



Lyle W. McClung, Jr. Obituary

April 23, 1921 - October 15, 2006

Lyle W. "Buddy/Sleep" McClung, Jr. 85, of 723 10th Avenue, Albany, died Sunday, October 15, 2006 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital. His funeral service will be 11 AM Wednesday, October, 18, 2006 at Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors with interment to follow in Leesburg Cemetery. The family will receive friends Tuesday (Today) 6 PM to 8 PM at Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors. Rev. John Warner will officiate. A native of St. Petersburg, FL, Mr. McClung has lived in Albany since 1931. He was a veteran of WW II, serving in the United States Navy, from 1941 to 1945. Mr. McClung served in the South and the North Pacific, and at Guadalcanal, involved in aviation repair aboard ship from 1941 to 1943. He was a member of Holy Hands Christian Fellowship Church and a past member of Palmyra United Methodist Church. As an adult he mastered the art of playing the piano and the violin. He was known as one whom loved to walk and was known to walk for miles. He worked as a projectionist at Albany Theatre and several other places. He retired from Dixie Theatre Service and Supply as Service Manager and from Gray Air Service as pilot and mechanic. He was preceded in death by his wife Carolyn Phillips McClung and his brother Jim McClung. Survivors include: his daughter; Nancy McClung Lawless and husband Leonard of Albany; 3 sons: Sammy McClung and wife Leslie of Seneca SC, Mack McClung of Albany, and David McClung and wife Nancy of Dothan AL; 6 grandchildren: Caroline Lawless, Jessica Lawless, Shane McClung, Jamie McClung, John Ethan McClung, and Celeste McClung; brother: Wayne C. McClung and wife Joann; sister, Jean

McClung Snelling; and sister-in-law, Jo Anne S. McClung all of Albany. Memorial contributions may be made to Georgia Diabetes Research Foundation, 1211 Whispering Pines Rd., Albany, GA 31707.

Tribute Wall



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“ *Mack, Nancy, Sammy, and David:
I am so sorry to hear about your Dad. I just saw it on this site today.
I don't come on here often, as it is too hard for me since losing
Bobby, even though it has been two years. My thoughts and prayers
go out to all of you. It has been so many years since I have seen
any of you, I hope maybe one day we will meet up again. Be strong!
Love, Patti*

Patti Bird Harris - January 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *We luv you but God luvs you most.*

Regards.

Dr.Eze

Dr.Eze Adanne - October 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Please know that your family is on our prayers. Love, Jeanne, Mike, Emily, and Jacob Brooks

Jeanne Brooks - October 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ nancy, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. may god bless

linda wilson - October 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ I am so sorry to hear of Buddy's passing. He was such a good person, and a member of "The Greatest Heroes" of our time. My thoughts and prayers are with you all as you say good bye to this great Soul.

Jenny

Jenny Arn - October 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ We will truly miss you buddy. I will never forget how you taught me to sharpen a knife. Thankyou for being a part of my life. Our symphies go out to all the family.

Tommy Nancy and Jonathan Arn - October 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ It was just last week as we were using some old songbooks that someone held one up with Buddy's name written on it. How well we all remember Buddy's airplanes decorating his choir music; you always knew at a glance which book was his. Buddy was such a fine man and an inspiration to so many. He said very little, but his life was testimony to his beliefs. When he did decide to speak up, you immediately learned how well-read Buddy was in the Bible. Carolyn always spoke of Buddy's wisdom and you could see the love between them. We will miss Buddy as we continue to miss Carolyn, our good friends.
Our sympathies, Robert and Linda Wells

Robert and Linda Wells - October 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AE

“ My deepest sympathies to all of you at this time. I will miss Buddy so much. He and I used to have such good times talking and we loved to have lunch together at my house. How I wish we could go back to those times. I know Buddy has been ill and I wish I could have visited him. However, I have been in a wheelchair for some time now and unable to get around as I'd like. My prayers are with you as we remember a very old friend.
God bless, Arnold Edwards

Arnold Edwards - October 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ sam and david we are sorry to hear about your lost. we will keep you and your families in our thoughts and prayers. god bless you.

dan and george haggerty and family - October 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Dear David, Nancy, Mack, and Sammy:
Regrettably, I am in Houston, Texas this week and wish I could be there for each of you at this time. As you all know, both your Mother and Father were like my second parents when we were all growing up in the neighborhood. I know that this will be very difficult for each of you and I truly wish you all my love and comfort during this time. I will always remember the times I stayed over and the times we walked with your Dad to the camera shop or road our bikes for a visit. Please know that my heart is with each of you and my deepest thoughts will always be there as well. My Mother contacted me at the airport this morning and my heart was broken by the news. I hope that each of you is doing well under the circumstances and that you realize how much your entire family is loved. My prayers are with each of you.

Love,
Larry

Dr. Larry A. Hacker - October 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Thank you for being a true friend. cary

cary cheatham, sr. - October 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM

FB

“ Dear Sammy, David, Mack and Family,
I still haven't gotten over the shock of seeing "Uncle Buddy" in the obituaries this morning. Please know that Wayne III, Chad, Dalton and I share your grief and heartache. He was an exceptional man, kind, caring, and a very good listener. He was my inspiration and advisor.
I know he's watching over all of you and smiling.
Just remember if you need anything all you have to do is call. He was there for me
when I lost Wayne Jr. and that meant the world to me.
Yours in Christ, Frances Brown, Wayne III, Chad and Dalton
McClung

Frances Brown - October 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM