



Joe C. Legg

July 17, 1953 - January 19, 2011

Joe C Legg, 57, of Stone Mountain, passed on from this life on Wednesday, January 19, 2011, in Lawrenceville, GA. His final days were spent in the fellowship of his family and friends.

Joe was born on July 17, 1953 in Birmingham, Alabama, to Ralph and Elette Legg. He is survived by his wife of 37 years: Paula Kay Legg; his son and daughter-in-law: Joseph and Kami Legg; his son, daughter-in-law, and granddaughter: Johnathan, Karen, and Eva Legg; his daughter and son-in-law: Mary and Daniel Cowan; his son: James Legg; his son, Christopher Legg; his brother, sister-in-law, and nephew: Jim, Becky, and Nathan Legg.

Joe graduated from Shades Valley High school in Birmingham, AL, where he was active in athletics. He received a Bachelor of Arts in Religion from Samford University, and also studied at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School in Chicago, IL, and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY.

For over 30 years, he has worked for Mercer Transportation Company, through which he owned an associated agency. His son, Joseph works for him in his home office.

Joe and Kay home-schooled all five of their children, which led to many deep family friendships with neighbors and fellow home-schoolers, especially

through the Master's Academy of Fine Arts and the Artios Academies. His family has attended Grace Fellowship Church for 11 years and have developed friendships there, as well as many long-standing relationships from Northside Community Church, East Gate Congregation, and other church families. Joe was an excellent conversationalist and was always interested in people. He made friends quickly and loved them deeply. He was a life-long learner, always picking up new skills and hobbies, ranging from scrap-booking to gardening, photography, and web design.

A service to honor and celebrate his life will be held on Sunday, January 23, 2011, at 1:30 p.m., at Grace Fellowship Church, 1400 Dogwood Road Snellville, GA 30078.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to any of the following organizations to honor of his memory:

Inter country adoption fund for John and Karen Legg - Joe's son and daughter-in-law are in the process of adopting from Ethiopia. If you desire to honor Joe's life by contributing towards this cause, please make out checks to "Bethany Christian Services" and put in the memo line "John and Karen Legg – adoption fees." You may send checks to Bethany Christian Services, 4008 Barrett Dr., Suite 206, Raleigh, NC 27609. You may read more at <http://leggas ee.wordpress.com/>.

World Relief - a Christian organization for humanitarian relief - www.worldrelief.org/donate - (800) 535-5433

Grace Fellowship Church - a local church body dedicated to reaching Neighbors, the Nations, and the Next Generation - <http://gfc.tv/snellville/give/> - (770) 979-7000

Previous Events

Service

JAN **23**. 1:30 PM (ET)

Grace Fellowship Church
1447 Dogwood Road
Snellville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ Joe C. Legg

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ Dear Kay and Family,
We were so saddened to hear of the untimely death of Joe. We have such sweet memories of Joe, we loved him dearly. We met Joe while he was still a student in Birmingham, part of the youth Group at Philadelphia Baptist. We also remeber a special time of you and a couple of your children visiting us while we lived in Atlanta.
Our love, prayers and hugs,##imported-begin##Bob & Kathleen Powers##imported-end##

January 31, 2011 at 06:08 AM



“ Dear Legg family,
I was so sorry to hear about Mr. Joe, and I mourn his loss with you but I also rejoice in his gain. My memories of Mr. Joe from GGC basketball are all of a man of faith, humor, and encouragement. You are in my prayers.

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January 23, 2011 at 10:40 AM