



Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples

April 30, 1930 - April 29, 2016

Samples- Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples, age 85, of Eatonton formerly of Roswell passed away on Friday, April 29, 2016. Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 PM on Monday, May 2, 2016 in the Lawrenceville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home. Interment will follow at Green Lawn Cemetery & Mausoleum in Roswell. Rev. Frank Pratt, Rev. Heck Davis, Rev. Larry Cook & Jamie Knight will officiate. Mr. Samples was a member of Lone Oak Baptist Church in Eatonton & a member of Roswell Masonic Lodge #165 F&AM. Mr. Samples is preceded in death by; Mother: Nettie Samples; Father: Cleborn Samples; Siblings: Biscoomb Samples, Royston Samples, Bernice Thompson, Nettie Ruth Long, Pat Stanfield; Daughter-in-law: Deborah Samples. He is survived by; Wife: Viola Samples of Eatonton; Daughter & Son-in-law: Ann & Jimmy Knight of Norcross; Son: Danny Samples of Dawsonville; Grandchildren: Jamie & Meghan Knight of Suwanee, Mark & Charity Samples of Dawsonville, Amy & Jeff Lyle of Flowery Branch; Great-Grandchildren: Kash Knight of Suwanee, Landon Lyle, Alicia Lyle, both of Flowery Branch. The family will receive friends from 2-4 & 6-8PM on Sunday, May 1, 2016 at Tim Stewart Funeral Home- 300 Simonton Road S.W. Lawrenceville, GA 30046. 770-962-3100. Please leave online condolences at stewartfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Cemetery

950 Mansell Rd
Roswell, GA 30076

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 1. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046
(770) 962-3100

Visitation

MAY 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046
(770) 962-3100

Funeral Service

MAY 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road, S.W.
Lawrenceville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - May 01, 2016 at 08:39 AM



Memories are all that's left. I know that he will never be forgotten but always remembered. May God be with all of you always. I pray 🙏 .
Amen

Larry Vecchione - May 02, 2016 at 08:14 PM

RF

Beautiful tribute, to a wonderful man, from his awesome family.

Rita Green and family - May 03, 2016 at 07:09 AM

BL

The video was very sweet. You can tell he was blessed with a wonderful life. Sad to hear of his passing.
Barbara (Lynette Read Newton daughter and Patricia Newton Buntin 1/2 sister)

Babara Ann Long - November 26, 2016 at 04:45 PM



“ Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM

JM

“ One thing I will never forget and always count as one of my special memories from my childhood at Roswell Second Baptist Church, is Snooks singing, "I am bound for that city, God's holy white city". Also, "Come and dine, the Master calleth come and dine" I don't know the name of the songs but I loved it when he sang them. Sweet, precious servant of God. Love and prayers,
Joyce House McDonald and Katherine House

Joyce H. McDonald - May 04, 2016 at 08:52 AM

DS

“ I didnt know Snooks but i know he was a fine man to raise Danny and Mark to be the people they are today in my prayers !!

David Sexton - May 03, 2016 at 12:15 PM

DB

“ Dear Viola, Ann, Danny, Jamie and Family!

*Our Hearts and Prayers are with each of you! May God's Peace and all the Precious Memories keep you going during this difficult time! I found this 1967 picture a couple of days ago, Bill, Taylor and Preacher. (not sure who the other guy is) Our Families were close and will remember your Dad, Dear Viola and Family with Great Love! "Always"
Blessings, Blessings!*



Dianne Brown - May 02, 2016 at 03:46 PM

AK

“ Sorry to hear of his passing. I have heard of him being a great fisherman at Lake Oconee for 35 years...

Alan Ket

Alan Kent - May 01, 2016 at 07:50 PM

Larry Vecchione

“ Larry Vecchione sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples



Larry Vecchione - May 01, 2016 at 03:13 PM

Larry Vecchione

“ Larry Vecchione lit a candle in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples



Larry Vecchione - May 01, 2016 at 03:11 PM

LS

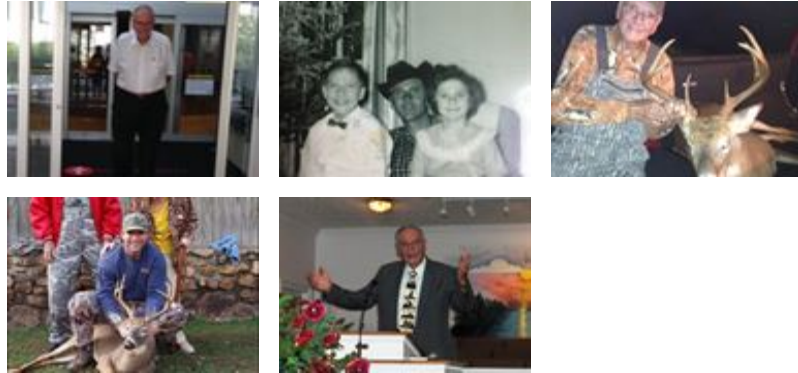
“ Love, Jimmy and Shirley purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.



Love, Jimmy and Shirley - May 01, 2016 at 01:45 PM



“ 95 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - May 01, 2016 at 08:18 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.



April 30, 2016 at 10:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.



April 30, 2016 at 09:17 PM

EW

“ Will never forget Preacher Snooks singing "Come and Dine" when he helped in revival at Concord Baptist Church in Cumming. He was a great man of God.

Elaine Wilson - April 30, 2016 at 08:53 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.



April 30, 2016 at 07:13 PM

GM

“ Glenn David Mize purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.



Glenn David Mize - April 30, 2016 at 06:54 PM

TF

“ The Christopher Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.



The Christopher Family - April 30, 2016 at 05:27 PM

MM

“ We are thinking of your family with love and prayers. Preacher Doby's family.



Mary Moulder - April 30, 2016 at 03:00 PM

DP

It saddened me so much when I heard of Preacher Samples' passing. He touched so many lives, and will be missed by so many. My prayers go out for Mrs. Viola, and her family. It made my day every day he came into the store where I work to get minnows to go fishing. He was a true man of God. Rest in Peace Preacher Samples.

Debra Davis Palmer - April 30, 2016 at 05:13 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.*



April 30, 2016 at 02:38 PM

JM

“ *Viola & family so sorry for you loss. He was a Godly man leaving behind so many good memories. My Mom Willie McCart always looked forward to Snooks & Viola stopping by on Sunday afternoons for cake & coffee. When I think of Rock Bridge Baptist I think of Rev Snooks & Viola Samples. Jo McHan.*

Jo Mchan - April 30, 2016 at 02:04 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples.*



April 30, 2016 at 01:49 PM



“ *Linda Samples Williams lit a candle in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples*



Linda Samples Williams - April 30, 2016 at 11:57 AM



“ *Viola and Family, We wish we knew what to say to make things better but sometimes words just aren't enough. Many good memories of a good man of God. Our sympathy, warmest thoughts, and prayers are with you now. Tommy and Martha Clack*

Tommy and Martha Clack - April 30, 2016 at 10:51 AM



“ *Viola, we are sorry for your loss. Snooks was our Pastor at Pleasant Grove in Lawrenceville in the late 80's. We have fond memories of you and especially his Holy Kiss. May God give you comfort in this time of sorrow.*

*Love,
Angela & Dwayne Walton*

Dwayne & Angela Walton - April 30, 2016 at 08:39 AM

RP

“ Rev. Robert and Kaye Pruitt purchased the Full O
f Love Bouquet for the family of Rev. A.M.
"Snooks" Samples.



Rev. Robert and Kaye Pruitt - April 29, 2016 at 09:12 PM

ME

“ Michele Edmondson lit a candle in memory of
Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples

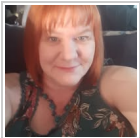


Michele Edmondson - April 29, 2016 at 08:35 PM

NG

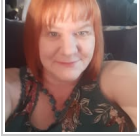
“ I have many good memories of Preacher Samples. He was a good
friend to my dad, Buster Singleton. Our loss is Heaven's gain.

Nancy Gail Singleton Glaze - April 29, 2016 at 05:31 PM



“ we will always have fond memories of rev, samples, god bless the
family

Rhonda Holloway-ermlich - April 29, 2016 at 11:51 AM



“ *Rhonda Holloway-ermlich lit a candle in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples*



Rhonda Holloway-ermlich - April 29, 2016 at 11:50 AM

CM

“ *Camilla Major lit a candle in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples*



camilla major - April 29, 2016 at 10:27 AM

SF

“ *Scott,jody,scotty,sammy Ford lit a candle in memory of Rev. A.M. "Snooks" Samples*



scott,jody,scotty,sammy ford - April 29, 2016 at 10:25 AM

DM

“ *"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints!" Praising God for allowing my life to cross paths with this saint of the Lord!!! Praying for Viola, Ann, Danny and the grandkids!! May you sense the comfort of the Holy Spirit!! Love you guys!!!*



Darlene McDaniel - April 29, 2016 at 09:58 AM

EA

Many memories growing up with Snooks and his family. He is with my dad once again. Viola my thoughts and prayers are with you and Ann and Danny.

Elaine Adkins - April 30, 2016 at 08:59 AM

FB

Preacher was one of the finest men my wife and I had the pleasure of knowing. He will be greatly missed

Frank Bandel - April 30, 2016 at 11:34 AM



*He was a true jewel and loved by all.
Mary Lou Ennis*

Mary Ennis - April 30, 2016 at 02:14 PM

JC

They just don't come any sweeter than my Uncle Snook. I will always remember how he made sure that I knew Jesus first and most importantly. Then He was the one to baptize me and keep loving on me over the years. I will miss him so much. Heaven just keeps getting sweeter. I know he is having fun with his loved ones gone before him now. A true man of God!!!!!!

Joy Cristofanelli - April 30, 2016 at 02:19 PM

FG

Heaven gained another angel loved by all . Doc and Faye Gray

Faye Gray - April 30, 2016 at 03:56 PM