



## Henry Brooks Merritt Jr.

September 14, 1934 - July 13, 2021

Mr. Henry Brooks Merritt, Jr. age 86 of Nicholls, GA, passed away early Tuesday morning, July 13, 2021, at Vista Park Health and Rehab following an extended illness. Mr. Merritt was born September 14, 1934 to the late Henry Brooks Merritt, Sr. and the late Reba Hutchinson Merritt Davis. Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Jordan Merritt and a brother, James Herman Merritt.

Survivors include:

3 Children: W. B. Merritt and wife Kathy of Douglas, GA  
Kathy Jennings and companion Curt Woodard of Omega, GA  
Judy Self and companion Vernon Floyd of Douglas, GA

3 Step-Children: Jimmy Foster and wife Linda of Tampa, FL  
Cle Foster and wife Jerri of Brandon, FL  
Mary Callie Shipman and husband Frank of Ocala, FL

1 Brother: Aubrey Joe Merritt and wife Betty Sue of Douglas, GA

1 Sister: Sue Deems and husband Dinky of Douglas, GA

1 Sister-in-Law: Laverne Merritt of Waycross, GA

6 Grandchildren: Scott Merritt and Wife Victoria of Nicholls, GA  
Casey Stewart and husband Blake of Douglas, GA  
Cortney Merritt and husband Brad of Douglas, GA  
Tyler Dubberly of Tifton, GA  
Shane and wife Winnie Jennings of Cleveland, TN  
Shawn and wife Ansley Jennings of Douglas, GA

14 Great Grand Children

Several Nieces and Nephews, Cousins and Friends

The memorial service will be Thursday evening at 6:00 PM at Chapel of Ricketson Funeral Home with Rev. Rick Darby officiating.

Ricketson Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUL 15. 6:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Henry Brooks Merritt Jr.*

November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ *Sue and Dinky so sorry to hear of your loss. My condolences, prayer and love to all of y'all. Bo Lott.*



**Bo Barbara Lott** - August 15, 2021 at 11:38 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss. We all thought highly of Mr. H. B. We know he will be truly missed. We are praying for the family. David & Joan Taylor*



**Joan Taylor** - July 15, 2021 at 12:31 PM



“ *Tommy And Lynn Harrell lit a candle in memory of Henry Brooks Merritt Jr.*



**Tommy and Lynn Harrell** - July 15, 2021 at 10:46 AM

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“ Sorry for your loss.



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**Bonnie Amerson Dorminey** - July 14, 2021 at 04:14 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss.

*Jean Lewis*

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**Jean Lewis** - July 13, 2021 at 08:16 PM

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“ So sorry to hear of Mr. HB passing. We always enjoyed seeing him come to church. He has been missed since he has been unable to attend. I know he will surely be missed by all. Loved him

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**Lila Jo Anderson** - July 13, 2021 at 03:57 PM