



## Donald Lanell Bridges

November 22, 1939 - May 21, 2016

Mr. Donald Lanell Bridges, age 76, of Douglas passed away Saturday morning, May 21, 2016, at the Shady Acres Health & Rehabilitation Center, following an extended illness. He was born November 22, 1939 to the late Joseph Jackson "Joe" Bridges and the late Mary Louise Hursey Bridges. Mr. Bridges, a native of Broxton, was a Mobile Home Salesman with 20 Years of Service with Fiesta Homes. He was also preceded in death by 2 Brothers, Larry Bridges and Jack Bridges, and a Half-Brother, Joey Bridges. Mr. Bridges was a Baptist by Faith. Survivors include: His Wife: Sandra Faye Bradford Bridges of Douglas, GA; Daughters: Danielle (Brandon) Patton of Douglas, GA, and Donna Bridges of New Ellenton, South Carolina. 1 Sister: Joann B. Rozar of Douglas, GA; 2 Grandchildren: Austin Patton and Autumn Patton, both of Douglas, GA; Several Nieces, Nephews, Friends and Other Relatives. Memorial Services were held Saturday, May 28, 2016, at 2:00 P.M. at the Chapel of Ricketson Funeral Home with Bishop Britt Peavy officiating. Inurnment will follow at a later date. Special Musical Selections, "Lead Me Home", was presented by Jamey Johnson, "Go Rest High On That Mountain", was presented by Vince Gill, and "When I Get To Where I'm Going", was presented by Brad Paisley. All music was furnished by the artists CD's. "Pre-Lude" and "Post-Lude" soft hymns were presented by CD Music. Ricketson Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Services

MAY 28. 1:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel  
305 West Ward Street  
Douglas, GA 31533

# Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Lanell Bridges*

November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.*



May 27, 2016 at 04:38 PM



“ *William H. McMillan purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.*



**William H. McMillan** - May 27, 2016 at 10:18 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.*



May 26, 2016 at 06:53 PM

KA

“ In loving memory of Donald Bridges. Don was the best brother-in-law anyone could ever have asked for, I got lucky. He was the most loving, compassionate human being I've had the pleasure to be around. He was a loving hush and, father, and grandfather. I will love you always. You will be greatly missed.  
Sincerely your loving sister-in-law  
Kaye Bradford



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**kayeb Bradford** - May 26, 2016 at 11:44 AM

BR

“ So sorry to hear this today. We were blessed to have met him at Shady Acres. He was such a sweet man! Nana Peavy, Jae Jae and I will miss him. Faye, we will continue to pray for peace and comfort for you and Kaye and the rest of your family! Love and prayers always! Brenda Royals

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**Brenda Royals** - May 25, 2016 at 09:49 PM

WG

“ Wanda Shook Grantham lit a candle in memory of Donald Lanell Bridges



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**wanda shook grantham** - May 25, 2016 at 09:38 PM

LM

“ *Love, Miss Melissa purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.*



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**Love, Miss Melissa** - May 25, 2016 at 06:41 PM

AH

“ *So sorry to hear this. Prayers for the family.*



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**Al & Frances Hobby** - May 25, 2016 at 12:15 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.*



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May 25, 2016 at 06:36 AM

ME

“ *I am so sorry to learn of Mr Bridges' passing. Prayers of comfort and peace for the family. Much love to Danielle, Autumn, & Austin. Love Always, Miss Melissa*

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**Melissa** - May 24, 2016 at 09:00 PM

TB

“ We are so sorry to hear of Mr. Don's passing. Our prayers are with you and your family. We will miss seeing him at Shady Acres. Thank you Sandra for always visiting with my mother Elsie Taylor. That means the world to us. God Bless you and strengthen you in the days ahead.

*Teresa and George Burke*

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**Teresa and George Burke** - May 24, 2016 at 11:00 AM

KE

“ Donna & Family,  
All our love, thoughts and prayers are with your family.

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**Kenneth, Estelle, Mark, Michelle & Steve Ellis** - May 24, 2016 at 07:44 AM



“ He was the strongest, most determined person I ever knew. We've seen him be completely down from the hospital and in a week he's out walking around the block,AMAZING! He was a good man who loved his family and took care of them. He was blessed by a family who lived him, and friends who loved him!!! He will be missed by all, love you Don!!!

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**Jean Carol Davis** - May 24, 2016 at 07:30 AM

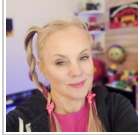
TT

“ Praying for the family of Mr.Bridges ❤️



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**Timothy J. Tucker** - May 23, 2016 at 09:07 PM



“ *Jamie Crawford purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.*



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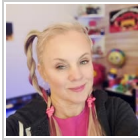
**Jamie Crawford** - May 23, 2016 at 05:36 PM

MR

“ *Sandra and family,  
I am saddened to read of Don's passing.  
Marlene King Richards*

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**Marlene King Richards** - May 23, 2016 at 04:47 PM



“ *Farewell, Uncle Don. We would all be lucky to have your strength.  
Love, Jamie*

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**Jamie Crawford** - May 23, 2016 at 03:26 PM

SS

“ *Just heard of Mr. Don's passing and wanted to let you know I am  
praying for you. I will miss seeing you and your sister at the nursing  
home. You both were always so kind and sweet to me and Mom.  
God bless you in this time of loss. - Sylvia Stone*

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**Sylvia Stone** - May 23, 2016 at 02:20 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donald Lanell Bridges.* ”



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May 22, 2016 at 09:36 PM