



## Jesse Gerald Atcheson

February 9, 1940 - March 6, 2010

Mr. Jesse Gerald Atcheson, age 70, of Dallas, Georgia passed away on March 6th, 2010 in Cobb Wellstar Hospital.

Gerald was born on February 9, 1940 in Atlanta, GA, the son of Willard Jesse Atcheson and Lilliebelle Atcheson. Gerald was a very unique individual.

Always the free spirit, he lived life to the fullest. Included in his many pastimes he enjoyed building cars from the ground up, and in the 70's could often be found scooting around Doraville and Chamblee hanging out with race car enthusiasts and drivers Jimmy Tanner, Steve Bagwell, Lamar Waldrin and others. They were a close knit bunch who loved swapping ideas on racing. Gerald loved debating and could argue his opinions for hours. Chris King, his nephew, would accompany him on these trips, and others to find car parts in their quest to build fast hot rods. He especially loved '64 Fords like the Falcon, Fairlane, and Mustangs.

Gerald loved to go camping and traveling with his Jeannine. They especially loved to go to North Carolina and Florida.

He was an artist in his own right who most recently expressed himself by designing and creating jewelry. He was a very kind hearted dog lover who never seemed to turn a stray away, and took care of them like they were his children. Gerald loved his grandson Ryan dearly, and spent many hours with him creating and building things such as a beautiful brick driveway, woven with designs that his wife will always enjoy.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 42 years, Jeannine Merrill Atcheson, his

mother Lilliebelle Atcheson, his daughters Janet Cartland-Cook (Gregory E. Cook), and Bonnie Darlene Atcheson, grandchildren, Tara Anne Parker, Abby Rachel Yanez, and Jordan Yanez.; sister Jeannie King, and many nieces and nephews.

He is predeceased by his father Willard Atcheson, his sisters Linda Basford, Brenda Lange, and his grandson Ryan Walton Parker Maddox.

Services will be held at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors in Roswell, GA on Wednesday, March 10th at 3:00 PM, with Rev. Steven Alred and Rev. Greg Potts to officiate. Interment will be held immediately after at Roswell Cemetery.

# Previous Events

## Service

MAR 10. 3:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jesse Gerald Atcheson*

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“ *Janet,  
No one knows how hard it is to loose a parent to the great beyond  
until it happens. My heart goes out to you...##imported-  
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“ *Jeannine, you were a devoted and loving wife for many years.  
Gerald was blessed to have had you as his friend and helpmate. My  
thoughts are with you, and the family at this time. Ron  
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“ *Dear Janet: My thoughts are with you in thei difficult time. Always  
too soon to lose a parent. Knowing their strength is with you from  
now on. My sincerest condolences. Deirdre Conley and the Boisset  
team.##imported-begin##Deirdre Conley##imported-end##*

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“ Jeannine, I pray that God will be with you in this time of sorrow. Gerald was extremely lucky to have you to take care of him for so many years. You are an Angel.##imported-begin##hopie Eubanks##imported-end##

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“ May God rest Gerald's soul and bring comfort and blessings to Jeannine, his daughters Janet and Bonnie and the rest of the family.##imported-begin##Sandra & Greg Aden##imported-end##

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