



## Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.

September 22, 1949 - February 16, 2015

Funeral services for John Franklin "Johnny" Auten, Jr., 65, who died peacefully on Monday, February 16, 2015, will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday, February 19, 2015 at First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Dan Sansbury will officiate with burial to follow in Magnolia Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 4 until 6 pm on Wednesday, February 18, 2015 in the Memorial Fellowship Hall of First Presbyterian Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Hartsville Fire Department in memory of Lt. John F. "Johnny" Auten, Jr., 111 South Seventh Street, Hartsville, SC 29550. Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family.

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.  
~John 15:13

Born in Hartsville, SC, he was the son of the late John and Eleanor Rhodes Auten, Sr. John was a Sr. Technical Associate at Sonoco Products Company where he worked for over 40 years. He traveled around the world for Sonoco and made many friends in the process. While working a full time job, he also served as a volunteer fireman for 33 years where he became Lieutenant. He loved to tell everyone, "The fire department is like a fraternity. We are all brothers and it is the best brotherhood a guy can have."

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. ~John 3:16

How do you describe Johnny Auten? No one person can describe him. He was a husband, father, Pa, brother, friend, and co-worker. Full of life every time you saw him and his laugh was heard for miles. Perfectionist, pusher, and protector, fun loving, and a fighter would be just a few words to describe him. Friends from all over the world saw the many wonderful qualities that made him who he was. He was a hard worker at Sonoco and a mentor at the fire department. He was truly a great man, but most of all he was the best husband, father, Pa, and brother we could have ever asked for.

We would like to thank you all for the love and support that has been shown to our family. He is now smiling and watching over us from the beautiful kingdom above telling us to stay #AutenStrong as he was in his life!

Surviving are his wife, Sandy Auten; three daughters, Yvonne (Russ) Cranford, LaDonna (Jason) Rhoad, and Barbie (Tripp) Lyles all of Hartsville, SC; nine grandchildren, Marli Cranford, Mac Cranford, Harleigh Lyles, Jack Rhoad, Clare Rhoad, Patrick Rhoad, Isabella Lyles, Triston Cranford, and Thomas Rhoad; one sister, Herschell (Dwayne) Windham of St. George, SC; mother-in-law, Yvonne Barber of Castle Hayne, NC; brothers and sisters-in-law and many nieces and nephews.

# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Cemetery

140 South Cedar Lane  
Hartsville, SC 29550  
(843) 383-3004

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian narthex  
213 W. Home Ave.  
Hartsville, SC 29550

## Service

FEB 19. 3:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church  
213 West Home Avenue  
Hartsville, SC

# Tribute Wall

GJ

“ Geraldine Jordan lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Geraldine Jordan** - February 22, 2015 at 01:42 AM

KS

“ Sandy and girls-I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Kathy Stewart

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**Kathy Stewart** - February 19, 2015 at 07:21 PM

LH

“ Sandy and girls. Calvin and I are praying for you that Gid will wrap his arms around you and give you strength and peace.



*Linda and Calvin*

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**linda hill** - February 19, 2015 at 03:36 PM

LJ

“ Dear All,  
Just want you to know, I have had all of you in my thoughts and prayers during the last few weeks. I know your journey has been difficult and your hearts are broken. My hope is that you all have felt the love from everyone that has kept you in their prayers. Memories are a gift from God, cherish them, they will sustain you. Continued prayers for you all. You are "Auten Strong".  
Luan Jeffords

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**Luan Jeffords** - February 19, 2015 at 02:19 PM

RA

“ *Robin And George Atkins lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Robinson and George Atkins - February 19, 2015 at 01:33 PM

HF

“ *Hope Frye lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Hope Frye - February 19, 2015 at 12:37 PM



“ *Debbie Lynch lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Debbie Lynch - February 19, 2015 at 12:28 PM

VJ

“ *Von Johnson lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Von Johnson - February 19, 2015 at 11:08 AM

DM

“ *Dixie McFarland lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Dixie McFarland** - February 19, 2015 at 09:45 AM

DM

“ *I was very saddened to hear of Johnny's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with each of you during this difficult time. May God wrap you all in His loving arms and comfort you with His love and grace.*

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**Dixie McFarland** - February 19, 2015 at 09:45 AM

DW

“ *Sandy, girls and family....we are so sorry for your loss and will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers!! Hold on to your sweet memories and may the Lord comfort you and give you peace!!*  
*Scott and Debbie Weaver*

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**Debbie Weaver** - February 19, 2015 at 07:03 AM

JC

“ *Jeri A. Cox lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Jeri A. Cox** - February 19, 2015 at 04:37 AM

RK

“ Rodney And Kathy lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Rodney and Kathy - February 18, 2015 at 11:28 PM

GO

“ Grady O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Grady O'Neal - February 18, 2015 at 11:21 PM

HW

“ Heather And Justin Walters sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Heather and Justin Walters - February 18, 2015 at 07:57 PM

JS

“ Jerry Sumner lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Jerry Sumner - February 18, 2015 at 07:35 PM

SC

“ Sharon Catoe lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



sharon catoe - February 18, 2015 at 03:30 PM

KM

“ Kathy And Brian Mçfarland sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Kathy and Brian mçfarland - February 18, 2015 at 03:22 PM

CR

“ Chris And Debbie Ridenhour lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Chris and Debbie Ridenhour - February 18, 2015 at 02:57 PM

TB

“ Timmy & Tracy Beasley lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Timmy & Tracy Beasley - February 18, 2015 at 02:43 PM

JG

“ On behalf of Embrace Hospice and the Howard Family, my heart goes out to you all! Johnny was indeed a fine person and will be greatly missed.

*You all are in my prayers.*

*John Griggs*

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**John Griggs** - February 18, 2015 at 01:41 PM

SG

“ Sherry Griggs sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Sherry Griggs** - February 18, 2015 at 01:27 PM

KW

“ KRYSTAL GIBSON WEEKLEY sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**KRYSTAL GIBSON WEEKLEY** - February 18, 2015 at 01:26 PM

AM

“ Ashley Morris lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Ashley Morris** - February 18, 2015 at 01:19 PM

ND

“ *Nikki McElveen Daniels lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Nikki McElveen Daniels - February 18, 2015 at 12:30 PM

EB

“ *Eric & Jo Lynn Bradshaw sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Eric & Jo Lynn Bradshaw - February 18, 2015 at 11:21 AM



“ *Deborah Gandy lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Deborah Gandy - February 18, 2015 at 10:29 AM

RW

“ *Robert Watkins sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



Robert Watkins - February 18, 2015 at 10:19 AM

DC

“ *DeeDee Chisholm lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**DeeDee Chisholm** - February 18, 2015 at 09:52 AM

DC

*Barbie and family...I am so sorry, I pray that God gives you peace and comfort during this time, and forever!*

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**DeeDee Chisholm** - February 18, 2015 at 09:54 AM

DG

*Sandy and girls, I'm so sorry for your loss. I hope that you can find comfort in the many memories of a great husband and father that Johnny was... His loss has Truly touched this community. That is a tribute in it's self.*

*Debbie Northcutt Galloway*

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**Debra N galloway** - February 18, 2015 at 11:57 AM

LH

“ *Lisa C Howle lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Lisa C Howle** - February 18, 2015 at 09:36 AM

MB

“ *Mary Braswell lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Mary Braswell** - February 18, 2015 at 08:27 AM

MM

“ *Michelle Moore sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Michelle Moore** - February 18, 2015 at 08:11 AM

DE

“ *Sandy and family,*

*We are so sorry and pray that you'll feel the Lord's constant love and comfort. We're standing with you- on our knees.*

*Debbie and Steve Szczerbiak*

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**DebbieSzc** - February 18, 2015 at 07:49 AM

MT

“ *Mike And Denise Tyner lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Mike and Denise Tyner** - February 18, 2015 at 07:37 AM

CM

“ *Charlene Malloy sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**charlene malloy** - February 18, 2015 at 07:34 AM

CM

“ *My prayers are with you all during this difficult time!!*

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**charlene malloy** - February 18, 2015 at 07:33 AM



“ *Dianne James sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Dianne James** - February 18, 2015 at 07:32 AM

MT

*To Sandy and the girls, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers are with you all. I know that god will see you through.*

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**Mary Toney** - February 20, 2015 at 01:41 PM

DS

“ *Donna D. Sansbury lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Donna D. Sansbury** - February 18, 2015 at 06:48 AM

VP

“ Von & Linda Parker lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Von & Linda Parker - February 18, 2015 at 06:46 AM

MW

“ Michael Webb lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Michael Webb - February 18, 2015 at 03:27 AM

MW

My lieutenant and my friend. He will leave a huge void in the fire dept. Big shoes to have to fill.

Michael Webb - February 18, 2015 at 03:32 AM



“ Crystal Minnehan sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Crystal Minnehan - February 17, 2015 at 09:38 PM

CW

“ *Carl And Susan Watkins lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Carl and Susan watkins** - February 17, 2015 at 08:34 PM

FE

“ *Fred Estep lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Fred Estep** - February 17, 2015 at 08:31 PM

PJ

“ *Sandy, Von, LaDonna, and Barbie, my heart breaks for all of you. All of you will be in my thoughts and prayers in the coming days. Keep the good memories alive. Love, Pat James*

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**Pat James** - February 17, 2015 at 08:27 PM

SG

“ *Sandy And Buster Gaskins lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Sandy and Buster Gaskins** - February 17, 2015 at 08:12 PM

KG

“ *Kent And Linda Watson Gainey lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Kent and Linda Watson Gainey** - February 17, 2015 at 07:25 PM

LL

“ *Sandy and family you are all in my prayers. I worked with Johnny everyday at Sonoco for the past 25 years. What a wonderful man! He loved his family more than anything. He inspired me in so many ways. I can truly say he was one of my best friends. He will be missed here at Sonoco and throughout this community. My heart is breaking...Heaven has gained a good man.*

*Lee Lane*

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**Lee Lane** - February 17, 2015 at 07:13 PM

KW

“ *To Johnnys Family, Sorry for your loss. Many years ago I worked in the same department as Johnny. He was a kind peson to all, always smiling.*



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**Kathy Walters** - February 17, 2015 at 06:58 PM

MW

“ Mike And Debbie Winburn lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Mike and Debbie Winburn** - February 17, 2015 at 06:55 PM

JG

“ Sandy and girls .... Sending our most sincere sympathy to you all. Love and prayers for the days ahead.

*Johnny & Susie Goode*

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**johnny Goode** - February 17, 2015 at 06:42 PM

JM

“ Johnny And April McKenzie lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Johnny and April McKenzie** - February 17, 2015 at 06:40 PM

RF

“ So sorry to hear of your dad's passing. You are all in our thoughts and prayers



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**Rod,Cathy&Kayleigh Felkel** - February 17, 2015 at 06:30 PM

CL

“ Charles Lee lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Charles Lee - February 17, 2015 at 06:24 PM

KH

“ Kenny And Linda Hyman lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Kenny and Linda Hyman - February 17, 2015 at 06:08 PM

KH

Sandy, we are thinking about you and all of the family. I have memories of Johnny that go wayyyyyyyyyy back...double dates back in high school and his Mom taking care of all of us. I know you will miss that sweet, sweet man...but wow at the love you two shared.

Kenny and Linda Hyman - February 17, 2015 at 06:10 PM

EK

“ Sandy , Von ,Ladonna ,and Barbie ,and family ,  
We are so sorry for your loss . Johnny was such a great person .  
We pray for you and your family and share in you loss . You are all  
in our hearts and prayers at this difficult time . Love to all of you .

Eddie and Connie Knotts

Eddie and Connie knotts - February 17, 2015 at 06:06 PM

DW

“ *Debbie Brown Wynne lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Debbie Brown Wynne** - February 17, 2015 at 05:48 PM

RM

“ *Ronnie And Tanya McDonald lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Ronnie and Tanya McDonald** - February 17, 2015 at 05:45 PM

BW

“ *Bess Moore Watkins lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Bess Moore Watkins** - February 17, 2015 at 05:45 PM

KE

“ *Kim Easterling lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Kim Easterling** - February 17, 2015 at 05:40 PM

TM

“ Toni Marra lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Toni Marra** - February 17, 2015 at 04:53 PM



“ Barbara Lee lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Barbara Lee** - February 17, 2015 at 04:50 PM

DW

“ Dee Welsh lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Dee Welsh** - February 17, 2015 at 04:38 PM

AG

“ Anita Gainey-Hicks lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Anita Gainey-Hicks** - February 17, 2015 at 04:29 PM

DC

“ Dawn Holloman Crawford lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Dawn Holloman Crawford - February 17, 2015 at 04:12 PM

MC

“ Sandy and family, Maxie and I have been praying for all of you through the tough days that Johnny has endured. Johnny was a good man and will be missed by so many.  
Sincerely,  
Gail & Maxie

Maxie Cantley - February 17, 2015 at 04:03 PM

MG

“ Mike Gainey lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Mike Gainey - February 17, 2015 at 03:51 PM

BG

“ Bonnie Gainey lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Bonnie Gainey - February 17, 2015 at 03:51 PM

RN

“ RICKY NETTLES lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**RICKY NETTLES** - February 17, 2015 at 03:34 PM

RN

“ MR.JOHN WAS A GREAT FRIEND AND FELLOW FIREFIGHTER I WIL MISS HIM HE WAS ALWAYS GOOD TO ME.HE WAS A GREAT MAN

RICKY NETTLES

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**RICKY NETTLES** - February 17, 2015 at 03:33 PM

AG

“ Ann Graham lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Ann Graham** - February 17, 2015 at 03:19 PM

EH

“ Erin & Garrit Hawk lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Erin & Garrit Hawk** - February 17, 2015 at 03:02 PM

EL

“ Sending prayers for your family. I knew Johnny in high school and he was always such a really nice, pleasant young man. I am so sorry for your loss and the tremendous loss to the people of Hartsville. May you find comfort in all the wonderful memories that you and your family shared.

*Elaine Flowers Hubbard*

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**elaine** - February 17, 2015 at 02:57 PM

WW

“ Harry & I send our sincere condolences to Sandy and all the family. I knew Johnny from working at Sonoco and Sandy from working with Harry at IPS. He was a true Southern gentleman who loved God and his family deeply and cared about his fellowman through his many acts of kindness. He will be missed by everyone who knew him.

*Harry & Wayne Wallace*

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**Wayne S. Wallace** - February 17, 2015 at 02:54 PM

JK

“ Jo Frieda Kelley lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Jo Frieda Kelley** - February 17, 2015 at 02:46 PM

JG

“ *Jean And William Gullede lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Jean and William Gullede** - February 17, 2015 at 02:46 PM

GB

“ *We send our deep sympathy to this family. God Bless You! Dear God, Please be with this family. In the Name of Jesus Christ, we Pray. Amen.*



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**Gerald Brock** - February 17, 2015 at 02:41 PM

GG

“ *Sandy, Girls, and Family, our Prayers are with you all. We all are so sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in your precious memories of sweet Johnny. God bless! The Gibson Family*

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**Gene and Teresa Gibson** - February 17, 2015 at 02:39 PM

SS

“ *Stephanie Smith lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Stephanie Smith** - February 17, 2015 at 01:32 PM

CH

“ Johnny was always so sweet and always had a hug to give with a smile. He was such a loving family man. That is unique in itself.

*Cindy and William Harrell*

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**Cindy and William Harrell** - February 17, 2015 at 01:18 PM

PS

“ Patricia Steen lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Patricia Steen** - February 17, 2015 at 01:10 PM

BB

“ Johnny helped me develop a cone that worked on an old Rieter spinning frame back in the 1980's and I always counted him as a friend. He was a great guy and I know he will be greatly missed. I am glad to have called him friend and I will pray for the family.

*Bob Bennett*

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**Bob Bennett** - February 17, 2015 at 01:01 PM

CH

“ You are all in our prayers. I worked with John in the Research Lab and visited customers together. He was a very dear friend and will be missed. Prayers for all of you.

*Carlton Hall*

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**Carlton Hall** - February 17, 2015 at 12:46 PM

JG

“ JEWEL WALTERS GIBSON lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



JEWEL WALTERS GIBSON - February 17, 2015 at 12:42 PM



“ Doris Griggs lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Doris Griggs - February 17, 2015 at 12:41 PM

EJ

“ Ethel Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Ethel Johnson - February 17, 2015 at 12:32 PM

EJ

Sandy & Family..So sorry for your loss, praying for all of you during this time..Coach Wally sends Patrick thoughts and prayers..Larry & Ethel Johnson & Family

Ethel Johnson - February 17, 2015 at 12:35 PM

CG

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family.* ”



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**Connee Gamble Grantham** - February 17, 2015 at 11:58 AM

SG

“ *Scott Gainey sent a virtual gift in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.* ”



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**Scott Gainey** - February 17, 2015 at 11:46 AM

SG

*I'm so sorry to hear of John's passing. John was my Lt., he taught me a lot in my 12 years with the Fire Dept. He was a leader, a teacher, and one that you know would be by your side no matter how tough the situation got, but most of all he was a friend. I know he will be missed by many. I pray that the Lord give the whole family comfort that only He can.*

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**Scott Gainey** - February 17, 2015 at 11:59 AM

LK

“ *Sandy and Family,  
I am so sorry to hear you lost Johnny. He was a great friend through the years. We didn't see each other that often, but when I did , he was the same as always :funny and friendly.I know he was a great husband, father and grandpa. He will surely be missed by all who knew him. I will be praying for all of you. I know heaven is a lil brighter now, with Johnny there.*

*Sincerely,  
Linda Knorr and June*

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**Linda Knorr** - February 17, 2015 at 11:40 AM

RH

“ *Ray Pansy Howell lit a candle in memory of  
Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Ray Pansy Howell** - February 17, 2015 at 11:33 AM

RH

“ *Ray Pansy Howell lit a candle in memory of  
Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Ray Pansy Howell** - February 17, 2015 at 11:31 AM

JS

“ Prayers & condolences to the families of John (Johnny) F. Auten. I've only known him as a caring person all the way back in/to school. An angel has gone to be with his Lord; R.I.P.



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**Jim Stewart** - February 17, 2015 at 11:21 AM

DS

“ We are very sorry for your loss, please know you will each be in our prayers and thoughts, God Bless Each of You



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**Danny and Phoebe Stokes** - February 17, 2015 at 11:21 AM

DB

“ Dick Brown lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



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**Dick Brown** - February 17, 2015 at 11:20 AM

DB

Johnny Autun was my friend. He and I worked on many projects at Sonoco. He was a GREAT MAN. My prayers are with his family in this difficult time.

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**Dick Brown** - February 17, 2015 at 11:22 AM

KF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Love,  
Stewart & Kelli Funderburk

Kelli Funderburk - February 17, 2015 at 11:19 AM

PS

“ Jerry and I cannot express the sadness we are feeling for your family. Johnny was an exceptional man, loved by many. May the wonderful memories that you have help sustain you during this most difficult time. Much love to you all.



Pam and Jerry Sansbury - February 17, 2015 at 11:09 AM

SH

“ So sorry for your loss! Our thoughts and prayers are with you all! God bless all of you!  
Sandra & Larry Huggins



Sandra & Larry Huggins - February 17, 2015 at 11:07 AM

DM

“ Doug & Terry McNeese lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.



Doug & Terry McNeese - February 17, 2015 at 10:50 AM

KB

“ *Very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Karen Henderson Baughman*



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**Karen Henderson Baughman** - February 17, 2015 at 10:49 AM

DH

“ *Delores Hickey lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Delores Hickey** - February 17, 2015 at 10:44 AM

FH

“ *Faith Howle lit a candle in memory of Lt. John Franklin Auten Jr.*



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**Faith Howle** - February 17, 2015 at 10:02 AM

GK

“ *Auten family...we are very sorry for your loss. May God wrap his loving arms around you and provide you comfort in the coming day. Our thoughts and payers are with you. Keith and Gail Kirven (Co-workers of LaDonna's)*

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**Gail Kirven** - February 17, 2015 at 09:58 AM