



Mr. Jimmy Burdett

January 23, 1924 - August 27, 2018

Burdett, L.H. "Jimmy"

Jimmy Burdett, age 94, was born in Sandy Springs, Georgia in 1924 to Frank and Nannie Lou Burdett. A native son of the community of Sandy Springs, he died August 27 after a brief illness.

Jimmy was a graduate of North Fulton High School and the University of Georgia. He was an Army veteran of WWII and Korea. In WWII, he served in England, France, Belgium, Germany and Holland.

He joined Encyclopaedia Britannica Educational Corporation after leaving the family business at Burdett's Grocery on Roswell Road in Sandy Springs. Jimmy retired as Vice President after a 30-year career.

Jimmy continued the tradition started by his family two generations before by being instrumental in the continuing growth of Sandy Springs First United Methodist Church. He served on many committees and provided a powerful voice in church affairs throughout his life. He joined the Alpharetta First UMC after returning to the area from Chicago. His faith was always a driving force in his actions throughout his life.

Jimmy treasured family above all and is survived by his loving wife of 68

years, Vangie Burdett. He leaves behind children Bonnie Burdett Weekley (husband, Bruce Weekley) and Beth Burdett Allen (husband, Dee Allen); grandchildren Brian Weekley (wife, Kara Weekley), Jimmy Weekley (wife, Melanie Weekley), Colleen Allen, Laura Allen Turner (husband, Nick Turner). He is also survived by six great-grandchildren and a sister, Donna Burdett Beckwith.

A visitation will be held at Northside Chapel, 12050 Crabapple Road, Roswell on Tuesday, September 4th from 4:30 to 7:00 pm. Burial and graveside service will be at the Georgia National Cemetery on Wednesday, September 5th at 2:30.

Memorial donations may be made to the United Methodist Children's Home, 1967 Lakeside Parkway #400, Tucker, GA 30084 or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, www.stjude.org.

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Dr
Canton, GA 30114
(770) 479-9300

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 4. 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Graveside Service

SEP 5. 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Jimmy Burdett*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Sentimental Dreams was purchased for the family of Mr. Jimmy Burdett.*



September 04, 2018 at 08:15 AM



“ *SW Real Estate purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Jimmy Burdett.*



SW Real Estate - August 31, 2018 at 01:03 PM



“ *I enjoyed talking investments and world events with jimmy. He was extremely knowledgeable and a fair, kind hearted soul. He enjoyed having a contrarian opinion. Jimmy will be missed.*

Philip Beatty - August 29, 2018 at 02:25 PM