



Jasper Callaway Stephens

February 5, 1933 - February 14, 2023

Jasper Callaway "J.C." Stephens, age 90, of Benton, TN went home to be with his Lord on Tuesday morning February 14, 2023. J.C. was born to Clyde Franklin and Marchie Tallent Stephens on February 5, 1933 in Benton, TN. He was a Veteran of the United States Army serving 1953 until 1955. He was retired from Bowater Papermill in 1992 after 38 years of service. J.C. was a member of Old Ocoee Baptist Church and was saved and baptized in Benton Creek and a 50 plus year Member of Ocoee Masonic Lodge F&AM No. 212. He and his wife were avid Tennessee Volunteer fans, attending Lady Vols Basketball and Football games and watching them on TV when they could not attend.

Preceded in death by his wife Carolyn Mauldin Stephens, his parents Clyde and Marchie Stephens, great-grandson Kyler Hood; siblings Willie Moats, C.F. "Steve" Stephens, Jr., Dorothy Brown, Helen Davis, Alberta Williams, Elizabeth Carr, Donald Stephens, Jerry Stephens, and Margaret Stone.

Surviving include his children Dennis (Gail) Stephens of Ocoee, TN, Cindy (Lonnie) Rogers of Trenton, GA, Anne (Greg) Stinnett of Dalton, GA, and Greg Wilson of Benton, TN; grandchildren Kevin (Summer) Stephens; Kara Stephens, Justin Stephens, Lindsay (Steven) Ryan, Laura (Geoff) Oliver, Jessica (Moises) Cardenas, Jade Wilson, Sarah Stinnett and Sawyer Stinnett; great-grandchildren Tori and Keely Stephens, Katelyn Wampler, Carter and Charlie Ryan, Brendan Oliver, Josue and Matias Cardenas, great-great-grandchildren Julia Stephens and Kaden Wampler, one sister Charlotte Hall, also several nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life graveside services will be held 2 PM Monday February 20, 2023 at Benton Memorial Gardens.

His family will receive friends from 1PM until service time Monday at Higgins Funeral Home, Benton, TN

Expressions of sympathy may be shared at ryanfuneralhome.net.

Arrangements by Ryan Funeral Home, Trenton, GA.

Cemetery Details

Benton Memorial Gardens

217 Patty Rd.
Benton, TN 37307

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Higgins Funeral Home
6439 US 411
Benton, TN 37307

A Celebration of Life

FEB 20. 2:00 PM (ET)

Benton Memorial Gardens
217 Patty Rd.
Benton, 37307 (TN)

Tribute Wall



“ *Jasper Callaway Stephens*

October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *123 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Ryan Funeral Home - February 20, 2023 at 10:16 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jasper Callaway Stephens.*



February 17, 2023 at 09:51 PM

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“ *Met J.C. a few years back as I was a nurse to his wife Caroline and then continued working for J.C. after Caroline passed. We became good friends and share many stories of the past together. He, Caroline, and I listened every week to the Gaither group singing as Caroline and I sang along as J.C. listened to us. We spent many hours holding hands with Caroline crying, praying, singing, and sometimes laughing together. I am privileged to have been able to share time with this wonderful family. J.C. shared with me the way his family taught him about the Lord and how they were taught to reverence and honor our Lord and Saviour. Blessings to all the family I pray in Jesus' name.*

Marie Crook - February 17, 2023 at 09:58 AM

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“ *The Greens: Danny, April, Josephine purchased the Arrive in S
tyle for the family of Jasper Callaway Stephens.*



The Greens: Danny, April, Josephine - February 16, 2023 at 11:24 AM