



John Lamon

October 13, 1962 - September 29, 2017

Joint services for John & Theresa Lamon will be held Saturday, October 7, 2017 at 4 pm in Milledgeville First United Methodist Church.

The family will receive friends at the church from 1 pm until 3 pm Saturday at the First Methodist Church.

John was a native of Savannah and grew up and graduated from high school in Stone Mountain. He received his Bachelor Degree from Georgia State University, his Masters from GC&SU and received his Doctorate from Mercer University. He had made his home in Baldwin, Putnam and Washington Counties for a number of years. John had been a teacher in Baldwin County, Putnam County and was teaching at Washington County High School. He and his wife Theresa had purchased and reopened the Deepstep Mercantile Store in Deepstep.

His survivors include son, Chris (Kelly) Lamon; grandson, Lucas Lamon; mother, Frances A. Lamon of Selma, AL; brother, Frank Lamon, Jr. (Debra) Hoschton, GA; niece, Morgan Verdery nephew Ryan Lamon; and all of Theresa's family.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to any Animal Rescue Foundation or the GA Beekeepers Association, c/o Paul Berry, 1210

Box Springs Road, Box Springs, GA 31801.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

First Methodist Church of Milledgeville
366 Log Cabin Drive
Milledgeville, GA

Celebration of Life

OCT 7. 4:00 PM (ET)


First Methodist Church of Milledgeville
366 Log Cabin Drive
Milledgeville, GA

Tribute Wall

DB

“ Remembering my dear friend and colleague, Dr. John Lamon. Although we worked side by side for only two months, I will remember him fondly in years to come as one of the best teachers that I've ever worked with. Rest in Peace 🙏 Your friend, Deborah Brown

Deborah Brown - July 30, 2019 at 09:01 PM

 Elaine Papain


“ My deepest sympathies on this shocking and tragic news John was very compassionate and and was a very good communicator and am certain was a great teacher and I'm sure all his students are just heartbroken he was a good example too many people with much heartfelt sorrow, elaine papain, Jesup, ga

Elaine Papain - October 09, 2017 at 03:46 PM

C.

“ RIP John.

C.Bailey - October 07, 2017 at 07:39 PM

 Rebecca Stewart

“ ...I Looked and looked these past several day's to make sure I was having a nightmare...Nothing this horribly Heartbreaking could possibly be true for a couple that meant so much to so many. I find that it wasn't only me having a nightmare , but the whole world.... You two will be missed here on Earth. Please watch over us down here. Much love to the Family and Friends . :(



Rebecca Stewart - October 07, 2017 at 12:52 PM

EW

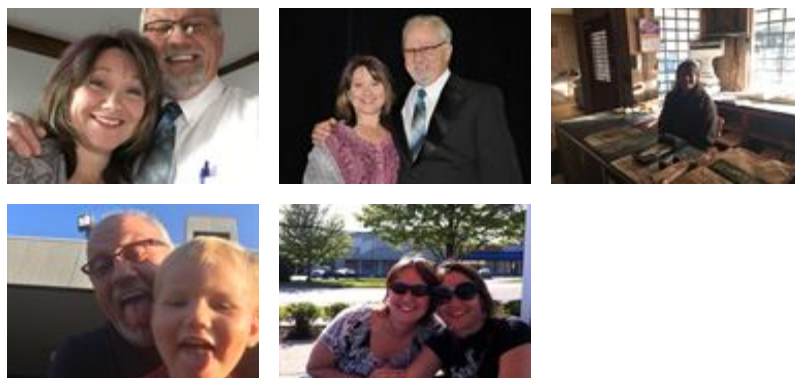
“ *E. B. Wells lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



E. B. Wells - October 07, 2017 at 11:22 AM

Williams
FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORY

“ *100 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 06, 2017 at 04:51 PM

MW

“ *Great teacher and coworker! I have no words to express such a great loss. Both of them were fun and great. My condolences to the family. Maureen*

maureen warner - October 06, 2017 at 08:51 AM

BE

“ *Bonnie Eubanks lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Bonnie Eubanks - October 05, 2017 at 08:15 AM

LD

“ *Lori Dalton lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Lori Dalton - October 04, 2017 at 07:40 PM

DE

“ *Deepstep is at a loss of words and we are grieving along with the Lamon Family. The short time that we knew John and Theresa you could tell that you were interested in you and cared about you. We will always remember John and Theresa. We keep asking why this happened only God knows. May God bless both families during this sad time.*

Deepsstep - October 04, 2017 at 11:20 AM

DM

“ *Darcy Holzmer Mathis lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Darcy Holzmer Mathis - October 04, 2017 at 10:16 AM



“ *Lisa Marsh lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Lisa Marsh - October 04, 2017 at 08:20 AM

KE

“ *K (holst) Engel lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



k (holst) engel - October 04, 2017 at 12:30 AM

CB

“ *Wonderful folks, they were. They took me in with open arms when I was down and out and continued their support and friendship for many years. They taught me so much and I will never forget them and their service to others! So sorry*

C. Brown - October 03, 2017 at 08:25 PM

KG

“ *Kim Gore lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



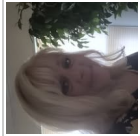
Kim Gore - October 03, 2017 at 07:31 PM

JH

“ *Joyce Hunnicutt lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Joyce Hunnicutt - October 03, 2017 at 07:15 PM



“ *Praying for family and friends. So sorry for your loss.*



Gina Porter - October 03, 2017 at 03:02 PM

JM

“ *So thankful to have been in Dr. Lamon's literature class at PCHS. My thoughts and prayers are with the Lamon family.*

Jenna Mullis - October 03, 2017 at 02:15 PM

KC

“ I have difficulty writing anything. John and Theresa were both great people. I will miss seeing them. My condolences to family.

Kathleen Cooper - October 03, 2017 at 02:12 PM

KC

“ Kathleen Cooper lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Kathleen Cooper - October 03, 2017 at 02:08 PM

BS

“ Beverly Stanley lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Beverly Stanley - October 03, 2017 at 12:09 PM

LM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.

LUTHER MINOR - October 03, 2017 at 11:48 AM



“ Erica Marlowe Phillips lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Erica Marlowe Phillips - October 03, 2017 at 11:46 AM



“ So thankful for the positive influence John Lamon had on his students, including my daughter. He was a passionate teacher, always encouraging her and fellow classmates to look beyond what was in front of them & to push forward. He referred to them as being a part of "Club Awesome", that of which he was definitely the Leader!



Christine Tillman - October 03, 2017 at 10:17 AM



“ Our condolences to the family of these two special individuals who came to Deepstep with a passion and love for their fellow man that rejuvenated the community. We thank God for them and pray blessings on each of you.
Randy K. Hall and Family

Randy K. Hall - October 03, 2017 at 10:17 AM



“ Lisa (Blackwood) Walden lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Lisa (Blackwood) Walden - October 03, 2017 at 09:13 AM

KE

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Kathleen Elliott - October 03, 2017 at 12:10 AM

LL

Sorry, prayer's go out to there family.

Laura long - October 04, 2017 at 08:16 AM

PT

“ Pam Thompson lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Pam Thompson - October 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ Rhonda Sherrod lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Rhonda Sherrod - October 02, 2017 at 10:46 PM

DH

“ Donna And Virgil Harris lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Donna and Virgil Harris - October 02, 2017 at 10:36 PM

BR

“ Beverly & Rollie Rumiser lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Beverly & Rollie Rumiser - October 02, 2017 at 10:34 PM

SL

“ Susan Lanzilotta lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Susan Lanzilotta - October 02, 2017 at 10:24 PM

AD

“ Amanda Durden lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Amanda Durden - October 02, 2017 at 10:19 PM

AD

“ Amanda Durden sent a virtual gift in memory of John Lamon



Amanda Durden - October 02, 2017 at 10:18 PM

RC

“ Rob Ceglie lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Rob Ceglie - October 02, 2017 at 09:52 PM

DN

“ Daone Nisbet lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Daone Nisbet - October 02, 2017 at 09:49 PM



“ Carmen Fair lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Carmen Fair - October 02, 2017 at 09:28 PM

RB

“ *Rachel Brewer lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Rachel Brewer - October 02, 2017 at 08:59 PM

CV

“ *Carol B. Veal lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Carol B. Veal - October 02, 2017 at 08:57 PM

GJ

“ *John and Theresa Lamon were both wonderful people. I am so glad I had the pleasure to get the opportunity to know both of them. To the family I offer my sincere condolences and I pray God gives added strength to each of you as you face the days ahead. ~Joshua 1:9~*

*Much love to all of you,
Gary M. James*

Gary M. James - October 02, 2017 at 08:51 PM

KE

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Karla Ensminger - October 02, 2017 at 08:40 PM

JB

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to your family. Many lives were enriched for having known John.*

Julie Bazemore - October 02, 2017 at 08:37 PM

KM

“ *This breaks my heart. I know the only peace you as a family have right now is knowing that John and Theresa are with Jesus.*

Kay Gastley Milam

Kay Milam - October 02, 2017 at 08:37 PM

KE

“ *Karla Ensminger lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Karla Ensminger - October 02, 2017 at 08:33 PM



Theresa Pitts

“ Theresa Pitts lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Theresa Pitts - October 02, 2017 at 08:11 PM

SP

“ Spencer lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Spencer - October 02, 2017 at 08:02 PM

SS

“ Shawn Spear lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Shawn Spear - October 02, 2017 at 07:45 PM



Judy Lanthripp

“ Judy Lanthripp lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Judy Lanthripp - October 02, 2017 at 07:27 PM


Brandie
Louise

“ *Brandie Louise lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Brandie Louise - October 02, 2017 at 07:17 PM

LF

“ *Laura Flynn lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Laura Flynn - October 02, 2017 at 06:46 PM

JV

“ *Jennifer Veal lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Jennifer Veal - October 02, 2017 at 06:03 PM

TC

“ *Tommy Cox lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Tommy Cox - October 02, 2017 at 05:45 PM

SD

“ I put this on my FB page but will paste it here for the family:
John Lamon was a wonderful friend, a lover of the outdoors, a patriot, an inspired teacher, a thoughtful colleague, and absolutely stone in love with his beautiful Theresa, who died with him. They will be missed. Many thoughts go to "the Chrises," whom I haven't met but whom I feel I know from the prideful stories shared by their parents. Thursday is National Teacher's Day. There was none better.

Also - I remember how tickled they both were when I showed up for his dissertation defense, and how proud they both were of his accomplishment. I have so many memories of them, but what sticks most is that sparkle that never faded when they looked at each other. They were honeymooners to the end.

Sandy Dimon - October 02, 2017 at 05:09 PM

CB

“ John's life should be an inspiration to us all. His students testimony of what he meant to them will tell you all you need to know about him. He and Theresa will surly be missed...



Chuck Bowersock - October 02, 2017 at 04:59 PM

PR

“ My condolence to the Lamon family.
John was an awesome teacher and will definitely be missed.

Paula Roberts - October 02, 2017 at 04:51 PM



“ Gonna miss these two so much, loved walking into the store and always wondering where miss Theresa was gonna be, she could always brighten up your day with her bright and bubbly spirit. And almost every time I rode by the store I'd see Mr John outside and he'd wave and smile. They were two of the kindest people you could ever meet, and they had an effect on everyone who met them. Never thought last Thursday would be the last time I'd eat a delicious scone and grab a Dr Pepper and hear miss Theresa wish me good luck and say "Go team!" As I was headed to my soccer game.
It won't be the same without them here.
Rest In Peace, can't wait to see y'all again one day!

Destiny Faith - October 02, 2017 at 04:37 PM

FH

“ Dr. Lamon and Theresa will be greatly missed. Praying for strength and comfort.



Fancia Harris - October 02, 2017 at 04:08 PM

SN

“ *Sheba Nelson lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Sheba Nelson - October 02, 2017 at 03:36 PM

DS

“ *Donna Silva lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Donna Silva - October 02, 2017 at 03:35 PM

CB

“ *Crystal Burt lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Crystal Burt - October 02, 2017 at 02:16 PM

KA

“ *John was a wonderful person! I went to school with him starting somewhere around the second or third grade and graduated high school with him. He is so missed and will leave a void in so many hearts. I met his wife Theresa at a class reunion and they made a wonderful pair! He loved her so much. Two really wonderful people!*

Kathy Kelley

Kathy - October 02, 2017 at 02:08 PM



“ *The Lamons left a lasting legacy of love and literature. He would appreciate the alliteration.*

God bless you both. Thank you for the positive impact you left in several communities.

John Lamon's email signature:

“I would define, in brief, the poetry of words as the rhythmical creation of beauty.” Edgar Allan Poe

Wendy Little - October 02, 2017 at 01:51 PM

RJ

“ *Mr. Lamon was an awesome teacher, My heart is very saddened to have learned this news. May the Lord wrap his arms around the family during this time...c/o 2001 @ Baldwin High*



Roseann Jackson - October 02, 2017 at 01:48 PM

TJ

“ *One of the kindest coworkers and giving teacher I have ever known. The years we taught together at Putnam we shared many laughs and your kindness continued as we kept in touch after my departure from Putnam.*

You will certainly be missed. My prayers are with all your family, friends, students and coworkers. You touched many life's in such a positive way



Tammy Joiner - October 02, 2017 at 12:15 PM



“ Remember John student teaching at Baldwin High when I was just starting my career...taught with him there and at Putnam...has been one of my closest friends ever since..always there to help and offer advice... gonna miss you so much.



Jonathan Deen - October 02, 2017 at 12:06 PM



“ My deepest condolences and prayers go out to John and Theresa's family and friends in this time of sadness.



Marc Dastous - October 02, 2017 at 11:54 AM



“ The happiest New Year's eve I ever spent was playing penny poker at John and Theresa's.

I've seen both of them tear up with gratitude at the new life they were living. Never known two people more thankful for their blessings.

Julia Hollinshead - October 02, 2017 at 11:34 AM



“ Lorrie Smith lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Lorrie Smith - October 02, 2017 at 10:45 AM

DH

“ Donna Hitchcock lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Donna Hitchcock - October 02, 2017 at 09:58 AM

DC

“ Denise Collins lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Denise Collins - October 02, 2017 at 09:33 AM

MM

“ MaryEllen Morris lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



MaryEllen Morris - October 02, 2017 at 09:13 AM

SC

“ Sandra Hendricks Coffee lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Sandra Hendricks Coffee - October 02, 2017 at 09:02 AM

LR

“ *Lisa Rich lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Lisa Rich - October 02, 2017 at 08:38 AM

KR

“ *Kollin Robinson lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



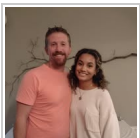
Kollin Robinson - October 02, 2017 at 08:36 AM

DO

“ *Donna Oxford lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Donna Oxford - October 02, 2017 at 07:44 AM



“ *I have been blessed by John and Teresa each time I have come in contact. Thank you for the love you showed and the love you shared through laughter and smiles. Rest in peace. My heart aches for the family to have lost so much. My prayer is for comfort through this difficult time of grieving.*

Chad Bugg - October 02, 2017 at 07:26 AM

CR

“ *Carol Ramsey lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Carol Ramsey - October 02, 2017 at 06:47 AM

Jl

“ *My heart aches for John and Theresa and their families...such a wonderful pair and I treasure the many conversations John and I had at BHS. RIP, Lamons, you will be missed down here.*

Judy Ivey - October 02, 2017 at 05:48 AM

BW

“ *Barbara Wall lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Barbara Wall - October 02, 2017 at 04:58 AM

IW

“ *Iris Wood lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Iris Wood - October 02, 2017 at 01:49 AM

DG

“ Denise Garner lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Denise Garner - October 02, 2017 at 01:49 AM



“ Marilynn Skinner lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Marilynn Skinner - October 02, 2017 at 01:20 AM



John was a great teacher and a cool guy. Teresa use to do embroidery for my FBLA shirts. Prayers of comfort and courage are going up for the family.

Marilynn Skinner - October 02, 2017 at 01:22 AM

DG

prayers for Family.

Denise Garner - October 02, 2017 at 01:46 AM

PB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Paige Barlow - October 02, 2017 at 12:35 AM

PB

May God give a sense of peace to the family and friends during this time of grief. - Paige Barlow

Paige Barlow - October 02, 2017 at 12:39 AM

SP

“ *Prayers for the family and loved ones - especially the students and citizens whose lives you touched.*

Sandra C. Parham - October 01, 2017 at 11:07 PM

LM

“ *Praying for the family.*



Leanne Moncrief - October 01, 2017 at 10:48 PM

LK

“ *Linda Kotrick lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Linda Kotrick - October 01, 2017 at 10:41 PM

MR

“ *Matt Riden lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Matt Riden - October 01, 2017 at 10:36 PM

GM

“ *Gwynette McMullen lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



gwynette mcmullen - October 01, 2017 at 10:28 PM

CB

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family.*



craig barron - October 01, 2017 at 09:53 PM

CM

“ *Celeste Martin lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Celeste Martin - October 01, 2017 at 09:52 PM

CM

John was one of the first people I met when I started working at Baldwin High School. He always had a smile and a crazy story that would make you laugh. He could always pull the best out of his students.

Celeste Martin - October 01, 2017 at 09:54 PM

LM

“ *Linda Monroe lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Linda Monroe - October 01, 2017 at 09:50 PM

MM

“ *Dr.Lamon was my British Literature teacher he was very nice and I wish I could've known him longer.*



Melanie Meeks - October 01, 2017 at 09:47 PM

AC

“ *So many people are grieving the loss of two wonderful people. My thoughts and prayers are with your family. May you find peace and comfort in the memories of them both. Amie Caruso*



Amie Caruso - October 01, 2017 at 09:40 PM

BM

“ *Becky Meeks lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Becky Meeks - October 01, 2017 at 09:34 PM

FL

“ *Fay Leverett lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Fay Leverett - October 01, 2017 at 09:21 PM

LB

“ *Lynn Barker lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Lynn Barker - October 01, 2017 at 09:13 PM

LA

“ *John had the rare and admirable ability to inspire his students to excel and have fun with their learning. Theresa was right there with him, supporting him, having fun with him. They were living their dream, spreading love to all those who had the joy of crossing their path.*



Laurie Wallace Ahlburn - October 01, 2017 at 08:45 PM

AD

“ *Allison Doolittle lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Allison Doolittle - October 01, 2017 at 08:45 PM

TP

“ Teresa Phillips lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Teresa Phillips - October 01, 2017 at 08:43 PM



“ Kelly Smith lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Kelly Smith - October 01, 2017 at 08:43 PM

MA

“ Morris And April lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Morris and April - October 01, 2017 at 08:35 PM

CB

“ Charlie And Annette Brown lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



Charlie and Annette Brown - October 01, 2017 at 08:34 PM



“ *Dolores Hawkins lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Dolores Hawkins - October 01, 2017 at 08:32 PM



“ *Susan Hines lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Susan Hines - October 01, 2017 at 08:24 PM



“ *Carol Anderson lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Carol anderson - October 01, 2017 at 08:21 PM



“ *Tonya Hodges lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Tonya Hodges - October 01, 2017 at 08:18 PM

MK

“ *Megan McDade Kennedy lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Megan McDade Kennedy - October 01, 2017 at 08:17 PM

AA

“ *Angela Allen lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Angela Allen - October 01, 2017 at 08:01 PM

JS

“ *I first met John Lamon on the day of new teacher orientation at BHS in August of 1997. It was his first year teaching and my first at the high school. We hit it off right away. He was good for a conversation on a great variety of topics. You don't get many friends in life like that. I think the happiest I ever saw him was whenever I would see him with Theresa. Sad to lose them.*

Jack Shepherd - October 01, 2017 at 07:59 PM

SM

“ I just can't believe that John is no longer with us. When I first started teaching at Baldwin High School ,I co-taught a class with him for a couple of years. There was never a dull minute with him. He loved Beowulf, The Raven, Led Zephlinn and Harley's. I learned very quickly that it is not a motorcycle if it is not a Harley. He was someone we could always depend on. Rest easy dear friend, we will miss you.



Sandy Mitts - October 01, 2017 at 07:30 PM

MR

“ Lit a candle for John Lamon



Margie Robinson - October 01, 2017 at 07:29 PM

JS

“ John Stone lit a candle in memory of John Lamon



John Stone - October 01, 2017 at 07:27 PM

CG

“ *Christine Giles lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Christine Giles - October 01, 2017 at 07:24 PM

JD

“ *Jeremy Dockery lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Jeremy Dockery - October 01, 2017 at 07:20 PM

VG

“ *Vicki Gholson lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Vicki Gholson - October 01, 2017 at 07:06 PM

JT

“ *Jessica Thompson lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Jessica Thompson - October 01, 2017 at 06:16 PM

PH

“ *Pamela Howard lit a candle in memory of John Lamon*



Pamela Howard - October 01, 2017 at 05:41 PM

PH

John and I met when we were taking an education class in undergraduate school and went on to work together at Baldwin High School. He and Teresa were such positive influences in everyone's lives they touched. Two very special people taken way too soon. Love y'all! Prayers to all their family, firends, and former students. A lot of young people hurting! To know you had such a positive impact on so many people. What an honor to be so loved by so many!

Pamela Howard - October 01, 2017 at 05:47 PM

FD

I have known the Lamon family for about 55 years, I remember when John was born. What a wonderful family he has and I can only imagine the pain they have felt. He and Teresa seemed to be a perfect match and I know they are together with loved ones who have gone before them. Prayers to Frances, Frank and all the family. Love and Prayers, Flo Hutchings Doss

Flo Hutchings Doss - October 02, 2017 at 06:49 PM