at 05:25 PM

ZB

“ We would like to extend to the family our sympathy for their loss of such a nice man. God bless all of his family and friends.

Zeb and Marcelle Bradley - January 24, 2010 at 02:44 PM

TC

“ REAVIS WE ARE SO SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS IF WE CAN BE OF ANY HELP PLEASE CONTACT US

TRAVIS AND JUDY CHILDERS - January 24, 2010 at 01:43 PM