



Arlen McKinnon Sr.

October 1, 1932 - August 28, 2015

Mr. Arlen McKinnon, Sr., age 82, of Willacoochee passed away early Friday morning, August 28, 2015, at his residence following a short illness. He was born October 1, 1932 to the late Monroe McKinnon and the late Mary Jane Carver McKinnon. Mr. McKinnon, a native of Coffee County, was a prominent farmer of the Mora Community. He was a U. S. Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict. He was also preceded in death by 4 Brothers, Edward McKinnon, Andrew McKinnon, Randall McKinnon, and Bobby McKinnon. Survivors include: His Wife: Betty Jowers McKinnon of Willacoochee, Ga.; 1 Son: Arlen McKinnon, Jr. of Willacoochee, Ga.; 1 Daughter: Kathleen Merritt of Willacoochee, Ga.; 2 Brothers: Harvey McKinnon of Douglas, Ga., and Monroe McKinnon, Jr. of Willacoochee, Ga.; 5 Sisters: Willie Mae McKinnon, Louise Maulden, and Florene Phillips, all of Douglas, Ga., Betty Jean Soles of Willacoochee, Ga, and Martha Denton of Broxton, Ga.; 5 Grandchildren: Sarah Hodge of Douglas, Ga., Kayla and Layne Merritt, both of Willacoochee, Ga., Hunter McKinnon of Willacoochee, Ga., and Hailey Courson of Virginia Beach, Virginia. Several Nieces, Nephews, Friends, and Other Relatives. Funeral Services were held Sunday, August 30, 2015, at 3:00 P. M., at the Mora Baptist Church, with Rev. Dennis Harper and Rev. Bobby Fussell officiating. The Interment followed in the Mora Cemetery. Active Pallbearers were: Plenn Moore, Wayne McKinnon, Jeffery McKinnon, Jerry McKinnon, Travis McKinnon, and Terrell Phillips. Honorary Pallbearers were: Harold Harper, Elize Harper, Danny Deese, Larry Benton, Pee Wee Flanders, and

Clinton McKinnon. Special Musical Selections, "I'll Fly Away", and "Amazing Grace" were presented by Derek Soles and Greg Soles, with Jessica Griffin, at the Piano. "Pre-Lude" and "Post-Lude" soft hymns were rendered by the Pianist, Jessica Griffin. Ricketson Funeral Home was in charge of the Arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Mora Baptist Church Cemetery

290 Mora Church Road
Willacoochee, GA 31650

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **29**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home, Inc.
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533
(912) 384-1155
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<https://www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

AUG **30**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Mora Baptist Church
290 Mora Baptist Church Road
Willacoochee, GA 31650

Tribute Wall



“ *Arlen McKinnon Sr.*

November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ *Maudine Wright lit a candle in memory of Arlen McKinnon Sr.*



Maudine Wright - September 18, 2015 at 04:17 PM



“ *The members of Bethel Baptist church share your grief and love your family as our own, may God send Angels to encamp around you during this time, if we can be of any assistance please call 384-4537.*

Glenda - August 29, 2015 at 11:19 AM



“ *I worked the tobacco fields many times with this family. Tears of sadness at your loss cover my face. Thinking of you and praying for you all. Love, Weetsie*

Gloria Wall - August 28, 2015 at 05:50 PM