



## Tinnon G. "Jerry" Myrick, Sr.

August 21, 1931 - May 10, 2017

Tinnon G. "Jerry" Myrick, Sr.

Born August 21, 1938

Deceased May 10, 2017

Survived by wife, Charlotte Hesler Myrick; children, Joel Myrick (Patty), Christopher A. (Julie) Myrick, and Amy (Mike) Allen; brothers and sister, Lavon Myrick, Delores Myrick and Gordon Myrick; grandchildren, Jesse, Tinnon, Camille, Elijah and Will Myrick and Bryars, Myrick, and Victoria Allen; and great grandchildren, William, Ford, and Jack Myrick.

He was predeceased by parents, Tinnon and Myrtle Myrick; and son, Tinnon G. "Bo" Myrick, Jr.

After graduating from Laurel High, he entered MS State, married his high school sweetheart, played football at MSU, and earned many awards for putting the shot-put and throwing the discus. After graduating and earning the status of a 2nd Lieutenant from ROTC, he trained men at Ft. Benning in Georgia.

He went to work in New Orleans after finishing his Army obligations, working for American Standard, Boeing Aircraft, where he worked on the first Saturn Booster, and Kaiser Aluminum.

When both his parents became ill, he and his family moved back to Laurel. He worked for Masonite Corp. as an Industrial Engineer. He retired from Masonite as Technical Director for the plant.

In 1980 he and his wife, Charlotte, bought the Baptist Bible and Book House in Laurel. After helping get the business on solid ground, he went to work for the City of Laurel, as the city administrator. After retiring from that position, he later ran for the city council and served two terms.

He was very active in the First Baptist Church of Laurel, teaching Sunday School and serving as a Deacon, and he was a Kiwanian and a Gideon.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 13, 2017, at Memory Chapel with visitation beginning at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Hickory Grove Cemetery. Dr. Randy Turner and Rev. Mike Allen will officiate.

To sign the online guest book, visit [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Hickory Grove Cemetery

Intersection of 15th Street and Old Bay  
Springs Rd  
Laurel, MS 39440

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 13.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
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# Tribute Wall

LH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time.

*Sincerely,*

*Dr. and Mrs. Larry T. Holifield*

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**Larry T. Holifield** - May 12, 2017 at 08:40 PM

CC

“ Charles F Story, Jr. & Charlotte purchased the Fruit Abounds for the family of Tinnon G. "Jerry" Myrick, Sr..



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**Charles F Story, Jr. & Charlotte** - May 12, 2017 at 07:55 PM

AF

“ My prayers to the Myrick family and long time friends, from Alvin Gore Jr. and family.

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**Alvin Gore Jr., and family** - May 12, 2017 at 06:44 PM

SB

“ Beautiful tribute to Jerry. Praying continuously. SHARON BARHAM

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**Sharon Barham** - May 12, 2017 at 02:24 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Tinnon G. "Jerry" Myrick, Sr..



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May 12, 2017 at 01:38 PM



“ I remember Uncle Jerry as a gentle soul with much wisdom. He will be missed.

*Mike Worrell, nephew*

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**Mike Worrell** - May 12, 2017 at 12:33 PM



“ Charlotte, May God Comfort and Bless you during this time of sorrow. Our Prayers are with you and your family.

*Margaret Rankin  
Florence Cong. Meth, Church*

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**Margaret Rankin** - May 12, 2017 at 08:11 AM



*I am grateful for the service to jesus jerry shared wherever he went/ bless you and praying for you*

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**ken culpepper** - May 13, 2017 at 08:32 AM

BK

*Charlotte, I am so sorry to learn that Jerry has passed away but knowing he's finally at perfect peace makes it easier to bear. Jerry was a great boss and a good person. I really enjoyed working with him at City Hall. Please know that my thoughts are with you and your family right now. Betty Allen Kyle*

betty allen kyle - May 13, 2017 at 09:15 AM

CK

“ Charlotte

*I am saddened at the loss of Jerry. He was a good man and a friend. I know that in your sadness, you will be comforted because he knew Jesus and is now resting in heaven. May God be gracious and give you peace.*

*Charles King*

Charles King - May 12, 2017 at 12:19 AM

GW

“ *My favorite memories with my buddy, Jerry, are talking BULLDAWG SPORTS! We love MSU! He was just always so special to me, treated me like his own family. He will be dearly missed as he always had such a large presence in everything he did. Loving and praying for my sweet Charlotte and all the family.*

Gail H. Welch - May 11, 2017 at 06:44 PM

GW

“ *Gail H. Welch lit a candle in memory of Tinnon G. "Jerry" Myrick, Sr.*



Gail H. Welch - May 11, 2017 at 06:37 PM

KC

“ *I will always remember jerry for the way he supported our business and my personal music ministry*

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**ken culpepper** - May 11, 2017 at 04:25 PM