



Mr. Marvin C. Lorig

July 5, 1918 - April 14, 2015

Marvin C. Lorig, 96, of Albany, died Tuesday, April 14, 2015 at his home.

His funeral service will be at 11 AM on Friday, April 17, 2015 at Kimbrell-Stern with interment to follow at Riverside Cemetery. Rabbi Dr. Holly L. Cohn officiating. Military honors will be presented the Walter H. Burt American Legion Post 30. The family will receive friends at Kimbrell-Stern on Thursday from 6-7:30 PM.

Mr. Lorig was born in Macon, but he lived most of his life in Albany. He was a lifelong member of Temple B’Nai Israel, and he was recently honored as Lifetime Parliamentarian of Temple B’Nai Israel. He graduated from Albany High School in the Class of 1936. From his school days, he was active in sports, speech, and drama. He worked as program manager for Albany radio station WGPC until he entered the Army in 1942. Mr. Lorig enrolled in the Army with a limited service status. He was assigned to entertain wounded soldiers returning from overseas. He was placed in charge of all USA shows, all soldier shows for the Fourth Service Command, the radio station, and Hollywood Victory Committee shows at Lawson General Hospital in Atlanta. Mr. Lorig returned to Albany after his discharge and opened Southern Diaper service with his longtime friend Harvey Cohen. The business expanded over the years and became Flint Industrial/Southern Diaper service. He announced baseball games for the Albany Cardinals and operated the public address

system for the Albany High School football games. Mr. Lorig was a charter member of the Albany Little Theatre (now Theatre Albany). He has served on the Board of Directors of the Albany Chamber of Commerce and on many different committees at the Chamber. He was chief voter registrar for Dougherty County from 1969-1973. He served on the Dougherty County Planning Commission for over 20 years.

Mr. Lorig was fair manager for the Southwest Georgia Fair for a few years in the early 1950's. He joined the Exchange Club of Albany in 1955, and since joining, he has been the manager of the Southwest Georgia Fair Association until 2000. During that time, the growth of the Fair was due to his leadership and hard work. In 1989, the Exchange Club of Albany honored Mr. Lorig by naming him in its "Book of Golden Deeds."

Mr. Lorig is survived by his wife: Doris K. Lorig, Albany; two daughters: Paula L. Ammerman and her husband Jay, Chicago, IL, Shirley L. Geer and her husband Bill, Albany; a grandson: Jason Ammerman and his wife Sunyoung, St. Joseph, MI; a nephew: Tyler Lorig and his wife Beverly, Lexington, VA.

The family expresses its thanks to the caregivers who helped Mr. Lorig: Marie Wilson, Irene Denson, Jacqueline Hillsman, and Helen Norman.

Those desiring may send memorials to Temple B'Nai Israel, P.O. Box 71425, Albany, GA 31708, the Child Abuse Prevention Fund, C/O Exchange Club of Albany, P.O. Box 72191, Albany, GA 31708-2191, or Albany Community Hospice, 320 Foundation Ln., Albany, GA 31721.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

200 Cotton Ave
Albany, GA 31707

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 16. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Kimbrell-Stern
1503 Dawson Road
Albany, GA 31707
(229) 883-4152
<https://www.kimbrellstern.com?>

Funeral Service

APR 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Marvin C. Lorig*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Mr. Marvin C. Lorig*

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ *Mr. Marvin C. Lorig*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Dear Mrs. Doris, Shirley and Paula- Marvin Lorig was one of a kind. Such a caring , funny and kind man filled with love. He never failed to tell me after Pop passed away how much he loved and missed my father. No doubt one of the most interesting men God has ever put on this earth. For every Exchangite, it was such a joy to know and be around Marvin. Ya'll are in my prayers.Randy Foster*

Randy Foster - April 23, 2015 at 04:41 PM



“ *I'm proud to have known Mr. Lorig, he was a very bright man and was such a pleasure to visit. He did a lot for Albany. He was a fixture at the Quickie, and he will be missed by many. May God bless his family*

Bill Connell - April 17, 2015 at 10:11 AM

MU

“ Dear Doris, Paula, and Shirley: How lucky you were to have such a wonderful, giving man with you; my thoughts and prayers are with you now.

Love,

Michael Usry

Michael Usry - April 17, 2015 at 08:08 AM

GO

“ i'm so sorry to hear about mr marvin lorig.my heart goes out to his family and friends.

gina ogletree

gina ogletree - April 16, 2015 at 12:30 PM

OM

“ Doris, Shirley and Paula, I am so sorry for your loss. Marvin was a great person and i love him so much . When i would come home to visit from Kentucky he would be at the Flea Market setting there with Daddy!! i was always so happy to see him!! Love to yall i will keep you all in my prayers !

Orelia Futch Morris - April 16, 2015 at 11:38 AM

EC

“ *Doris, Shirley, and Paula,
I know y'all knew well Mr. Marvin's talents and devotion to service.
When I read his Obituary, I was reminded it was his voice booming
through baseball stadium's PA system when we went to watch the
Cardinals.
Then many plays at Albany Little Theater, where he was involved on
or off stage, secured my admiration for 'live theater'.
Being involved in Civic activities can be a challenge, but he met all
with dedication because he was a responsible citizen.
His illness these last few years must have been hard on all of his
immediate and extended family plus many friends. He was surely a
force of nature to accomplish so much in his life time- truly a man of
Good Deeds.
My sympathy to all.
Elizabeth Champion*

Elizabeth Champion - April 15, 2015 at 09:33 PM

BK

“ *One of the greatest men I have ever known. The Exchange Club of
Albany will not be the same with Mr. Marvin. He was a inspiration
light to us.. Praying for Mrs. Doris and family.*

Barney Knighton - April 15, 2015 at 02:18 PM

DR

“ *Shirley,
I am so sorry to hear of your Daddy's passing. He was such a
wonderful man. Remember when we were little girls on Friday
nights while Mrs. Doris was cooking supper your daddy always kept
us in stitches and I believe we always watched Gun Smoke with
him. Such a gentleman, may he rest in peace.
DeLora*

DeLora Staines Rogers - April 15, 2015 at 01:53 PM

CC

“ *Doris I am so sorry to hear about Marvin. I will pray that God will give strength and peace today and in the days ahead. I always enjoyed waiting on Marvin when I worked at First State Bank on the corner of broad and at Regions.*

CAROLYN COX - April 15, 2015 at 10:26 AM