



Larry Franks

May 19, 1948 - April 30, 2008

Services for Larry B. Franks will be held Saturday (5/3/08) in Williams Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Ron Smith and Rev. George Utuk officiating.

Interment will follow in Montpelier United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mr. Franks passed away Wednesday, Apr 30, he was a life long resident of Baldwin County he was the son of the late Robert M. And Bessie Brookins Franks , a veteran of the U.S. Army having served in Viet Nam , he was self employed and was a member of the First Independent United Methodist Church in Eatonton.

Survivors include his daughters, Vanessa Franks, Amber Smith, and Stevie Rogers of Milledgeville, and Roseann Jackson of Copperhill , TN; sons, Larry B. Franks, Jr. And Jason Franks; a brother Robert Franks all of Milledgeville, 8 grandchildren a number of other relatives.

The family will receive friends here at Williams Funeral Home Friday evening from 5 until 7 pm

in lieu of flowers the family request memorial donations.

Tribute Wall



“ Well dad Sophie-lin turns one tomorrow.. I wish you was here to see her..She has brought us so much joy..And she has helped us though some tough times We love and miss you very much.....

Love Your Son and Family###imported-begin###LARRY FRANKS JR###imported-end##

July 31, 2009 at 04:51 PM



“ Daddy, it has been almost a year and it seems like time has flown by. We are hanging in there the best we can and yet the days still seem so empty!###imported-begin###Vanessa Franks###imported-end##

April 02, 2009 at 02:03 PM



“ I miss you papaw, more than you'll ever know, in a way it's getting easier but then again it'll never get easy. I still go to the huddle house and sit in your booth, & I still fight back my tears as I slide into that very booth. I miss you more than words could ever say even if we weren't all that close, a lot of things have changed since you've been gone but yet I know your here to see them. Sophie's gorgeous, she's def! a blessing we needed and she came right on time, when everyone was in pain, you could look at her and smile. Aunt Roseann and mama still take it hard and I know aunt amber misses you too. I myself am going through some hard times and I can only hope and know that your here to comfort me. & the other day I was thinking back to Valentines day 07 when you came up to the children's hospital in Macon, and you gave me that big card that said I love you this much and it had a bear with his arms out wide. I wish you could've been here for when I get married, I wanted so badly for you to walk me down the isle. But I know you'll be there and I know your here watching over us all. I love you papaw always and forever! xoxo###imported-begin##Whitney##imported-end##

January 21, 2009 at 05:42 PM



“ Daddy, Sophie Lin arrived today! She came into this world screaming at 8:11 a.m. She is 7lbs 3 oz. She is 19 inches long and redheaded! A sad wave passed through us all wishing you were here to see it. We miss you so much daddy. The days are still hard. Love you more than words can say!###imported-begin##Vanessa Franks##imported-end##

August 01, 2008 at 10:42 PM



“ *Daddy, it has only been a month and a half since you left us. Yesterday was Father's day and many tears were shed. Miss you so much it rips me apart sometimes. Seems like the tears will never stop. Just to hug you one more time. Just to see you smile. All we are left with is empty holes inside and memories. I love you daddy. Please watch over us.##imported-begin##Vanessa Franks##imported-end##*

June 16, 2008 at 01:13 PM



Hello. I am deeply sorry for your loss. I have a question. My mother has a brother called Larry Franks, but as far as i know no one has heard from him in decades. Do you know his mother? Natural mother? If so, then it he is not the larry i am looking for.

Tim Kemp - September 13, 2020 at 02:46 AM



“ *i cant stand knowin that mr larry has left us here but i know he is so much better now!! He honestly meant so much to me!! I didnt show it much by visitin and that is something i regret. But i know he knew i loved him!! You are all in my prayres i know he is truly missed. May God be with you all! Stay strong and keep in your hearts and minds youwill see him again someday. Keep your faith in the Lord and you will have so much to look forward to when you yourself walk through those pearly gates and he is standing there wiating for you!!!##imported-begin##Cassie Brooks##imported-end##*

May 12, 2008 at 07:04 PM



“ *The days are still tough! We are getting through this the best we all can! One day at a time. Some days are better than others. The support of all the people who are here for us and the support of everyone signing this guestbook keeps us going on a daily basis. Daddy will never be forgotten. He was so tired there at the end. God took him home. Even though we all want to kiss him and talk to him and hug him one more time.... We know he is in a better place. No matter how much our hearts hurt! Lord knows we hurt. So my thanks to all who have helped in this time of need. God bless! We love you dad!##imported-begin##Vanessa Franks##imported-end##*

May 09, 2008 at 08:23 PM



“ *Jason, I will always have a place in my heart for you and your dad. When my wife was going thru her bout with cancer, Larry would always give her encouragement when we were in the Huddle House. I remember the first thing you ever said to me, hit the road Jack and you didn't know that was my name. God bless all of Larry's family.##imported-begin##Jack Johnson##imported-end##*

May 07, 2008 at 12:06 PM



“ DAD..... I never called you DAD while you were here with us, but in many ways that's how I thought of you. You touched my life and my heart in ways you will never know. At times our talks of God and Faith gave me strength and courage and when I think of those conversations I know in my heart God put you in my path to help me cope with the loss of my own Mother. I want to Thank YOU for all the hope, faith, courage, strength and wisdom you left here with me. I will be sure that Sophie-Lin knows what a wonderful man you were and that her Grandfather loved her deeply. I LOVE YOU and you are greatly Missed by us all!!!!!! Love,
Amanda, Nate, Lindsey and Sophie-Lin###imported-begin###Amanda###imported-end##

May 07, 2008 at 11:34 AM



“ To Larry's Family,
You will never know how much your Dad ment to me. H was such an insperation to me, no matter how bad I felt I could walk across the isle at the fleamarket and he could make me laugh. The many talks we had about the Bible and how much faith he had. I will always remember Larry with the fondest of memories and will miss him greatly.To all of you my prayers and thoughts are with you and I look forward to seeing him again. Love you all.
Peggy###imported-begin###Peggy###imported-end##

May 06, 2008 at 10:35 PM



“ Hey man its been almost a week since you went to see the LORD. I keep waiting for you to come through the door or out of your bedroom. Everyone misses you dearly and wish you were here. When Sophie-lin gets here she will remind me of you. Me and Jason will be fine and keep going like you would want us too. We love you very much and miss you more than anything.

LOVE YOU MAN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

LOVE LARRY B,AMANDA,LINDSEY,NATE AND SOPHIE-LIN##imported-begin##Larry B##imported-end##

May 06, 2008 at 09:04 PM



“ Amber & Family
Was so sorry to here about your Dad. May God bless you all.
Amber if you ever need a friend look me up.. I am here for you.##imported-begin##Eva Conner##imported-end##

May 05, 2008 at 11:08 PM



“ I AM SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU.##imported-begin##PAT COUEY LORD##imported-end##

May 05, 2008 at 08:09 PM



“ Love and prayers to all family and friends.##imported-begin##Marrelle Lewis Langley##imported-end##

May 05, 2008 at 07:16 PM



“ I am so sorry for the loss of your beloved father. Your family is in my heart and prayers.##imported-begin##Tammy Martin##imported-end##

May 05, 2008 at 06:55 PM



“ Man it's hard to believe your gone.WE sure hated to go to the market sometimes,but man if I could go back and change things I sure would in a heartbeat. Man were going to miss you yelling at me and boo boo about those tools. I hate that you won't be here to see Sophie-Lin come into this world.I LOVE YOU MAN!!!! WE will miss you dearly....LOVE Larry B,Amanda,Lindsey,Nathan and Sophie-Lin##imported-begin##Larry B##imported-end##

May 05, 2008 at 03:34 PM



“ To everyone who was there for us through the funeral and viewing for my daddy and in the days after.... I can never thank any of you enough for all you have done. Our hearts are still heavy with sorrow and our steps are faltering but with the out pouring of love from this community and friends , I know we will make it. So from the all of us to you.... Thank you. We will get through this. One day at a time.##imported-begin##Vanessa Franks##imported-end##

May 05, 2008 at 12:18 PM



“ i love and miss u papa##imported-begin##blake smith##imported-end##

May 03, 2008 at 03:57 PM



“ to my daddy
i miss u already and u will never be forgotten i love u dearly..im
really glad u r not suffing anymore and even thou we would like u
here,i know deep down u r in a better PLACE!!!!
and to vanessa,amber,larryb.,AND BOO-BOO we WILL MAKE
IT!!!##imported-begin##Roseann Jackson##imported-end##

May 03, 2008 at 03:54 PM



“ sincere thoughts to the family##imported-begin##Bobby
Wagner##imported-end##

May 03, 2008 at 01:15 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all the
family.

Alice Brett##imported-begin##Alice Brett##imported-end##

May 03, 2008 at 11:00 AM



“ Larry B.

I am so sorry...I regret not contacting him but thought of him often.
He is an amazing man...My thoughts and prayers are with your
family.##imported-begin##Lisa##imported-end##

May 02, 2008 at 04:20 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Milly T. Day##imported-end##*

May 02, 2008 at 08:33 AM



“ *Dear Amber and family,
I was very sorry to hear of the loss of your dad. When I left the Huddle House I really missed his cute jokes and laughing with him, my thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.##imported-begin##Joanne##imported-end##*

May 02, 2008 at 08:13 AM



“ Vanessa, Whitney, family and friends: we pray the love of God enfolds you during your journey through grief.

*We have a friend in God,
He listens to us all
No problem of the heart is ever too big or small
In the midst of weakness
He is ready to share
Every heartfelt sorrow
To keep us from despair
He sees every sadness
Keeps unwept tears at bay
Always there to guide us and see us through each day
When we leave ourselves safely in his care
We feel his gentle comfort upon life's thoroughfare
Giving us the strength to rise above all trials
Knowing in our hearts we only need to pray
And he will help us overcome whatever comes our way
God gives us countless blessings
God gives us a gift of grace
God keeps us safe and sound
In a very special place
He wraps us in his love
He is always present in our lives
Not just in Heaven, high above
And when we stumble sometimes or if something doesn't
seem clear
Just call upon his name "Heavenly Father" for he is
always near.*

Blessing of peace and love to All.

*Darin and Heather Free##imported-begin##Heather
Free##imported-end##*

May 01, 2008 at 11:42 PM



“ Even though we are hundreds of miles away our thought and prayers are with you all. I am so sorry for the lose of such a wonderful man. He is now were he can watch over all of his friends and family. He will be truely missed. Our Love and Prayers to you all!###imported-begin##Christy and Pete Fernandez##imported-end##

May 01, 2008 at 08:03 PM



“ I am saddened by the news of Larrys' passing.He was a good old boy and a friend to all he met.May he rest in peace.My sympathies to his family.###imported-begin##Linda Liester##imported-end##

May 01, 2008 at 06:10 PM



“ Nessa and family: I'm very sorry for your loss. You're in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless all.. Love ya!!###imported-begin##Malisa##imported-end##

May 01, 2008 at 05:31 PM



“ To Vanessa and family, my condolences and my prayers are with you all during this time.###imported-begin##Scott Roberson##imported-end##

May 01, 2008 at 05:03 PM



“ I Love You Very Much Pawpaw. It's hard to believe your gone. But I know that your in a better place. You'll always be here with us. I Love You!

Whitney###imported-begin###Whitney###imported-end###

May 01, 2008 at 02:42 PM



“ May you rest in peace and no longer in pain or discomfort. You'll always be watching down over your girls, family and friends. My thoughts and prayers are with you Nessa and your entire family.###imported-begin###Nacole###imported-end###

May 01, 2008 at 02:30 PM



“ I love you very much daddy! We will miss you so very much! Forever in our hearts!###imported-begin###Vanessa Franks###imported-end###

May 01, 2008 at 02:15 PM



“ Bobby and Family,
Sorry to hear of the passing of Larry. He was always a pleasure to talk to. May God be with all his loved ones in the days to come.###imported-begin###Wallace Moore###imported-end###

May 01, 2008 at 10:15 AM



“ Larry will be remembered and missed. He has left his legacy in his children. I'll always remember riding in the back of his van playing with my best friend, his wonderful daughter Vanessa, and trying on the hats and other goods he was going to sell at the flea-market. I'll always be grateful for those memories. Thanks Larry for letting me tag along.##imported-begin##Michelle (Endrias) Harrison##imported-end##

May 01, 2008 at 09:05 AM



“ From all the staff at the huddle house, you will be missed greatly and thought about daily.##imported-begin##Huddle House##imported-end##

April 30, 2008 at 07:37 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Mary Byrd & Family##imported-end##

April 30, 2008 at 06:03 PM



“ We are sorry for your loss. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##April Faulkner, Rica Manning (Pop-Tart)##imported-end##

April 30, 2008 at 06:01 PM