



## Herman Huey Long

April 21, 1935 - January 19, 2015

Herman Huey Long, born in Jones County, passed away Monday, January 19, 2015, at South Central Regional Medical Center after an extended illness. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, January 22, 2015, at Memory Chapel with burial to follow at Ellisville Cemetery. Rev. Ras Robinson will officiate.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur Long and Edna Robinson Long.

He is survived by his wife, Jimmie Nell Long of Ellisville; daughter, Leslie Long Derrick (Paul) of Petal, grandchildren, Dustin Kelby Coats (U. S. Navy) of Norfolk, VA, Amber Coats of Petal, Grady Paul Derrick, III "Zeke" of Petal, sister, Mary Nell Howell of Laurel, and uncle, Ras Robinson (Beverly) of Fort Worth, TX.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and growing trees, especially fruit trees. Most of all, his greatest joy was his loving family. He served as President of the Forestry Association and was on the Republican Committee many years. He was a small business owner. Over the years he helped many people get started in their own business. He was highly regarded for his keen business sense. He was in the National Guard for many years.

The family would like to thank to staff of South Central Regional Medical Center's ICU and first floor employees, along with the doctors that were so attentive and caring during his difficult last days.

Pallbearers will be Thomas Wayne Williford, Michael Walters, Lowell Howell,

Kelvin Knotts, Martin Shumake, and Roy Long. Honorary pallbearers will be Charles Sumrall, Mitch Craft, and his great friends in the coffee club.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to the charity of your choice.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 8 p.m. Wednesday, January 21, 2015, at Memory Chapel which is in charge of the arrangements. To view and sign the family guest book, visit [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com).

# Tribute Wall

LS

“ Jimmy Nell, I am just now learning of Herman's passing. I am so very sorry for your loss. I love you and please know that I'm praying for peace and comfort for you and the rest of the family! Love, Lisa

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**Lisa Trest Smith** - February 05, 2015 at 04:50 PM

GW

“ Jimmie Nell, so sorry to hear about Mr. Herman. He was a very sweet person and will be missed.

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**Gail Welch** - January 27, 2015 at 05:20 PM

WS

“ Ms. Jimmie Nell and Family, I just learned of Mr. Herman's passing. May God comfort you all. Thanks for being a part of our childhood memories during our visits together.

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**William Savell** - January 23, 2015 at 08:46 PM

AC

“ Our condolences you are in our thoughts.

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**Ann Catron** - January 23, 2015 at 01:47 PM

PT

“ Jimmie Nell, I am so sorry for your loss. It was a shock to read that Herman had passed away. My heart is heavy for your loss. Prayers are with you and your family in this time of sorrow. My our LORD wrap HIS arms around you and give you some comfort. Know that I am keeping you in my prayers. love ya, Pat

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**Patricia Tatum** - January 22, 2015 at 06:08 PM

PO

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love, Peggy Smith O'Connell*

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**Peggy O'Connell** - January 21, 2015 at 07:33 PM

CM

“ *I am praying for you and your family.*

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**CARLA MOSES** - January 21, 2015 at 03:21 PM

LC

“ *Leslie, there are no words that can provide comfort during this terrible time but I hope you are finding refuge in the Lord. I am praying for you and your family. I pray that His peace will fall upon you and your family's hearts.*

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**Lauren Colvin** - January 21, 2015 at 10:30 AM

MC

“ *Our prayers are with and for Herman and his family.*

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**Mitch & Wan Craft** - January 21, 2015 at 09:03 AM

AB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Praying for God to bless you with the comfort and peace only He can give.*

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**Amy Busby** - January 20, 2015 at 06:48 PM

BE

“ Jimmie Nell, Leslie , and family you are in our thoughts and prayers. So sorry I live so far away and cannot be there with you. I didn't realize your grandson lives so near us. Herman was a wonderful person and will be missed by many. Sending our love and thoughts to all of you.

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**Barbara Brewer Edwards** - January 20, 2015 at 05:41 PM