



Conrad Joe Masters

August 4, 1933 - July 21, 2015

Conrad Joe Masters, 81, widower of Gennell Runion Masters, died July 21, 2015 at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

A native of Greenville County, son of the late Coleman Livingston and Edna Brumley Masters, he was a U.S. Navy Veteran of the Korean War, a member of Greer First Baptist Church, Bailey Masonic Lodge #146, and the Hejaz Shrine. He was a funeral director and embalmer with The Wood Mortuary for 67 years.

Surviving are a son, Joel Masters (Kim) of Cayce; a daughter, Debbie Teague (Don) of Greer; a brother, Coley Masters (Ila) of Greer; a sister, Margie Walker of Lyman; and three grandchildren, Rachel Robinson (BJ), Joshua Teague and James Masters.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Friday at The Wood Mortuary, conducted by Dr. Rick Ezell and Dottie Bryson. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be the staff of The Wood Mortuary.

Honorary escort will be the Willing Workers Sunday School Class and the staff and spouses of The Wood Mortuary.

Visitation will be held 7:00-9:00 p.m. Thursday at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Greer First Baptist Church, 202 W. Poinsett St., Greer, SC 29650 or Greer Community Ministries, P.O. Box 1373, Greer, SC 29652.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road
Duncan, SC 29334

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 23. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
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Service

JUL 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL
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Tribute Wall

RG

“ Ronda Gibson lit a candle in memory of Conrad Joe Masters



Ronda Gibson - July 25, 2015 at 10:24 PM

RG

“ Ronda Gibson sent a virtual gift in memory of Conrad Joe Masters



Ronda Gibson - July 25, 2015 at 10:24 PM

TM

“ In Loving Memory of Joe Masters, from all "The Troops" at The Wood Mortuary.



The Wood Mortuary - July 25, 2015 at 03:03 PM

PH

“ Sorry to hear of the passing of Joe. He was a special person and we were happy to know both he and Genelle. He was always so friendly whenever we visited Woods.

Pat & Ernie Holbert

Patsy B Holbert - July 24, 2015 at 04:04 PM

DT

“ Joe was loved and will be missed by so many. He was the best.

Don & Lois Turner

Don & Lois Turner - July 23, 2015 at 04:10 PM

SB

“ My family always loved seeing and talking with Joe. He was such a precious man. That big smile always made us feel good. He will be missed by so many. We enjoyed seeing he and Josh together and my mother thought the world of both. We greatly appreciated them helping during mother's funeral. Our prayers continue to be with you during this time.

Sandy Brannon

Sandy Brannon - July 23, 2015 at 02:25 PM

ST

“ Every time that I would call on Greg and Tom for business, there sat "Mr. Joe" in the big chair near the window. He never failed to say hi and I always gave him a hug and a kiss. I miss him but know that he is with your mother praising The Lord.

Suzanne Jenkins Traenkle

Suzanne Traenkle - July 22, 2015 at 07:52 PM

BG

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with Joe's family. Joe & I have been friends since high school. Deepest sympathies, Bob Greer*



Bob Greer - July 22, 2015 at 06:48 PM

AJ

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Joe was such a help when he conducted my husbands funeral. He was a very compassionate person. He will be greatly missed in the community.*



Azalee Jones - July 22, 2015 at 04:04 PM

RS

“ *Joyce and I were saddened when we heard about Joe's death. He was a good friend from the 22 years that we lived in Greer. Please know that our thoughts and prayers will be with the family.*

Richard and Joyce Strawhorn - July 22, 2015 at 03:19 PM

AP

“ *I always looked for Joe any time I visited Wood. We will also miss him at the Taylors School breakfast. My thoughts and prays are with the family.*

Arnold Pace

Arnold Pace - July 22, 2015 at 01:24 PM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Conrad Joe Masters.*



July 22, 2015 at 12:26 PM



“ *Joe Masters was a good friend to our family, the Wilsons from Taylors. He helped us through tough times and took great care of our loved ones.*

Just know you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Royce Steele Cook

Tavares ,Florida

Royce Steele Cook - July 22, 2015 at 11:37 AM



“ *I was so sad to hear of the passing of Mr. Masters. He was one of the sweetest people I have ever known.. When I saw him around Greer, he always greeted me with a hug and he never called me by my name, he always called me "Dr. Woodruff." I will miss him. He was a fine gentleman who loved his family and the people in and around Greer. I will never forget him. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Mary Susan Woodruff Pearson

Mary Susan Woodruff Pearson - July 22, 2015 at 09:26 AM

MC

“ I remember seeing Mr. Masters on many occasions as I visited The Wood Mortuary on sales calls. He was always pleasant and we spoke many times. I know he is missed already.

Michael Craig - July 22, 2015 at 09:14 AM

JW

“ The passing of Joe Masters is like losing someone from my own family. Not only was Joe a lifelong friend but always someone to offer kind words and deeds during times of grief in our family. So many memories of him through the years. May God bless the entire Masters Family and many thanks to God for everything Joe Masters did for mankind.

Jim Wilson

Jim Wilson - July 22, 2015 at 08:52 AM

AH

“ Joe will be greatly miss by so many of us. May God give all of Joe's children peace by remembering the good times you had with . In Christian love Ann Henson

Ann Henson - July 21, 2015 at 09:04 PM

WG

“ Greer has lost a great person who loved people and was loved in return. We will miss his cheerful greeting and interest in our lives where he worked for 67 years -- a real compliment to both parties.

Wayne & Mae Beth Cox, Greenville - July 21, 2015 at 06:10 PM

JJ

“ This fine gentleman will be sorely missed. Always so compassionate to those of us coming in to Wood Mortuary.

Jan Chasteen James - July 21, 2015 at 04:57 PM

AG

“ Angie Gravley lit a candle in memory of Conrad Joe Masters



angie gravley - July 21, 2015 at 03:42 PM

LA

“ We extend our sympathy to each of you in the death of your loved one. Joe was a favorite friend. Cliatt and Liz Alewine

Liz Alewine - July 21, 2015 at 03:39 PM

DG

“ Wow....So many memories. Most of the folks will say all the adjectives there are for kind- hearted and jovial....Dedicated comes to mind. Dedicated to God first, then family, then Wood Mortuary and the community...He would put himself far, far down the totem pole. He loved babies and children, He loved his wife, his children and grands....He loved his name. He loved his country and he loved the country. He was selfless. He loved his Masters family and he loved the Runions. I admired the gentle way he took care of my grandmother. He was married to and adored my mom's baby sister and yet, he was also related to me though the Gravley side as my Great Aunt Camey was married to his relative, Thomas Masters. Sing Angels Sing. Conrad Joe is in the House

Dana Gravley - July 21, 2015 at 03:22 PM

HS

We have lost a GREAT FUNERAL DIRECTOR. THE BEST. A great friend to many.

Haskell Scott - July 22, 2015 at 09:06 PM

CG

Debbie and Joel. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family on the loss of your Dad. He will be remembered for his kind heart, strong hugs and big smile. May you find strength during this time.
Carol Fiske Green

Carol Green - July 23, 2015 at 03:03 PM

NS

So sorry to learn of Joe's passing ... he was a very special and caring man. I knew Genelle and Joe from Liberty Life and it was always a pleasure seeing him. MISS THEM BOTH. Nancy Smith

Nancy Smith - July 25, 2015 at 10:53 AM