



## Byron Jacky Matthews

January 6, 1943 - August 25, 2020

Mr. Byron Jacky Matthews, age 77, of Tyrone, passed away Tuesday, August 25, 2020. He is survived by his wife, Melba Wright Matthews; children, Lance Matthews, Ashley Suttles and her husband, James, Stephanie Thomason; sisters, Patricia Peacock, Judy Banks and her husband, Jerry; grandchildren, Caitlyn Nichols and her husband, Austin, Tyler Suttles, Aaron Thomason, Kelsey Thomason; many nieces and nephews; loving dog, Daisy. A graveside service will be held Friday, August 28, 2020 at 2 o'clock at Sharon Memorial Gardens with Rev. Duncan Locke officiating. The family will receive friends Friday, August 28, 2020 from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. at Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory, 770-964-4800.

# Cemetery Details

## Sharon Memorial Gardens

Senoia Road  
Tyrone, GA 30290

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 28.** 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
8355 Senoia Road  
Fairburn, GA 30213  
(770) 964-4800  
info@parrottfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.parrottfuneralhome.com/>

## Graveside

**AUG 28.** 2:00 PM (ET)

Sharon Memorial Gardens  
Senoia Road  
Tyrone, GA 30290

# Tribute Wall

FB

“ *Melba we are sorry for your loss our thoughts and prayers are with you Forrest and Sara Ballard*

Forrest Ballard - August 30, 2020 at 03:51 PM

KH

“ *Melba, we are praying for the Lord to help you and the rest of the family through this diifficult time. We will all miss Jacky, but we have to be happy for him. He is with the Lord! No more cancer, no more heart trouble, & no more virus. His journey is over. We hope you will find some peace in that. Dean & Kathy Hamner*

KATHLEEN R HAMNER - August 28, 2020 at 08:24 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



August 27, 2020 at 10:55 PM

BB

“ *Brenda, Jared and Brad purchased the Heartfelt Memories for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



Brenda, Jared and Brad - August 27, 2020 at 06:17 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



August 27, 2020 at 06:16 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



August 26, 2020 at 07:23 PM



“ *I have fond memories of Jacky during our years together at FCHS . He always greeted you with his wonderful, warm smile. My sincerest sympathy to his family and friends. I know he will truly be missed. My thought and prayers are with you today and in the days ahead.*

**Linda Dumas Clarke** - August 26, 2020 at 02:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



August 26, 2020 at 01:09 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



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August 26, 2020 at 09:05 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Byron Jacky Matthews.*



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August 25, 2020 at 07:13 PM



“ *Melba and family, We have mixed feelings: We are sad that we won't see Jacky here (especially at church and as Billy's fishing partner), but rejoice to know His Lord has called him home. No more pain and suffering. You are such a sweet family and your memories of Jacky are so precious. Your faith and trust in the Lord will sustain you. And your family and friends are here for you anytime! We love you all! God bless!*

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**Billy and Linda Howard** - August 25, 2020 at 05:11 PM



*Thinking about you during this difficult time. Mr. Jacky was always such a pleasure to be around. Much love to you, Ms. Melba and the rest of the family.*

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**The McKinneys** - August 25, 2020 at 09:14 PM

JW

*Our prayers are with you and your family.*

**Julie & Buddy Wallace** - August 25, 2020 at 09:36 PM

BT

*We are praying God's peace will fill the voids of your heart and thoughts. Bunk will never forget he could always count on Jacky.*

**Bunky and Amelia Thompson** - August 26, 2020 at 02:09 PM

MW

*Sending our prayers up for Melba, Lance, Ashley, Stephanie and all the Grandchildren. Thinking of our time as neighbors on Plantation, many years ago, but such great memories. May God's Grace and Peace surround you all during this most difficult time.*

**MARVIN & MARY ANN WILLIAMS** - August 26, 2020 at 08:55 PM

GM

*Praying for the entire family. He will be so missed in our family he was such a wonderful person. Love to you all and peace be with you. Gigi Mihalik*

**Gigi Mihalik** - August 27, 2020 at 10:09 AM

Jl

*Jackie always carried a warm and wonderful smile and had a gentle and caring spirit! While our paths rarely crossed following our high school days together, his friendship was always treasured! This chuckle from him has stuck in my mind all these years, and while it is now a very sad time, I want to share this. In our senior high days, we had to sell ads for our yearbook. The groups were organized and days were assigned for us to solicit ads. On this particular day, Jackie and several other classmates and I drove up to a notable north Fayette store. As we descended on them to ask for an ad, Jackie soberly said out loud as we entered the store, "If Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ does not give us an ad, we are going to 'tote' off his store." That was the highlight of that day....and we did not have to 'tote' off the store. This warms my heart for Jackie and his family as it shows his jovial disposition and brings a smile to my face each time I recall it.*

*May God wrap strong and loving arms around each member of your family many, many times in the future to carry you through this incredible journey and loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Doug and Julia (Ballard) Ivey*

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**Julia (Ballard) Ivey** - August 29, 2020 at 12:17 PM