



Lavern Johnson

June 19, 1945 - April 14, 2010

Funeral services for Corbett Lavern Johnson, 64, will be held at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, April 17, 2010 at Tabernacle United Methodist Church. The Rev. Phillip Watry will officiate with burial in the church cemetery. Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family. The family will receive friends Friday, April 16, 2010 from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Tabernacle United Methodist Church, 2234 Tabernacle Church Road, McBee, SC 29101.

Mr. Johnson died Wednesday, April 14, 2010. Born in Darlington Co., SC, he was a son of the late Corbett and Sarah Caddell Johnson. He was a member of Tabernacle United Methodist Church and retired from Progress Energy after 35 years of service.

Surviving are his wife, Shirley Purvis Johnson of Hartsville, SC; daughter, Tammy Johnson Gainey of Hartsville, SC; sister and brother-in-law, Sheila and Charles Jackson of Bishopville, SC; brother-in-law, Billy Hubbard of Darlington, SC; grandchildren, Blake Gainey of Hartsville, SC, Brittany Gainey of Hartsville, SC. He was preceded in death by his sister, Alice Hubbard.

Tribute Wall



“ TAMMY AND FAMILY,
I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND
YOUR FAMILY IN THIS TIME OF NEED.##imported-
begin##TERESE RILEY##imported-end##

April 20, 2010 at 10:10 AM



“ We extend our deep sympathy to you and your family. God Bless
You!vpfu##imported-begin##The Brock family##imported-end##

April 19, 2010 at 08:45 AM



“ Lavern was a good friend . We worked together over the years and
every time I would see him and his wife, usually at restaurants, he
was still a pleasure to talk with. Please know that we are thinking of
the family during this time.
Harden and Deborah Gainey##imported-begin##Harden
Gainey##imported-end##

April 19, 2010 at 06:38 AM



“ TAMMY WAS SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR DAD.
YOU ARE IN MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.MAY
GOD KEEP HIS LOVING ARMS AROUND YOU AND YOUR
FAMILY.GOD BLESS.

LEO OUTLAW##imported-begin##MARION OUTLAW##imported-
end##

April 18, 2010 at 10:10 PM



“ shirley and family.lavern will be missed. he was a kind,loving,caring person. it will seem strange now because where lavern was shirley was there too, like two peas in a pod. we will be there for you anytime.our thoughts and prayers are with you. best friends shirley and raeford.##imported-begin##shirley and raeford kirven##imported-end##

April 17, 2010 at 09:09 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss, you all are in my prayers
Patty Gainey
(Charlie Gainey's Widow)##imported-begin##Patty
Gainey##imported-end##

April 17, 2010 at 06:33 PM



“ To the entire Johnson family, sorry for your loss ,you'll are in my thoughts and prayers. I grew up with the Johnson children. I'll sure miss seeing him at Ocean Lakes becuse every time we were there seems we rode on the golf cart to see you'll. May God bless the family.##imported-begin##Dora Miller & (The Gainey family) Pat, Barbara,Mack ,Wayne##imported-end##

April 17, 2010 at 01:27 AM



“ We are saddened by the news of Lavern's passing. May God's grace be with you.##imported-begin##Wiley Grantham and Family##imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 09:14 PM



“ Tammy, Blake, and Brittany...I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your father/grandfather. Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers. I pray that God will give you strength and peace in your upcoming days. Love, Louise###imported-begin###Louise Howle###imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 07:12 PM



“ Shirley, I am so sorry about your loss. If theres anything you need please call me. I will miss him. Love you all,

The Walters###imported-begin###Carroll and Dawn Walters###imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 03:50 PM



“ Dear Family, we are so sorry to hear about Lavern. We will be lifing you up in our prayers daily. If we can do anything at all for you please give us a call.###imported-begin###Evelyn and David Talbert###imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 02:15 PM



“ Shirley, Tammy, Blake and Brittany,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. He was such a friendly, kind, and caring person. He will be greatly missed by so many. We love you!###imported-begin###Ken, Robin and Cody Brigman###imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 02:03 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. We are very sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Heath and Tara Sealey##imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 01:14 PM



“ Shirley and Family, We were so saddened to hear about Mr. Lavern. He was such a sweet man and we all remember the good times when the boys played ball. He was always there for the games and was very supportive. We will certainly miss him and his gentle spirit. If we can be of any help please let us know. Will keep you in our prayers. God Bless you all,
Kathy, Dan, Daniel and Bradley Newsome##imported-begin##Dan, Kathy, Daniel and Bradley Newsome##imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 12:57 PM



“ Shirley, Tammy, Blake & Brittany, We are so very sorry to hear of Lavern's passing. There are so many great things that could be said of him. He always met us with a smile & concern on how everyone was doing. It has been awhile since we have seen you all but know that Lavern will be missed by many & remembered as a wonderful man. We pray that the Lord will comfort each of you in the days ahead. If you need us please call. David & Beth Lee & girls##imported-begin##Beth Lee##imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 11:51 AM



“ I worked with Lavern at Progress Energy (CP&L) for many years. He was a dear sweet man and will be missed. May God bless his family.##imported-begin##Wendy Perkins##imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 10:32 AM



“ Dear Shirley, Tammy and family,
We were so saddened to hear about Lavern. We will surely miss seeing and talking to him at Ocean Lakes. We pray that God's love will comfort you and the wonderful memories will always keep him near. We always enjoyed the time we shared when Blake & Justin were playing ball. Praying for all of you.
Love Mike & Brenda###imported-begin##Mike & Brenda Northcutt###imported-end##

April 16, 2010 at 08:41 AM



“ Our dear Shirley, Tammy, Sheila, Blake & Brittany, we are so sorry to hear about Lavern. He was a great man. The family has always held a special place in our hearts and always will. We have a lot of good memories. I know you all do too. Hold on to them. Please know that we are praying for you all. God will be with you through the days ahead. He will not let you down!!! We love you all...Janice & Mike###imported-begin##Janice & Mike Smith###imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 11:11 PM



“ I knew Lavern for many years as we both worked at the same power plant. He was a good man and will be sadly missed by all that knew him.###imported-begin##Bob Slone###imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 09:39 PM



“ Shirley, Tammy, and Family
I was saddened to hear of Lavern's passing. I worked with him for many years at RNP and he was a good friend. He will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you. May God Bless and Comfort you during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Joe Ogburn##imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 09:02 PM



“ Shirley, Tammy, and family:
Please know that you have my deepest sympathy and prayers....With love, Darlene##imported-begin##Darlene King##imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 07:43 PM



“ Our prayers are with your whole Family.Mom and Mrs. Sara was good friends.We (the Lundy Girls grew up with Lavern,Shella and Alice. I know Lavern's Family will miss him a lot.##imported-begin##Kenny & Judy Lundy Brooks ##imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 06:02 PM



“ Shirley, Sheila ,and family, I just found out about Mr.Corbett.My heart is saddened for all of you.I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Pat James##imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 05:57 PM



“ Tammy, Mrs. Shirley, Blake, and Brittany,
Words can not express how saddened I was when my Mom called me with this news. I am thinking of all you and praying so hard for you all. Tammy... I know you are "spoiled" by your daddy just like I am and we used to joke about it all the time and talk about how we would not trade being "spoiled" for anything in the world. Please, please know that we are thinking of you. I will miss talking to him at Ocean Lakes...and asking him, "can you go get Tammy???" Mrs. Shirley...please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Again, I am so sorry and wish I had just the right comforting words but I do know this...God is wrapping his arms around you right now.

Love,
Angel Smith Wilson##imported-begin##Angel Smith
Wilson##imported-end##

April 15, 2010 at 05:10 PM