



## Mr. Jack Donald Garris Sr

January 6, 1935 - September 5, 2025

Jack Donald Garris Sr. passed away peacefully at his home on September 4, 2025 surrounded by his family.

He was born on January 6, 1935 to the late Edna and Robert Garris. He lived his childhood life in Leroy Alabama

where he attended Leroy High School and after graduation he joined the United States Air Force. In 1957 he

married the love of his life Shelby Jean Wilkerson and together they raised 3 children, Jack Donald Garris Jr;

Karen Austin; and John Alan Garris. Jack loved all sports especially baseball and enjoyed coaching girls

softball for many years. He is preceded in death by his wife Shelby Jean Garris; a son Jack Donald Garris Jr;.

three sisters Shirley Garris Coxwell; Cornelia Garris Fuller; Nina Garris McKey; and one brother Joe Garris.

He is survived by his son John Alan (Darlene) Garris and daughter Karen Austin, seven grandchildren, Craig Austin,

Nicole Garris, Steven Garris, Eric Garris, Jeremy Williams, Mitchell Williams, Amber Moye, ten Great Grandchildren

and many other family and friends

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **12.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Cottage Hill Memorial Funeral Home  
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## Memorial Service and Celebration of Life

SEP **12.** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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