



Franklin Ray Thurmond Obituary

May 4, 1963 - May 13, 2008

Mr. Franklin Ray (Bubba) Thurmond, Jr. 45 of 663 Brim Rd. in Sasser died May 13, 2008 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital. A native of Albany, Mr. Thurmond has lived in Sasser for the past four years. He was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Albany, 1981 graduate of Westover High School and a graduate of St. Andrew's Presbyterian College. Survivors include his parents, Frank and Trudy Thurmond of Sasser, sister, Stacey Walker and her husband Lee of Sasser. The family will be at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker 902 Brim Rd. Dawson, GA 39842. Those desiring, please make memorials to Sasser United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 487 Sasser, GA 39885.

Tribute Wall



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“ *I know this is late....but I left Georgia 20 years ago and I just heard of Bubba's passing....I am so sorry....My heart and prayers go out to the Thurmond family....I went all through elemnetary and Jr. High with Bubba....He brought smiles to all that knew him...?*

Maryhelen Thompson - August 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *you were my best friend for so many years...there is going to be an empty place in my heart..i will miss watching tv with you....i love you*

Gail White - February 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Bubba's passing. We went to high school together and I have always remembered his face - he always wore a smile! AND, that laugh was contagious! Please know that you all are in my and John's thoughts and prayers.

Angie West Kline - June 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ I am so sorry for the Family's lost. I have known Pete for a number of years. I can remember when he ran the small grocery store in Lees burg Ga., and in going in there to purchase items from him when i was a young man. Sometimes when i did not have enough money to buy the things that i wanted, he would always let me have the item anyway. That is just one of the very good qualities that he extended not only to me, but to every one that he knew and that knew him. He was a very good man and will be truly missed. My sympathy goes out to the smith family.

JAMES ANTHONY - June 02, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PR

“ I am saddened to hear of your loss. Bubba and I we the best of friends in and after high school. Even that I moved away, I often thought about him and the ?gang". I am going to really miss him.

May the Lord show his blessings your Family.

sincerely,

Phil Rentfrow

Phil Rentfrow - June 02, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Bubba and I went to school together for quite some time and he was something else.

He always made everyone around him laugh. My sympathy to the family.

Lisa Alverson - May 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Our deepest sympathy to you both. Since we have sons about Bubba's age, we can imagine your grief. Take care of each other.

Ruth and Bill Garrison - May 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ Frank, we are so sorry to hear of the death of your son. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Clark and Penny

Penny McDaniel Douthit - May 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ *Dear Trudy and Frank,
It was with such sadness that I read of your loss. Please know that
you're both in my thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow.
May God hold you gently in his arms.*
Sara Joiner Eubanks

Sara Joiner Eubanks - May 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ *To The Family of Mr. Franklin Ray Thurmond*

My name is Annette. I would like to express my deepest sympathy to each of you.

Although we are not acquainted with one another, we are acquainted with the pain when our loved ones fall asleep in death.

At Matthew 6:10 Jesus taught us to pray for God's Kingdom to come here upon the earth as it is in the heavens.

The fact that the the heavens is peaceful, no sickness, death, etc. is surely a place where we would like to be. So when we pray for these conditions to come on the earth, we are asking God to restore the earth back to its original condition when he created the first Man and Woman.

That Kingdom will be a reality here on the earth.

The Scriptures promises that the day is soon to come in which death will be no more and that Almighty God Jehovah will wipe away the tears of sorrow from our eyes forever. (Revelation 21:3-5)

He promises too that your loved ones, my loved ones and many others will hear his voice and come out of the memorial tombs (graves) to live in heaven-like conditions right here on the earth. (John 5:28,29; Psalms 37:29)

Annette Pegues - May 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ *I have know Bubba all of my life. I loved him as if he was my brother. I will keep your family in my prayers and know that he is in a better place.*

Holli Parr - May 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *Our sympathy and prayers are with you.
Johnny and Elaine*

John and Elaine Johnson - May 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family.*

Max Key - May 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ *Your family will be in our prayers. So sorry for your loss.*

Ronnie and Donna Keel - May 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *We are so sorry for your loss.....We will keep yall in our prayers.God bless your family.*

Alan & Jeri McDowell - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Having also lost a son many years ago I know the pain and anguish you are experiencing. It will always be there to some degree, but God will bring you through these darkest of times.*

Jim Bell - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ We are so sorry to read of Bubba's passing. Our prayers are with you and your family.

Sincerely,

Ray and DeAnne

3919 Venus Street

Panama City Beach, Fl. 32408

Raymond & DeAnne Carson - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I was a friend of Frank in High School. I was a water boy on the football team. Frank was a gentle person and was always kind and considerate. The last I talked to him he was excited about going to Wyoming(I believe that was the school).

He will be missed.

Jack Hurst - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Frank, I'm so sorry for yours Bubba's mother's loss. I can only imagine how difficult a time this must be for you. My heartfelt compassion is with you and your family now and the time to come.

Barbara Able Burton - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Frank, what a wonderful father you have been!!! We send our thoughts and prayers to you and your family in the loss of your son, Bubba.

Tommy and Beverly Smith Herrington

Beverly Smith Herrington - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ *Frank, I'm just so sorry.*

Lloyd Goldstein - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JI

“ *Sorry Frank*

Jack Ivey - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *May God Bless*

Kenneth Faircloth - May 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *We are so sorry to hear about Bubba. I ran into Stacey in the elevator at the hospital and she told me he wasn't doing well. I know you will miss him. I remember vividly him sitting in that boat under your carport on Chateau and working on his rod and reel so often. Im so glad he was able to enjoy fishing so readily after yall moved to the lake. Please know you are in our prayers and we hope the wonderful memories help the pain of losing him. Sincerely, Marilyn and Mike*

Marilyn and Mike Belcher - May 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HA

“ *Both Penney and myself were very saddened by the news of Bubba's passing. The last time I saw him was at Rob's house in Albany. The best thing that I remember about Bubba was that know matter what he was the same ole Bubba that I grew up and knew as a child and an adult. I send this with our deepest sympathy and condolences.*

harry adair - May 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I will always have the fondest memories of Bubba. We had a lot of good times together. I will miss him terribly. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Jo Dukes Cerrone - May 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ Frank & Trudy,

Our hearts and prayers are with you both during this time of grief. We will pray that God will give you peace through all of this.

We love you,

Henry & Trisha Page

Henry & Trisha Page - May 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ May God be with you and help to ease your sorrow. You will be in my prayers.

Helen Jenkins Freeman - May 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ I remember Bubba always having a smile on his face. My prayers are with his family. Love You Stacey - I wish i could be there.

Michelle Guilbeau - May 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *Frank and Trudy:
How sad I am to learn of
Bubba's death. I know what
a source of joy he has been
to your lives and how much
you will miss him.
Know your many, many friends
hold you close in our hearts
as you move through these days ahead.
Patsy*

Patsy Martin - May 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *I wish with all my heart I could be there with all of you. Bubba was
one of the sweetest persons I knew. He was so fun to talk to. It
seemed nothing could get him down. I know he will be missed so
much. I can just picture him and Mack up there looking out for us.
Just know I love all of you and all my thoughts and prayers are with
you.
Cindy*

Cindy Foster - May 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *I was so saddened to read of Bubba's passing! We had SO much
fun in high school and hanging out on the weekends. He was such a
warm and caring guy! My thoughts and prayers are with his family.*

Suzanne Bowling McKinney - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Bubba was truly the love of my life and someone who will always hold a very special place in my heart! I was driving my daughter, Sutton, home from school tonight and I was telling her all about Bubba for the 100th time and when we returned home, we got the sad phone call about Bubba. My thought and prayers are with the Thurmond family. I love you all and you will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Lisa Hattaway - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ I was so sorry to hear the news about Bubba. I will always cherish the memories of us growing up together in Albany. A smile always comes to my face when I think of the times we had at the lake hunting and fishing and enjoying the outdoors. My thoughts and prayers are with you. He will be truly missed!

Billy Weldon - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Bubba was a super fabulous cousin and made everyone feel loved. My husband Josh has said that when he met Bubba that he made him feel welcomed to the family. Bubba's heart was truly one of gold and there will never be another Bubba. I am sure that Banny Opal is fluffing your pillow in Heaven Bubba! Love, steph and the boys

stephany parker - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ Dear Frank & Trudy,
You & your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Ernest & Sharon Sutton - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Judy and I were sad to hear this news, prayers sent to the Thurmond family...

My memories of Bubba will always be with me...he was something very special in all our lives...we were blessed to have had him as a great friend...

I think of Bubba as my lifelong fishing partner, he was always ready anytime, any place...I'll keep him close in my heart...

Bubba's smile was the definition of a "smile"...

David and Judy Hall - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. Hold on to all the great memories of Bubba and he will live on in your hearts.

Love ya Kathy

Kathy Newton - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Thurmond family. One of the greatest memories, his smile was everlasting, great guy, we'll miss ya Bubba. God Bless.

Mark and Nancy Franklin - May 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM