



William Albert Catterton, Jr.

February 4, 2007

Murrells Inlet William A. "Cotton" Catterton, Jr., age 78 of Murrells Inlet formerly of Richmond, VA, departed this life on Sunday, February 4, 2007 after a long and courageous battle with cancer. He was a true fighter and his determination made the ones left behind admiring him; that much more. He was a native of Richmond, VA, who grew up in Church Hill. Mr. Catterton retired from Media General, where he was a painter. He also had a painting company, Cats Painting, where he painted houses all over Richmond and his customers still talk about his great ability to paint a window. His favorite quote was, "It is all in a good brush". Mr. Catterton with his wife moved to Murrells Inlet, thirteen years ago and that is where they made lifelong friends who became more like family, the Glossons, Elmores, Thompsons and the McBees. He was preceded in death by his father, William A. Catterton. Surviving in addition to his mother, Mary K. Catterton of Richmond are his devoted wife, Jacqueline Hankla Catterton; daughter, Debra Welch and her husband, Michael, his "little baby" granddaughter, Hope Luberto and her husband, Andrew; grandson, Ted Welch and the apple of his eyes, great grandsons, Rocco and Jacob Luberto. All of his family and friends will miss his infectious sense of humor and his love of a good joke. Services will be 2:00 PM, Thursday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel.

Tribute Wall



“ Jackie and family, we sure will miss Ole Cotton. He was a very special part of our lives. If there's ever anything we can do for you, please let us know. Thanks for including us as part of your extended family during this time. We consider you family and hope you remember that in the weeks ahead. Love you!###imported-begin###Ted & Becky Glosson###imported-end###

February 09, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Jackie, We are so sorry to hear about Cotton. Thank you for letting us into your family. You have always made us so welcome. You have given us the greatest daughter-in-law we could ever have. You have given us 2 of the cutest grandsons in the world. We know how much Cotton meant to anyone who knew him. We will always love him in a special way. Debbie and Hope, you lost someone very special. Love, Joe and Beth###imported-begin###Joe and Beth###imported-end###

February 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Jackie, We are so very sorry for the loss of Bill. It is a great loss. We loved him very much and will miss seeing him and his smile when we come to the beach. We love you and are praying for you, Debbie, Hope and the rest of the family. Marcus, Jennifer and Cain###imported-begin###Marcus, Jennifer and Cain###imported-end###

February 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ I can see Bill on the porch with a semi-cool breeze blowing enjoying the laughter and hollaring of all the kids on the street playing in the summertime. We will miss you Bill.##imported-begin##Kim and Katie Suther##imported-end##

February 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts are with you.##imported-begin##Dennis Glosson##imported-end##

February 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ I AM SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS . I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER HIM AS HE HELPED ME PAINT THAT OLD HOUSE IN KING WILLIAM. AND THE JOKES HE MADE AS HE CAME INTO RAC FOR PARTS AND THINGS . HE WAS A FINE MAN IT WAS AN HONOR TO KNOW HIM AND CALL HIM A FRIEND .
RAY##imported-begin##RAYMOND HENDERSON##imported-end##

February 06, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Jackie, So sorry to hear that Bill had passed away. Even though I do not get to see you often, when I do, I always enjoy the visits so much. You and Bill were always so fun to be with. Bill was a friend to many and will be greatly missed. Please take care and my prayers and thoughts are with you during this time. Much love, Susan Haigler get the pleasure of visiting you, I##imported-begin##Susan Haigler##imported-end##

February 06, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear about Cotton. Debbie and Jackie, the both of you are in our hearts and prayers. Cotton's jokes and humor will be greatly missed. Love, Denise and Jimmy###imported-begin###Denise and Jimmy Jeter###imported-end###

February 06, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Mrs. Catterton and Debbie, So sorry to hear about Mr. Catterton. He was always full of life and jokes. Wayne said he will always remember how good he could paint a window. You all feel like family to us. We have been friends for so long. I will keep you all in my prayers. I know he is out of his suffering and is up in heaven just painting everything. Love, Brenda and Wayne###imported-begin###Brenda###imported-end###

February 06, 2007 at 12:00 AM