



Clemit Roy Harris

September 27, 1929 - October 20, 2009

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Clemit R. Harris

Clemit R. Harris, 80, died Tuesday, October 20, 2009 at his home on Welcome-Arnco Road. He was born September 27, 1929 in Carroll County, GA to the late Lee Roy Harris & Corena Rogers Harris. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sisters, Hazel Jones and Christine Calhoun Early.

Mr. Harris was a mainstay in the Arnco community and was a strong shoulder and helping hand for many. He opened his store, Harris Grocery, in Arnco in the 1950's and operated it daily until his retirement in 2005.

The funeral is Thursday, October 22, 2009 at 3:00 pm in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home with Rev. Malcolm Moore officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery. The visitation is Wednesday evening at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan, GA between 6:00 – 8:00. Flowers are welcome or memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 1925 Century Blvd NE, Suite 10, Atlanta, GA 30345 or to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, 3525 Piedmont RD, NE Building 6, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30305.

Condolences may be sent to the family online at www.mckoon.com

Clemit is survived by his wife, Peggy Turner Harris of Newnan; daughters,

Brenda (Don) Pratt of Newnan, Sharon (Luke) Thompson of Newnan;
grandchildren, Julie Pratt, Jordan Pratt, Robert Pratt, Nicole (Cory) Peterson,
Derek (Amanda) Thompson, Mallory Thompson; great-grandchildren, Aubree
Peterson and Syllas Thompson.

McKoon Funeral Home (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **21.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

OCT **22.** 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JM

“ Dear Brenda and family, You were blessed with a great daddy who was loved and admired by many in the community for his kindness and generosity. It is a time for grieving but rejoicing as well. Best wishes, The Maxwells

J.R. Maxwell - October 23, 2009 at 07:10 AM

RM

“ To all the Harris family-We were saddened today to hear of Clemit's death. We would have been there to see you had we known. Clemit and "the store" were such a big part of our childhood and our lives. Love to you all.

Randy and Donna Moore - October 22, 2009 at 04:21 PM

VW

“ Sharon and family: Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you grieve your dad's passing but rejoice that you will see him again. That promise has kept me going many a day. Victoria Webster

Victoria Webster - October 21, 2009 at 05:33 PM

RS

“ We were so sad to hear of Mr. Harris, but oh so glad that he is rejoicing with the Lord even as we speak. He has been shed of that fleshly body that had trapped his spirit and his mind for so long. Take comfort in knowing that he knows exactly who he is and where he is right now. And I can't wait to see his smiling face again. He was always so kind and always had a smile for you when you walked into his store. When we first moved right next door, our son got a big kick out of being able to go to the store and sign his name on that ticket. Mr. Harris always treated him like a little grown-up. Mrs. Peggy, you are such an inspiration to all women everywhere. Your strength and love for Clemit as you cared for him day after day is a great testimony to all that know you. Your rewards in heaven will truly be great!!!! Our prayers go out to your entire family. ><>

Randy & Roxanne Spratlin - October 21, 2009 at 02:25 PM

JP

“ My heartfelt sympathies and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. Mr. Harris was a unique and special individual. His prescence will be missed. May the love of family and friends give you the support you need at this time. Jacki Parker

Jacki Parker - October 21, 2009 at 12:35 PM

MG

“ Sharon, I am in your Sunday School class at Sargent - sorry to learn of your Dad's passing. You and your family are in my prayers.

Marcia Gray - October 21, 2009 at 11:39 AM

JI

“ We are sorry for your lose. He will be missed. You are in our prayers John,Gail, Joanie,and Brad Irvin Katie , Jimmy, Alexis and Abbey Costlow

Joanie Irvin - October 20, 2009 at 07:33 PM

SS

“ Dear Mrs. Peggy, Sharon, Nicole, Derek, Mallory and Family, I am so sorry to hear about Mr. Clemit's death; but happy he is not suffering anymore. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. I have missed Mr. Clemit ever since he closed the store. He was such a help too so many people and always had a helping hand for those that came into his store. May God comfort you and give you strength now and in the days ahead. If I can ever be of help in anyway, please call me. Love You, Syble

Syble Storey - October 20, 2009 at 04:35 PM