



Jerry Jarrell

April 26, 1943 - May 9, 2017

Jerry Anderson Jarrell, 74, of Newnan, GA woke up in the presence of his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on May 9, 2017. He had suffered a stroke a few days before which caused him to peacefully fall asleep and woke up in Glory. Jerry was born April 26, 1943 in Cedartown, GA. He was the son of Myrtie Wheeler Holt and Clarence Cecil Jarrell. He was an alumni of O'Keefe High in Atlanta, GA and a proud veteran of the United States Navy. Following his service, he went into sales. Jerry loved working in sales so much that he came out of retirement. His love of the Lord, however, was the most important thing to him. He was known for sharing his faith with anyone who he thought needed to hear about Jesus. His family was also incredibly important to him and he was always known to carry around pictures of them to show any and everyone. His church, Northside Baptist in Newnan, was near and dear to his heart and he became very involved and active in his church over the last years of his life. He will be remembered for his larger than life personality and his generous, giving heart. He was a fighter and a survivor and beat cancer not once, but twice. He is survived by his loving wife Margaret, his daughter Rachel Bowen and son in law, Dean, as well as his beloved grandchildren Chloe Anne and Lucas all of Newnan, GA. He was so thrilled to become a grandfather and was known to talk about those two non stop. He also left behind brothers Chuck Jarrell (Lin) of Spanish Fork, UT and Dooney Jarrell (Aletha), Donnie Jarrell (Beckie), and Bill Jarrell (Carlene) all of Cedartown, GA. He also left behind brother in laws Jim Hunter (Frankie) of Acworth, GA

and Mike Collins (Stacy) of Lake Jackson, TX and sister in law Susan Cartwright (Tommy) of Parker, CO, as well as many nieces and nephews. The visitation for Jerry will be Friday, May 12th at Parrott Funeral Home in Fairburn from 5:00-7:00 and the funeral will be held Saturday, May 13th at Northside Baptist Church in Newnan at 11:00. Jerry will receive a military honors internment at National Cemetery in Canton at 11:30 on Monday, May 15th. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Northside Baptist Church in Jerry's honor because that is exactly what he would have wanted since that church was so special to him. He will be dearly missed, but we find comfort in knowing that he is healthy and whole in the presence of Jesus.

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

2025 Mount Carmel Church Lane
Canton, GA 30114

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

Northside Baptist Church
3090 Hwy 29 N
Newnan, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerry Jarrell*



Parrott Funeral Home - May 11, 2017 at 01:18 PM

KA

“ *Jerry was such a wonderful person. We always loved his and Margaret's visits with the family . Mom and dad thought so much of Jerry and loved his visits. Our prayers and love are with you Margaret and family. Love to all.*

Kay Powell Ayer - May 13, 2017 at 10:24 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jerry Jarrell.*



May 12, 2017 at 03:03 PM

BR

“ *Jerry called on our little company for over twenty years. Nothing, was ever not important. He was a friend and ally to our business, and to our family. He will be missed.*

Brownlee - May 11, 2017 at 04:15 PM

FL

“ *From Your Friends at Paragon Distribution, LLC purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jerry Jarrell.*



From Your Friends at Paragon Distribution, LLC - May 11, 2017 at 03:47 PM

RE

“ *When I first met Jerry, it was at his home 20+ years ago, my first week on the job at Ship-Paq. I was a new hire in my early 30's, and He was going to be my boss but he had just had surgery to have a portion of his colon removed so he came to the door in his underwear and a robe. He looked at me and said, I'm not embarrassed because as we work together, you'll probably see me in far more embarrassing situations. I smiled, laughed and loved him from that moment, and it grew from there. I had never been around a person who taught me more about life, family, and how to treat people and how to expect to be treated than I learned from Jerry. His love and pride for Margaret & Rachel made me jealous. I had never seen a look on a persons face than I did when Jerry talked about his family. If there is a Hall of Fame for people, Jerry Jarrell would have his bust enshrined. I will never forget all that I learned from him and I thank him for his love and friendship. If you were a friend or loved one of Jerry, you are living a blessed life and when we all go to meet our maker, you can bet that Jerry Jarrell will be holding the door for us with that beautiful smile of his. RIP my Brother.*

Ric Etheridge - May 11, 2017 at 02:56 PM

RC

“ *Ronnie Lawrence and Southeast Wholesale Door Co. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jerry Jarrell.* ”



Ronnie Lawrence and Southeast Wholesale Door Co. - May 11, 2017 at 02:16 PM



“ *52 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Parrott Funeral Home - May 11, 2017 at 01:06 PM

MS

“ Dear Margaret-
When I called and his phone went to voice mail, my heart sank. Jerry and you both have been a part of my life when you called on our company. I enjoyed our conversations together about grandchildren and most of all your love for our Saviour, Jesus Christ. I know that Jerry is running with Jesus in streets of Gold.
Uplifting you this day - I pray God will give you the comfort and peace that pass of all understanding that God has promised. I will surely miss seeing the both of you!
Your Friend at Underfoot Design, Inc.



*Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.
Matthew 5:4*

Mary Swinks - May 11, 2017 at 12:44 PM

CL

“ To Margaret, Rachel, Dean, and the rest of Jerry's family:
Jerry was one of a kind. Having begun my association with him in 1997 with the opening of my business, he was more than just a salesman. He developed friendly relationships with his customers and he did that with me. I feel like I have been so involved in all your lives; with Margaret and Jerry's retirements, Rachel and Dean getting married, and the births of the grandchildren. I along with LaWanda extend our condolences and prayers to all of the family during this time of mourning. But as his obituary states, he "is" in a better place free of all the health issues he endured over the years. He will be missed by more people than you know. May God keep you all comforted.

Chris Lunsford - May 11, 2017 at 12:42 PM

RS

“ Our heart goes out to Jerry's family. Having been a classmate at O'keefe H.S. in the 50's and 60's. We talked from time to time and shared many memories. He was a true Fighting Irish. He will be missed.

Susan "62" & Richard "60" Sprayberry

Richard Sprayberry - May 11, 2017 at 12:37 PM

SJ

“ My condolences to you and your family.
Revelation21:4



sadina james - May 11, 2017 at 11:13 AM

CS

“ Carol Stewart lit a candle in memory of Jerry Jarrell



Carol Stewart - May 11, 2017 at 10:18 AM



“ Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Jerry Jarrell.



May 11, 2017 at 10:11 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jerry Jarrell.



May 11, 2017 at 08:55 AM



“ To Margaret, Rachel, Dean and the brothers.
So sorry to hear of Jerry's passing, but now he is with Jesus and friends and relatives and free of disease. I knew Jerry for many years as we attended 1st Baptist Church of Cliftondale together. He loved his family veryvery much and I loved to here some of the the stories that he would tell of everyday experiences.
I am sorry that I will not be able to attend the funeral. Alice Jean and I are going to Knoxville, TN tomorrow to watch Britton's wife receive her Masters Degree and see the girls and will be coming back Saturday morning. We will be praying for you and just cherish the moments that you had with him, David and Alice Jean Garner

John D. Garner III - May 10, 2017 at 03:54 PM



I remember h from high school and will pray for your family. He was a great person. Diane Henry Whiteaker

Diane Whiteaker - May 11, 2017 at 05:38 AM



So sorry to hear of Jerrys passing. We always love your visits . Mom and dad thought so much of Jerry. Mom alsवास loved his visits . We love you all and our prayers and thoughts are always with you . Love you. Kay Powell Ayer and family

Kay Powell Ayer - May 12, 2017 at 03:45 PM

PW

Approx 25 years after graduating from O'Keefe High, Jerry walked into my company and recognized me right away from school. He had really filled out and I couldn't remember him until later then it dawned on me. Jerry was loved by everyone, and he will be missed but I'll see him again in Heaven. I know what it's like to be a widow but God has blessed me with another love of my life. Jerry's family are in our prayers.

Pat Lee Wilson - May 15, 2017 at 05:09 PM