



Gordon Rhea Lineberry

January 2, 1936 - October 25, 2014

Smoke Rise, AL — Gordon Rhea Lineberry died unexpectedly at his home on Saturday, October 25, 2014.

He was born on January 2, 1936 in Old Hickory, TN. He was preceded in death by his parents Worth Alexander Lineberry and Margaret Elizabeth Tillman Lineberry and two sisters and one brother.

Mr. Lineberry is survived by his wife of 51 years, Joan Casey Lineberry, three sons: Curtis Worth Lineberry (Paula) Sharpsburg, GA, Thomas Casey Lineberry (Laura) of Tuscaloosa, AL and Bobby Rhea Lineberry (Jennifer) of McDonough, GA. He also leaves behind five grandchildren, Andrew Foster Madison, Bryan Christopher Lineberry, Alyssa Rhea Lineberry, Justin Wyatt Lineberry and Kaleigh Rhea Lineberry. He is also survived by three sisters, Betty Smith of Shepherdsville, KY, Peggy Dillon and Judy Lineberry both of Tallahassee, FL and one brother, Walter (Corky) Lineberry (Janet) of San Antonio, TX. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Gordon attended the University of Tennessee and proudly pulled for his Volunteers. He sent three sons to the University of Alabama and would cheer for UA as long as they were not playing Tennessee.

He served in the United States Army following the Korean Conflict.

He was the President of the Junior Achievement of Greater Birmingham. He worked to prepare young people for the workplace as he served in Augusta, GA, Greensboro, NC, Jacksonville, FL and finally in Birmingham, AL. He retired after 31 years of service, as he was ready to go fishing fulltime!

He and his wife were members of the Hayden Lions Club.

Services will be held at 1 pm Wednesday, October 29, with visitation starting at 12 pm at The New Gardendale Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to Junior Achievement Pioneers, One Education Way, CO 80906, in memory of Gordon R. Lineberry.

Tribute Wall

DP

“ *Joan, I am so sorry for your sudden loss. I know the pain you are experiencing and my thoughts and prayers are with you. Prayers that you and your family have peace. May God keep his arms around you always. Much love, Denise Plaia*



Denise Plaia - November 03, 2014 at 11:18 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gordon Rhea Lineberry.*



October 29, 2014 at 08:30 AM

DT

“ *Casey, I remember well how fond you were of your Dad when I knew you as a student at Hayden. You seemed to share his looks and his quick wit. I am so very sorry for your sudden loss. He will always be as near as a thought or memory.*

Debra Kay Talley - October 29, 2014 at 12:30 AM

DW

“ *I'm so very sorry for your loss. Ya'll will be in my thoughts and prayers during the next few days and weeks.*

Debby Windham - October 28, 2014 at 05:00 PM

BS

“Gordy was always friendly, never met a stranger, went door to door through the neighborhood buck naked visiting when he was at least two years old.

Betty Smith - October 28, 2014 at 02:09 PM

SP

“Stephanie Parker lit a candle in memory of Gordon Rhea Lineberry

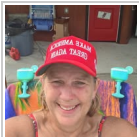


Stephanie Parker - October 28, 2014 at 09:36 AM

MB

“Our prayers and thoughts are with you Joan, Curtis, Casey & Bobby and all the family. Such a sad time but lots of good memories. Never forget when we visted you all. We would be gone all day and come home and Gordon would be grilling something. Always know we love you and your family like our own. Sorry we are out of town.
Love you,
Max & Elizabeth

max & elizabeth banks - October 27, 2014 at 07:31 PM



“Josie Morgan lit a candle in memory of Gordon Rhea Lineberry



Josie Morgan - October 27, 2014 at 06:22 PM



Thank you Josie!! My Cousins that love my Cousins!!

Pam Pruett - October 27, 2014 at 06:56 PM



*“ We are so sorry for your loss. Praying that God will give you peace in the days ahead.
Love, Eva and Sig Berling*

Eva Berling - October 27, 2014 at 01:38 PM



“ Joan Casey Lineberry was added to the Family Tree.

Pam Pruett - October 27, 2014 at 01:21 PM



“ The Voskerichian Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gordon Rhea Lineberry.



The Voskerichian Family - October 27, 2014 at 12:45 PM



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Pam Pruett - October 27, 2014 at 12:02 PM

HM

one on left looks like the Gordie i knew in old hickory

harold maddux - February 17, 2025 at 02:28 PM

TF

“ *"We'll g do somethin, even if it's wrong "*

tim bowen, biggest fan - October 27, 2014 at 11:55 AM

PL

Now that's the truth!

Paula Lineberry - October 28, 2014 at 06:30 PM

CD

To all the Lineberrys~ We are so sorry for your loss. We will miss Gordon at our family gatherings. We will be praying for all of you during your time in grief. May Gordon rest in eternal peace and our Lord keep you all in his arms.

Bob and Cindy Daffin

Cindy Daffin - November 04, 2014 at 09:24 AM