



Lee L. Tatum Obituary

October 16, 1949 - February 17, 2003

A native of Gadsden, AL, he had lived in Albany most of his life. He attended schools in Albany and graduated from Albany High School. He attended Albany Junior College, now Darton, and attended Georgia Southwestern. He was a musician, and while at Albany Junior College, he played in the band Yakotz. He also played in various bands in the Albany area. He was a member of Avalon United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lee L. Tatum Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *It was with great sorrow that I received the news about Lee. I was blessed to have shared an incredible decade in GA with Lee, Kathy, Max & Betsy and all their friends & families. I now live in FL & couldn't make the memorial service, but I sorted through a bunch of old pictures remembering all the good times-the music, the gatherings, the kindred spirit we all shared during that time. Lee was truly talented, a creative & gentle soul, & a loving friend for life. Rest in peace, Rasta-Lee, I'll never forget you. Love, Sherry.*

Sherry McClain - March 21, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *I pray for strength and send it to Vicki and her family in regards to their loss of a loved one.*

Amanda Louks - March 14, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *It is with deepest regret that we learn of Lee's death. Our deepest sympathy goes to the family, Max and Bonnie*

Gerald Bundrick - February 25, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *Thinking of you and remembering you in prayer!*

Bennie & Iola Stripling and Dan and Melba Wesson - February 23, 2003 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ DEEPEST SYMPATHY. GOD BLESS YOU ALL.

NANCY SPANFELNER - February 22, 2003 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ *My first memory of Lee was when I saw him practicing his clarinet in Max's car. Then Bonnie and I saw him walking to school carrying his clarinet case. He always looked so elegant. I always associated Lee with music. He had a very nice speaking voice. There was a group of friends who spent many hours at Lee and Kathy's house. I hope that Lee enjoyed growing up with us as much as we enjoyed growing up with him.*

Karen Greene - February 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *Dear Lee,
The news of your passing has brought back many emotions that I was not aware existed. I was the kid brother in the crowd, and I never told you of the beautiful influence that you had on me during my youth. You were so gentle and calm and...available...in a way that moves me deeply now as I reminisce your presence. I guess I am a bit surprised by this, having been so far away from you for so long. I know many others must be feeling something similar. And now, you are bringing us together again, at least in our hearts and minds...touching us all for the last time with a farewell kiss. Thank you, Lee, for being there.*

*Sincerely,
Scotty*

scott - February 20, 2003 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ I am so sorry to hear of this. I have so many good memories of Lee and Kathy and Mr. Tatum. Thank you for them.

Bonnie Presley - February 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ I remember Lee with immense fondness and was so sorry to hear of his passing. The Tatum household was the unofficial clubhouse for our little circle of outcasts in 1967. The bonds formed there remain unbroken and will continue into heaven.

Barton Wright - February 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Lee was the coolest. I knew him for almost 40 years. my warm thoughts to Cathy and the family.

scott spanfelner - February 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ My depest sympathy to family.
Lee and I had a lot of good times and were an influence on each other during an important time in our lives.
Larry

Larry Simmons - February 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ Looking through the window - outward, upward - I see gray clouds kissed by temptations of the sun, reminding me of all that was, and all that ever will be - what a wonderful spirit Lee is, and now he will be everywhere, always.....and peace and blessings be to Max, Kathie, and Bonnie.

Aleta Pope Hudson - February 19, 2003 at 12:00 AM