



## Richard Lee Blackstock

October 4, 1933 - August 16, 2014

Mr. Richard Lee Blackstock, age 80 of Calhoun, passed away Saturday, August 16, 2014 at his home. He was born in Gordon County on October 4, 1933, son of the late Marvin Lee and Maude Gallman Blackstock.

As a young boy, Richard grew up in Resaca and the Nicklesville Community. He attended Pine Chapel School until eighth grade, and transferred to Red Bud School where he met his future wife, Amogene Dutton, whom he married September 5, 1953. In early adulthood he played basketball, softball and worked on his Dad's farm. Richard went to work at Lockheed in Marietta in 1953 and remained there for the next 43 years. He was most proud of his family. He was a member of New Town Baptist Church.

He leaves behind his wife of 60 years, Amogene Dutton Blackstock; a son and daughter-in-law, Anthony and Teresa Blackstock of Sugar Valley; two daughters and a son-in-law, Lisa Davis of Calhoun, and Julie and Vann Harmon of Resaca; a brother and sister-in-law, Perry and Carolyn Blackstock of Calhoun; and two sisters and brothers-in-law, Lillian and Pat Baker, and Jean and Henry Parrott, all of Calhoun. Grandchildren surviving are Crystal Davis Sumner and Chad, Coley Davis, Charity Blackstock Arrivillaga and Miker, Cherith Blackstock Locklear and Adam, Wendy Trundle and Chad, Gabriel Harmon, Cooper Harmon, and Autumn Gibson and Ryan. Great-grandchildren are Ashlyn Trundle, Brayson Trundle, Caylon Trundle, Anna and Ethan Gibson, Kade Locklear, Tristan Arrivillaga, and Abram, Maddie, and Jax Sumner. Nieces, nephews, and other relatives also survive.

Services to celebrate the life of Mr. Richard Lee Blackstock will be held Tuesday, August 19th at 2:00 PM from the New Town Baptist Church, with Rev. Tommy Crider and Rev. Walter Hare officiating. Mr. Blackstock's body will lie in state at the church Tuesday from 1:00 PM until the service hour. Music will be arranged by the Cochran Family. Interment will follow in Chandler Cemetery. Active pallbearers will include Ryan Gibson, Chad Trundle, Adam Locklear, Miker Arrivillaga, Chad Sumner, Scott Blackstock, Rex Baker, and Coley Davis. Honorary pallbearers are Harold Blackstock, Herbert Blackstock, Harold Stamey, Dwight Dutton, Cooper Harmon, James Allen, Gabe Harmon, and Sanford Sisson.

Words cannot express our appreciation and love for Robin and Lisa from North Star Hospice. You were invaluable. To our friend Margaret and beloved cousin Anita, may God keep you and bless you for going beyond the call of duty.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions be made to Multiple Sclerosis Georgia Chapter and the Georgia Chapter Alzheimer's Association. The Blackstock family will receive friends at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home Monday, August 18th from 5:00 PM until 9:00 PM.

Online condolences may be left at [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). Funeral services for Mr. Richard Lee Blackstock are under the care and direction of Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home of Calhoun.

# Previous Events

## Family will receive friends

AUG **18**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home

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# Tribute Wall

HR

“ *Holly Carpenter Roberts lit a candle in memory of Richard Lee Blackstock*



**Holly Carpenter Roberts** - August 20, 2014 at 06:19 PM

HR

*So sorry for you loss Amogene. I love you and will be praying for your strength and comfort during this time. I will always be here for you if you need me.*

**Holly Carpenter Roberts** - August 20, 2014 at 06:22 PM

PL

“ *Pam Little lit a candle in memory of Richard Lee Blackstock*



**Pam Little** - August 19, 2014 at 01:47 PM

PL

*I am so sorry for your great loss to Perry, Carolyn , Scott Jenna, and also Wendy Trundle and family. You are in our thoughts and prayers . love you.*

**Pam Little** - August 19, 2014 at 01:50 PM

SG

“ *Imogene, I was sorry to hear of Richards' passing. I asked about you and Richard often when I saw Coley at the Library. I remember the good time we had bowling all those many, many years ago. You have my sympathy and prayers. Love, Susie Gray*



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**Susie Gray** - August 19, 2014 at 10:29 AM

KC

“ *Sorry for the loss of your dad. Just wanted to send prayers & condolences to all. Nanka, Kim & Gina*



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**Kim Smith Carey** - August 19, 2014 at 09:22 AM

TP

“ *Troy & Donna Parker lit a candle in memory of Richard Lee Blackstock*



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**Troy & Donna Parker** - August 18, 2014 at 11:39 PM

JF

“ *I'm so sorry for the loss of Richard. He was always so kind and friendly and will be missed by all those who were fortunate enough to know him.*

*Julia Fortner*

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**Julia Fortner** - August 18, 2014 at 12:08 PM