



## Marvin Burns

March 10, 1945 - October 17, 2012

Rev. Marvin Lee Burns, age 67 of Calhoun, passed away Wednesday, October 17, 2012 at Redmond Regional Medical Center. He was born in Gordon County on March 10, 1945, son of the late James J. and Ruby Lee Franks Burns. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Grady Burns, and a grandson, James William Burns, Jr.

Prior to his illness, Marvin was self-employed in the construction industry. Survivors include five sons, Marvin Seritt and his wife Vicki of Shannon, James Burns and his wife Tonya of Adairsville, Jeff Burns of Adairsville, Jerry Burns and his wife BJ of Centre, AL, and Joel Burns and his wife Kristina of Dalton; a daughter, Julia Judd and her husband Mike of Adairsville; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Robert and Lori Burns of Calhoun, and Jimmy and Celine Collie of Pensacola, FL; three sisters, Tammy Burns of Calhoun, Sherry Johnson of Chatsworth, and Katherine Jordan of Centre, AL; his fiancée, Ann Chapman; the mother of his children, Rhonda Hawkins of Adairsville; and a special cousin, Billy Patton. Thirty grandchildren, twenty-one great-grandchildren, aunts, nieces, nephews, and cousins also survive.

Funeral services for Rev. Marvin Lee Burns will be held Saturday, October 20th at 3:00pm from the Bethlehem Baptist Church in Whitfield County, with Rev. Jackie Culberson and Rev. Lamar Patton officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Active pallbearers will include David Burns, Daniel Ghorley, Cordell Seritt, Marvin Seritt, Jr., Seth Vineyard, and Chad Lau.

Honorary pallbearers are Kyle Daniel, Landon Wells, Chris Seritt, Jerry Burns,

Jr., Dakota Burns, Brett Burns, Bentley Brunni, and Chaz Smith.

Rev. Burns' body will lie in state and the family will receive friends Friday, after 1:00pm until the funeral hour on Saturday, at the home of Joey and Kristina Burns, 4658 Nance Springs Road, Resaca, GA.

Online condolences may be expressed and the guest book signed at [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home, a legacy of compassion and care, is in charge of funeral arrangements for Rev. Marvin Lee Burns, age 67 of Calhoun.

# Tribute Wall

SJ

“ Sorry to hear about your family loss. My thoughts and prayers will be with your family.

Sandy Jaco - October 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of your Daddy. Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers. May GOD comfort you today and in the days to come. Sending my love to each of you.

Lisa Burns McPherson - October 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ I'm sorry for the loss of another family member! My thoughts and prayers are with everyone!

Stephanie Burns Wine - October 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Jimmy and Tonya Burns and Kyle Daniel

October 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Truly going to be missed!! Much love to Ann and the family. May the comfort of him no longer suffering comfort you through this time. Marvin was a one of a kind and I there will be another like him....

Bonnie Wilkinson - October 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *there will be no hurts or crying anymore, god has took him home to a better place. Just remember that he will be looking down on us. Yes Marvin will be missed dearly from my mom(Ann) all the family he had. God Bless You!!!*

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**Mary Carroll** - October 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ *May God comfort all of his family during this time. May the Lord wrap his loving arms around each of you. You all are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you all.*

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**Deborah Jones** - October 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *REST IN PEACE MY FRIEND UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN !!*

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**SONNY WINKLE** - October 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Charles & Judy Bailey*

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**Charles** - October 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM