



Bobby Ray Green

October 29, 1943 - June 14, 2012

Bobby Ray Green, 68, of Soso, died Thursday, June 14, 2012 at South Central Regional Medical Center in Laurel.

Funeral services will be held at 3 pm Sunday, June 17, 2012 at Memory Chapel of Laurel with burial to follow at Union Line Cemetery in Jones County. Rev. Jim Taylor and Rev. Nonnie Jefcoat will officiate.

Prior to retirement Bobby was a service technician with Ikon Office Solutions. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Soso and enjoyed retired life with Joan and spending time with grandchildren and daughters. He also enjoyed watching NASCAR races, restoring an antique truck, gardening and taking care of his land.

Bobby was a beloved son, husband, father, grandfather and friend. He was special and loved, and will be greatly missed by everyone who knew him.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Ray Green and Lura Bell Hill Green; and sister, Patsy Ruth Green.

Survivors include his wife of 49 years, Joan Holifield Green of Soso; three daughters, Lisa Green Skeen and husband Brad of Hattiesburg, Tracy Green Speights and husband Clay of Hattiesburg, and Jill Green of Soso; four grandchildren, Zac Chisolm and wife Jade, Sawyer Speights, Charley Kate Speights and Piper Skeen; and one brother, Barry Green of Soso.

Pallbearers will be Brad Skeen, Clay Speights, Don Speed, Ricky Hill, Ritchy Seals and David Smith.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 pm Saturday, June 16, 2012 at Memory

Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

JH

“ Dear Lisa, Jill, Tracy, Mrs. Joan, and families, I was so very sorry to hear about the loss of Mr. Green. He was such a great man. He was incredibly intelligent, and also very kind and generous. I regret that I did not hear of his passing in time to visit with you. He was a friend to my father who passed in 2006. I know that Mr. Bobby Ray will be greatly missed by family and friends. He will also be missed by the entire community. I cannot imagine how very much that each of you must be grieving such a terrible loss. I hope it may help in some small way to know that there are many people thinking of you during this difficult time. My most sincere sympathies and prayers go out to each of you. May God Bless you all.

Johnny Eudell Hill

Johnny E. Hill - June 18, 2012 at 01:00 PM

SL

“ Joan and girls, I am so very sorry for your loss. I can't imagine what sadness you must be feeling right now. Joan, your relationship with Bobby always was an example to me of what true love and commitment could be in a marriage. It was always very evident of the love you felt for one another. If there is anything I can do, please don't hesitate to let me know. Ya'll are in my prayers.

Susan Lee - June 18, 2012 at 11:34 AM

KH

“ Joan, Tracy, Lisa, and Jill, I am so very sorry about your Dad. I didn't know until today or I would have been at the service. I am heart broken. I will be praying for you all. God bless you with peace and comfort that only He can give. I will check on you. Once again I'm so very sorry and shocked. Love you all, Katye

Katye Howard - June 17, 2012 at 11:26 PM

BG

“ *Joan and girls: We loved and will always cherish memories of Bobby. May your memories and love for him sustain you at this time. Love, Bobby and Dot Tindall*

Bobby Ray Green - June 17, 2012 at 01:40 PM

JT

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. God bless Joan*

Joan Holloway Thompson - June 17, 2012 at 12:03 PM

TC

“ *Mrs. Joan, Jill, Lisa and Tracy*
We are so sorry about Mr. Bobby Ray. He was a very sweet man that loved you guys so very much! He will be greatly missed but y'all have the best memories! Some of my best memories were made at your house!! You have a great family. I am praying and will continue to pray that God comforts y'all through this tough time in your life. Love y'all!
Todd and Debbie Coffin

Todd and Debbie Coffin - June 17, 2012 at 08:51 AM

AS

“ *Joan & family: My prayers are with you and your family. I worked with Bobby at Office Products Center during the 80's. I always thought you and Bobby made sure a cute & precious couple. God Bless!*

Angie Lampkin Sims - June 16, 2012 at 02:18 PM

JW

“ *Bobby Ray Green*

Jill Kelley Ward - June 16, 2012 at 12:16 PM

CR

“ *Girls...I was so very sorry to hear about your dad. Please know you and your families are in my thoughts and prayers at this time.*

Carol Rowell - June 16, 2012 at 11:56 AM

KC

“ *Dear Lisa, Brad and Piper
All our love and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.
God Bless,
Kelly and Family*

Kelly Cooper - June 16, 2012 at 11:54 AM

SR

“ *Joan,
I am so sorry to hear about Bobby. My prayer is that God will hold you and your beautiful girls and their families in His loving arms and give you peace that only He can give.
I think of you often!
Love,
Susan Dykes Rayner*

Susan Dykes Rayner - June 15, 2012 at 11:20 PM