



Billy Lee Pitts

August 5, 1967 - November 4, 2011

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8/5/1967-11/4/2011

Surrounded by his family, Mr. Billy Lee Pitts, 44, of Newnan went home to be with the Lord on Friday morning November 4, 2011 after his strong battle with cancer. He was born August 5, 1967 at Newnan Hospital and was the son of Mary Bishop & Lamar Nelms.

Billy was an avid NASCAR fan who never missed watching a race. His all time favorite driver was Dale Earnhardt, Sr. Billy was loved by many family members, friends, and co-workers.

The funeral is Monday, November 7, 2011 at 2:00 PM, graveside at Forest Lawn Memorial Park with Pastor Randy Gravitt officiating. The visitation is Sunday evening between 6:00-8:00 at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan, GA. Flowers are welcome or memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society, 301 Kelly Dr. Suite 3, Peachtree City, GA 30269.

Pallbearers include: Tommy Pitts, Rusty Hart, Danny Smith, Terry Brown, Jody Thrower, & Eddie Burnette.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Mr. Pitts is survived by his wife Cathy Pitts; siblings, Tommy Pitts & wife Becky, Jajuanna O'Hara & husband Tim, Cassie Bishop & fiancé Eric Rainwater; father-in-law Mr. Hudon Smith; sisters-in-law Carol Riggs, Reba Mitchell, Debbie Chappell; and numerous nieces & nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
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Service

NOV 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Graveside Forest Lawn Memorial Park
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Tribute Wall

JS

“ When I first learned of Billy’s passing years ago I was too grief stricken to write on here and articulate how much I cared about him as such a great friend and person even though I moved and we lost touch except occasionally. Billy left his impression he made on me of happy times and his contagious laugh, his big heart of being both a good man and friend. I still think of him to this day as I’m sure the loved ones he left behind do. So my prayers are with you and for you knowing he was loved by many and he will live on in our hearts forever never forgotten. My sincerest condolences. Purple Rain Billy.



Jennifer Sabine - December 03, 2021 at 12:11 AM

JW

“ Billy was a great man who took care of his family. He will be missed dearly. Im sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you. May God bless you and bring you through this difficult time. Jerry Whisenhunt Lisa Higgins

Jerry Whisenhunt - November 09, 2011 at 01:50 PM

JM

“ I was so saddened to hear of Billy's passing. We attended school together, starting with elementary. He was such a kind person. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Jennifer Jackson Masdon

Jennifer Masdon - November 09, 2011 at 01:18 PM

NB

“ Tommy, I'm sorry to hear of your lost. My God be with you and your family.

Nicole Brown - November 09, 2011 at 11:17 AM

BW

“ Cathy, Beth and I are so sorry to hear about Billy's passing. You and Billy were such a wonderful couple. We enjoyed seeing you, and both of you always had smiles on your faces. If we can do anything for you, let us know. Our thoughts, prayers, and love are with you and the other family members.

Beth & Jimmy Walker - November 07, 2011 at 08:16 PM

DB

“ Cathy....I am so very sorry for your loss. I wish I could have been there for you but unfortunately we were going through the same thing in our family with Rodd's brother (my brother-in-law)passing away from colon cancer at age 50. I know the coming weeks will be hard but try to understand he is in a better place and no longer suffering. Allow your love and the life you shared together to help you through. Please know I am here to help in any way I can. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I'm sending you a big hug!!

Donna Williford Burger - November 07, 2011 at 06:53 PM

MD

“ Billy was fun to be around and I was fortunate to get to work with him at Sells properties. May the Lord bless him and keep him in his kingdom. Prayers to his family and wife.

Maggie Dunn - November 07, 2011 at 12:30 PM

KS

“ From the Smith family , Billy was a blessing have in your life . He will be missed dearly . We pray that his mind body and soul is peacefully at rest . We all hope the best for his family , May god be with you all . Love the Smith family, Joseph Janine Brandon & Kayla

Kayla Smith - November 07, 2011 at 12:13 PM

JW

“Cathy, In this hour of your very personal bereavement, please accept our deepest condolences at Billie's passing. Words cannot fill the void that has been created by the end of Billie's difficult journey; however, always take solace in knowing there are many that stand by to provide support to you and Billie's family whenever and for whatever challenges may be presented during this very difficult time. Please take comfort in knowing you are in our thoughts and prayers. Jared and Sue Williams

Jared and Sue Williams - November 07, 2011 at 07:14 AM

RH

“I went to school with Billy and our paths crossed regularly. He was a great guy and I'll miss seeing him. It's always a shock to lose someone; so young. My thoughts are with his family in this difficult time.

Robbie Hinely - November 06, 2011 at 10:03 PM

TS

“Mary I am sorry for the your lost of your son. My prayers are with you and your family

Tamara Strong - November 06, 2011 at 05:47 PM

LB

“My heart goes out to all of you. I went to school with Billy and he was a very sweet friend of my. I had not heard about him having cancer. My husband died 6 weeks after he discovered he had pancreatic cancer almost 7 years ago. Life is too short!!! I will keep you in my prayers. Sincerely, Leah

Leah (Gillian) Brady - November 06, 2011 at 12:44 PM

BW

“ Cathie, I was so sorry to hear about Billy's death. I know that you were there with him every step throughout his illness. I know that he appreciated having you there for strength and support. I admire the way that you kept a strong spirit and great attitude. It shows your true love for him. My heart and thoughts are with you. Brad

Brad West - November 06, 2011 at 10:53 AM

MA

“ I did not know Billy personally but I heard of his fight with cancer from a friend that knew him and spoke highly of him and his fight with cancer. I loss a love one to cancer and I feel for his family at this time of loss. I hope knowing that one day we will all be together again will bring some peace to your family. God bless yall!

Michael W. Aldredge - November 06, 2011 at 09:57 AM

KC

“ Cathy, You and Billy's family are in our prayers. God will give you the peace and comfort you need as you journey through the next weeks and months. We know that God entrusts people to us, and God entrusted Billy to you. He fought the good fight, and now, he can rest. Love you, Kim and Karen Craft

Kim and Karen Craft - November 06, 2011 at 09:47 AM

BN

“ Cathy,Mary and family, We are so sorry for the lose of a husband,a son and a brother. Words can not say what our hearts feel. We can only offer our prayers and love but please find comfort knowing that he is with the most woderful man of all times our Father. Our hearts are with you all.

Brenda & Tim Nellis - November 05, 2011 at 10:16 PM

CG

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this difficult time. May you find peace and comfort knowing that Billy is now in the presence of the Lord and in the knowledge that one day you will be reunited with him. Until that time your memories and love for him will always be in your heart. God Bless and Be with you all. All our Love Cathy & David

Cathy & David Godbee - November 05, 2011 at 09:16 PM

TB

“ Billy was a very special person and will be missed by all. Although he is not with us in body, Billy will always be with us in spirit. May the Lord watch over all of his family and friends at this time of healing. RIP Billy Love ya buddy

Terry and Gretchen Brown - November 05, 2011 at 08:21 PM

CT

“ Mary Ellen, Lamar, Tommy, JJ and families: Our heartfelt condolences to all of you at this sad and difficult time. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. All our sympathies are with you on the loss of Billy. All our love to you and regards and best wishes to all the family. Please don't hesitate to let us know if we can help in any way. May God be with you! Love, Travis, Charlotte and Brian

Charlotte Teal - November 05, 2011 at 05:43 PM

CB

“ You are all in our thoughts and Prayers...Billy was a GREAT friend and means so very much to us...What a Blessing he was to know and what Blessings he had in his life. Christ's Peace to each and everyone of you. Carrie & Eddie

Carrie and Eddie Burnette - November 05, 2011 at 05:34 PM