



Jimmy Thompkins

November 18, 1937 - November 25, 2014

Conway...Jimmy Thompkins, age 77, of Timber Ridge Road died Tuesday, November 25, 2014 following an illness.

Mr. Thompkins was born in Conway, a son of the late James B. Thompkins and Marguerite Sarkis Johnson. He attended the Hut Bible Class of First United Methodist Church of Conway. Mr. Thompkins was a former board member of Grand Strand Water and Sewer. He was a member of Conway Masonic Lodge #65, The Peddlers Shrine Unit and Omar Shrine Temple in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. Thompkins was a founding member of the Horry Georgetown Home Builders Association in 1969. Over the years, he has remained an active member, distinguishing himself in numerous ways on the local, state, and national level. He has served Horry County for the last 50 years as a General Contractor. Locally, Mr. Thompkins has held many leadership positions including two terms as president. He has served as a Director of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB) where he has been recognized for his commitment to the building industry. On the state level, Mr. Thompkins has been a Director, Fifth District Vice President, and most recently, he received the Home Builders Association of South Carolina's (HBASC) most prestigious award, the Thomas N. Bagwell 2014 Builder of the Year Award.

The family would like to extend a special "Thank You" to his care givers, Stacy Maxwell and Avis Bellamy.

Surviving are: his wife, Carolyn S. Thompkins of Conway; two sons, Jamie

Thompkins and wife Pam and Billy E. Skipper and wife Angie, all of Conway; one daughter, Jenifer Thompkins of Murrells Inlet; seven grandchildren, Chad Skipper, Elizabeth Skipper, Taylor Thompkins, Jake Thompkins and wife Brea, Jeni Ivey and husband Scott, Jessica Angus and Ryan Angus; one great grandson, Eli Thompkins; one brother, William "Billy" Thompkins and wife Jewel of Lexington, SC.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Saturday from Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel with Rev. Stuart Jacobs officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 12:30 until 2:00 PM Saturday.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544
Conway, SC 29526
(843) 347-4909
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

Tribute Wall

KR

“ *Billy, I'm so very sorry to hear about Jimmy. I didn't find out until last night at daddy's. We had some great times. Please know you all are in my prayers and I love you my friend.*
Karen Skipper Roberts

KAREN S ROBERTS - December 03, 2014 at 07:56 AM

CM

“ *Sorry to hear of Mr. Jimmy's passing. He was a true friend to my father Charlie Mixon as myself. My prayers are with the family's.*
Pastor Charles C. Mixon (Cliff)

cliff mixon - December 01, 2014 at 07:17 AM

BM

“ *Our prayers for Billy Skipper and the entire Thompkins family during this most difficult time . . . may God's love sustain you and give you peace.*
T.V. and Betty Mitchell



Betty & T.V. Mitchell - November 28, 2014 at 09:04 AM

JB

“ *We wish to extend our extreme condolences to Billy Skipper and the entire Thompkins family. Mr. Thompkins was one of those unique and very special individuals that helped to make our world and our community a better place. He will be missed.*
Sincerely,
Century 21 Broadhurst

jamie broadhurst - November 28, 2014 at 08:07 AM

BT

“ From bicycles to our first model A car to selling fish out of the trunk to building the first house, Jimmy was my best friend in life and I will miss him dearly. Although he has gone before me, my memories of our lifetime together will forever be in my heart and my thoughts. I take comfort in knowing that he continues to watch over me as when we were boys.

Billy Thompkins - November 27, 2014 at 09:26 AM

JT

“ Uncle Jimmy will be sincerely missed by all. He loved his family dearly and always told the funniest stories about his lifetime of experiences and adventures. His many accomplishments and awards are a testament to his commitment to his profession. Throughout it all, he touched many people on a personal level and we are all better for knowing him.

Joey Thompkins - November 27, 2014 at 08:46 AM



“ So sorry to hear about Jimmy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Charles and Lisa Parrish

Lisa Parrish - November 26, 2014 at 10:43 PM



“ We are so sorry to hear about our friend,
Jimmy!

*Sending our love to all,
Dorothy, Danny, and family*

Grady Jordan and family



Dorothy Jordan Dunn - November 26, 2014 at 09:56 PM

DR

Praying for comfort and peace from above....only source to seek. My prayers are constant....

Debbie S. Richardson - November 28, 2014 at 05:03 AM

GR

Prayers for the family that the Jesus will comfort you in this time of sorrow-love Harold and Glenna Rogers

Glenna Rogers - November 28, 2014 at 04:07 PM

MB

Carolyn and family, so sorry to hear of Jimmy's passing. Our prayers are with you all. Love, Miriam and Archie Brazier

Miriam Brazier - November 29, 2014 at 05:20 PM