



## Dr. Reese W. Cross, Sr. Obituary

December 22, 1918 - August 13, 2007

Dr. Reese W. Cross, Sr., age 88, died at home in Dawson, Ga. On August 12, 2007. Dr. Cross, son of the late Lamar and Meredyth Cross of Albany was born in Baker County, GA. He attended grammar schools in Lee and Dougherty Counties, graduating from Albany High School in 1937. He attended Emory Junior College, Valdosta; Carlisle University, Bamberg, S.C.; and graduated from North Georgia College, Dahlonega in 1940. He worked as aircraft mechanic at Darr Aero Tech, Albany, and Bell Bomber plant, Marietta, Ga. prior to WWII. Subsequently, he served briefly with Army Air Corps in Europe. He graduated from Palmer Chiropractic College in Iowa with postgraduate studies at Texas Chiropractic College and received his Ph. C. (Philosophy of Chiropractic). Upon graduation, he established and maintained his chiropractic practice in Dawson for approximately 37 years. He was a WWII veteran, member of Scottish Rite Masons, Dawson Elks Club, Dawson Golden K. Club, Gideon's International, Dawson First Methodist Church, and Berean Sunday School Class, He was preceded in death by his wife, Eloise Huckabee Cross. Survivors include one son, Reese W. Cross, Jr. and his wife, Linda; two daughters, Hope Cross Almon and her husband, Philip of Cairo and Betty Cross Johns, of Birmingham, AL; one sister, Ruth Cross Hayes and husband, Durward, of Albany; 8 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren as well as loyal friend and caretaker, Gracie Chambless, of Dawson. Pallbearers will be Clint Cross, Chip Cross, Robert Johns, Bill Johns, Shaun Johns, Sidney Belcher, Jim Collins, and Chris Rodgers. Honorary pallbearers will be

members of the Berean Sunday School Class. Memorials may be made to Dawson United Methodist Church, P. O. Box 167, Dawson, Ga. 39842 or Gideons International.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Reese W. Cross, Sr. Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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“ *Dr. Reese W. Cross, Sr. Obituary*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Reese and Hope,  
Please accept my deepest sympathy in the passing of your Father.  
Butch Mathis & Family*

**Butch Mathis** - August 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jerry,Kay,Jean and Family. Our sympathy goes out to all of you. I  
always will remember how kind she always was and how she  
always has a smile on her face. David and Patty Townsend  
Brookbank and Family*

**David and Patricia Brookbank** - August 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *Dr. Cross will always be remembered at Peterson Field. We enjoyed his friendly visits, the opportunity to service his airplanes. A friend who loved flying and was willing to share, with humor, his many interesting flight experiences.*

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**Tom & Martine Peterson** - August 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Ruth and Durward, I wish I had known your brother as I'm sure he would have enriched my life as both of you have. I do think about you as I pass your home hoping you are in the yard so I can wave. I plan to stop more often just to share a warm hello. My brothers, Fred and Ted are my only relatives and my heart hurts for you, Ruth. With love and deepest sympathy. Betty Hester, 229-888-7678*

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**Betty Hester** - August 15, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TM

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

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**Todd and Angela McDonald** - August 15, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Dr. Cross was a dear man. I will forever treasure knowing him. My mother, Evelyn Haines always thought well of and spoke with such caring about both Dr. Cross and Ms. Eloise. He will be truly missed.*

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**Linda Haines Mayo** - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *Dearest Reese, Jennifer, and Clint,*

*We were so sorry to read about Dr. Cross' death. You are in our prayers during this time of sorrow. HIS grace is sufficient..Praise God.*

*Dan and Peggy*

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**Dan & Peggy Schmidt Shackelford** - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Reese,*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May God strengthen you and comfort you.*

*Dave and Helen*

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**David & Helen Christie** - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *Please accept our deepest sympathy.*

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**Laverne Paul** - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ *Our condolences for your lose. Dr. Cross was a true friend and a real gentleman. We will miss him at supper time at the Fish House in Dawson.*

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**Lee & Cathy Webb** - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

GT

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Hoping you will find comfort through memories of the wonderful person you knew.

George and Shirley Thomas - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ We are sorry to hear the loss of your Dad and Papa. I know he meant so much to each of you. May you keep his memories close to your heart. He'll be missed! Thinking of you all.

Shane Kristi Mauen & Marian Sallee - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ We are so sorry to hear of Dr. Cross's passing. He was a very sweet man. We so enjoyed the honey he would share and every story he had to tell us about the process his bees would go through to make the honey. Dr. Cross will be missed. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.

The staff @ Dr. Wren's - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ We are so sad to learn of Dr. Reese's passing and we celebrate with you his great legacy!  
Love and prayers!  
Ross, Judy and family

Dr. Ross Thomas - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Thinking of you.

Ruth and Ross Sims - August 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM

EG

“ We are sorry to hear about Dr. Cross. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Eddie and Linda Owens Dawson, GA** - August 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM