



Claude Alvin Bailey

July 10, 1951 - August 23, 2015

Claude "Alvin" Bailey, 64, of Marietta, passed away Sunday, August 23, 2015. Born in Greenville County, he was the son of the late Garvin G. and Mary Frances Myers Bailey. Mr. Bailey was a Residential Builder and a member of North Fork Baptist Church.

Surviving is his wife of 43 years, Kathy Lindsey Bailey; two daughters: Ashley Metcalf (Marc) and Alexandra Bailey; two brothers: Clyde Bailey (Rebecca) and Harold Johnson (Rhonna); two sisters: Nancy Gilbert and Delores Kepner (Tom).

In addition to his parents, Alvin was predeceased by two sisters: Sue Myers and Juanita Reed.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 p.m. until 3:20 p.m. Thursday afternoon with a chapel service to follow at 3:30 p.m. all at The Howze Mortuary.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.thehowzemortuary.com

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest is in charge of arrangements. (864) 834-8051

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 2:00 PM - 3:20 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369
Travelers Rest, SC

Service

AUG 27. 3:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel
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Tribute Wall

JM

“ We were surprised and saddened to learn of Alvin's passing. Over the years we participated in numerous construction projects with him and remember him as an honest and kind gentleman. He will be greatly missed.

We extend our sincere condolences to all of Alvin's family and friends.

Joey Dill and John Meredith
Southern Coatings, LLC

John Meredith - September 03, 2015 at 08:19 AM

TC

“ Kathy,
I am so sorry to hear of Alvin's passing . You and the girls are in my thoughts and prayers.
Terrie Stamey Capps

Terrie Capps - August 27, 2015 at 03:51 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.



August 27, 2015 at 11:43 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



August 27, 2015 at 09:01 AM



“ *Love, Ryan and Jess, Paul and Jane, and Kyle purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



Love, Ryan and Jess, Paul and Jane, and Kyle - August 27, 2015 at 08:46 AM



“ *Trudy McNinch lit a candle in memory of Claude Alvin Bailey*



Trudy McNinch - August 26, 2015 at 08:12 PM



“ *Kathy and Family;
Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers at this time. Alvin was a fine man and I know he will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him!
Annie and Charlie Anderson*

Annie Anderson - August 26, 2015 at 07:31 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



August 26, 2015 at 01:57 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



August 26, 2015 at 11:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



August 26, 2015 at 10:20 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



August 25, 2015 at 10:27 PM

DK

“ *Delores Kepner lit a candle in memory of Claude Alvin Bailey*



Delores kepner - August 25, 2015 at 09:10 PM

DK

“ *To the best big brother I love u and I hope u are in mamas arms now tell her we miss her and I will miss you*

Delores kepner - August 25, 2015 at 09:07 PM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



August 25, 2015 at 08:55 PM

HO

“ *Harold & Ronnah Johnson, JC Reed, Dawn Colvin and Vera Owens purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.*



Harold & Ronnah Johnson, JC Reed, Dawn Colvin and Vera Owens - August 25, 2015 at 08:33 PM



“ Vera Owens lit a candle in memory of Claude Alvin Bailey



Vera Owens - August 25, 2015 at 07:35 PM



“ Ashley,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We love you.
Patti Almond and Gwen Storey

Patti Almond - August 25, 2015 at 06:05 PM



“ My deepest heartfelt sympathy and condolences to all of the family.

Steve Hand

Steve Hand - August 25, 2015 at 02:50 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.



August 25, 2015 at 02:41 PM

VS

“ Vickie Sawyer lit a candle in memory of Claude Alvin Bailey



Vickie Sawyer - August 25, 2015 at 12:56 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Claude Alvin Bailey.



August 25, 2015 at 11:35 AM

DC

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to you. Cherish your memories and know that many are praying for you.

Dawn Colvin - August 25, 2015 at 10:53 AM

FG

“ So sorry to hear of Alvin's passing , I know he will be dearly missed , will be praying for the family . Stan and Frankie Gilbert

Frankie Gilbert - August 25, 2015 at 03:35 AM

NH

“ My favorite memory of Alvin was in school the sixth grade to be exact. We played baseball at recess and he was the home run hitter. We were on opposite teams and I was playing way out field! He hit that ball straight at me and it scared me to death!! I raised my hand and caught it!!! He just stopped trotting around the bases and just stood there with his mouth open. Later he told me I did good " for a girl" it made my day!!

Nancy Harris - August 24, 2015 at 08:21 PM

NH

“ Nancy Harris lit a candle in memory of Claude Alvin Bailey



Nancy Harris - August 24, 2015 at 08:16 PM

DD

“ Alvin was a "gentle soul", a gentleman always, as I remember him from high school. My prayers are with his family.

Deborah Dugas - August 24, 2015 at 08:01 PM

JO

I am the mother and mother in law of Hollis Wilson and Anne Blythe. I did not know Alvin but heard both of them speak of him so often and always with love. Hollis said he could fix anything and Annes little writing room will always be such a wonderful memory for her. You have my deepest sympathy in the loss of Alvin. I will keep you, your daughters and the rest of the family in my prayers. My heart goes out to all of you. Sincerely, Jean Ohmsen

Jean Ohmsen - August 27, 2015 at 07:53 AM