



Lemuel Jack Benton

July 25, 1934 - January 15, 2016

Lemuel Jack Benton, 81, of Mooresville, passed away on Friday, January 15, 2016. He was born on July 25, 1934 in Charlotte, to the late Glen and Lena Wheeler Benton. Mr. Benton was retired from Celanese Corporation after 29 years of service. He was a long time member of Friendship Baptist Church in Mooresville. Mr. Benton liked working in the yard and watching Westerns. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Juanita "Honey" Cook; and brothers, William Benton and Glen M. Benton, Jr. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Jerlean Gardner Benton; children, Donna Benton, Mark Benton and wife, Pennie, Sharon Watts and husband, Mike; sisters, Mabel Roach, Carol Wilson and husband, Pete; grandchildren, Renae Overcash and husband, Brian, Wesley Newton and wife, Tosha, Chloe Newton and fiancé, Josh Crenshaw, Brittany Watts Hawblitz and husband, William; special gifts from God great grandchildren, Carter Newton, Caiden and Karsynn Hawblitz; honorary children, Patricia and Dewy Braggs and Angie Readling and husband, Gene; and special son, Scottie Clary. A Memorial service will be held at 2:00 PM on Tuesday, January 19 at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Frank M. Henson officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Friendship Baptist Church, 177 Cornelius Rd, Mooresville, NC 28115.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemuel Jack Benton*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Lemuel Jack Benton*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Lemuel Jack Benton*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *To the whole Benton family and everyone who loved Jackie, we send you our deepest sympathies and our love. Roxanne & Michael*

Roxanne Newton - January 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Jesus wept after the death of his friend Lazarus. John 11:35 We weep along with you.*

January 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Donna and Family You Are In My Prayers So Sorry For Your Loss*

Susan Owens - January 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Beyond Honored....My Love for Jack & Jerlean and their Entire Family and their Love for me was always and will always be a part of who I am.. Jack is gone from this earth but he will never be forgot.*

Angie Readling - January 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM