



Mr. W. R. (Dick) Stratford

April 11, 1924 - January 14, 2016

W. R. (Dick) Stratford, 91, formerly of Albany, died Thursday, January 14, 2016 at Phoebe Sumter Hospital, Americus, GA.

His memorial service will be at 2 PM on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church with the burial of his cremated remains to follow at Oakview Cemetery, Camilla, GA. The Rev. Jay Weldon will officiate. The family will receive friends at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church on Saturday beginning at 1 PM until 2 PM.

Mr. Stratford was born in Mitchell County. He was a Sr. Vice President and Trust Officer with First State Bank and Trust in Albany for over 30 years. Mr. Stratford was a Past President of both the Albany Jaycees and the Albany Sertoma Club. He was a founding director and Past President of the Albany Boys Club. He was a former member and Senior Warden of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church. Mr. Stratford was preceded in death by his wife, Virginia Louise Jones Stratford.

Mr. Stratford is survived by a son: W. Richard Stratford, Jr., Americus, GA; a daughter: Kay Stratford Stafford, Atlanta; 5 grandchildren: W. Richard Stratford, III, Sabra Stratford, Tariq David Jackson Stratford, Katie Stafford, and Hannah Stafford; a sister: Polly Stratford Smith, Rochester Hills, MI; a sister-in-law: Sandra Jones Wiley, Albany; numerous nieces and nephews.

Those desiring may send memorials to the Boys and Girls Clubs of Albany,
711 N. Monroe St., Albany, GA 31701.

Cemetery Details

Oakview Cemetery

Camilla, GA

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 23. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Patrick's Episcopal Church
4800 Old Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31721

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. W. R. (Dick) Stratford*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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“ *Mr. W. R. (Dick) Stratford*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *I would like to express my sincere condolence to the family of Dick Stratford and his sister, Polly S. Smith, a dear friend, from years ago. Weltha Hollowell*

Weltha H. Hollowell - January 22, 2016 at 03:56 PM



“ *Kaye, I'm so sorry to see where your dad had passed. You and your family are in my prayers.*

Connie Pate Lundy

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“ Did a little car business with Dick when I worked at Toyota years ago. Every time I did any business at First State Bank I would run up to the second floor to say Hi to Mr Stratford, Always a smile from 'just a nice guy' B.B.

Bryan 'B.B.' Burcham - January 20, 2016 at 07:03 PM

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“ We called this dignified gentleman, Uncle Dick because he had enhanced my grandmother's tiny assets. After her death, I got a small quarterly interest check from 1st State Bank. Mr. Stratford could have never known how much that check enhanced my life. For one thing I could afford to get special dog food for my elder Oliver until he died. When I got that check I'd always said, "Thank you, Uncle Dick."
Sympathy to all who loved and appreciated him.

Elizabeth Champion - January 18, 2016 at 06:24 PM

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“ Bobbi Livingston purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Mr. W. R. (Dick) Stratford.



Bobbi Livingston - January 18, 2016 at 12:50 PM