



John "Jack" Alvin Messer III

October 10, 1941 - December 11, 2021

John "Jack" Alvin Messer, III, 80, passed away December 11, 2021.

A native of Galax, Virginia, he was a son of the late John Alvin, Jr. and Winifred Nuckolls Messer; a retired owner of Messer Mirror Corporation and a member of Christian Assembly of God.

Surviving are his wife, Barbara Powell Messer of the home; one son, John Alvin Messer, IV, of Simpsonville; one daughter, Ashley Messer Wilson of Greenville, one step-son, Shawn P. O'Brien of Taylors; one brother, Alan "Boo" Matthew Messer and his wife, Jill; sister-in-law, Wanda Messer and six grandchildren, Lance, Dallas, Morgan Sweatt and Dillon, Luke and Samuel O'Brien.

He was also predeceased by one brother, Doug Messer.

--Visitation will be held 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Monday, December 13, 2021, at The Wood Mortuary, Inc.

--Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 14, 2021, at Christian Assembly Upstate, 2416 Wade Hampton Blvd., Greenville, SC 29615, conducted by Rev. Mark White. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Memorial Park.

The family respectfully requests memorials be made to The Gideons International Processing Center, P.O. Box 97251, Washington, DC 20090-7251 or Christian Assembly Upstate, 2416 Wade Hampton Blvd., Greenville, SC 29615.

The family is at their respective homes.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

1 Pine Knoll Drive
Greenville, SC 29609

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

DEC 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

Christian Assembly Upstate
2416 Wade Hampton Blvd.
Greenville, SC 29615

Tribute Wall

YV

“ He walked me down the aisle at Christian Assembly to have a church wedding for my 15th anniversary.. He was a real blessing, very soft spoken but very witty. He will be missed.

Yvonne - December 14, 2021 at 06:42 PM

RO

Jack was a wonderful guy. I just learned of his passing. He will be surely missed.
Rachel O'Kelley

Rachel O'Kelley - June 15, 2022 at 07:32 PM

BS

“ Through the years I have had numerous conversations with Jack. Such a kind hearted man who loved his family and friends. Great being neighbors the past 16 years. You will be missed.

Brad Streetman - December 14, 2021 at 06:17 PM

BP

“ Our Deepest sympathy and prayers for Barbara, Shawn, and the rest of the family. Barry and Donna Pyeatt

Barry Pyeatt - December 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM

AP

“ BARBARA, ASHLEY, JOHN, SHAWN AND ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF JACK'S FAMILY LOUIS (PITT) AND SEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY.. WE SHARE IN YOUR LOSS.

LOUIS AND ANNE PITTMAN

ANNE PITTMAN - December 14, 2021 at 12:57 AM

AP

“ Jack was a long time dear dear friend. I have some really great special memories of this unforgettable , sweet man. Hundreds of hours debating and discussing a million different things. I will Miss YOU JACK. YOU MADE MY WORLD SO MUCH BETTER!!!



Love You... Anne Pittman

Anne Pittman - December 14, 2021 at 12:31 AM

TM

“ My sympathy

*Tom Marchant
Pawleys Island
(Formerly of Greenville)*

Tom Marchant - December 13, 2021 at 07:01 AM

AW

“ 3 files added to the album Jack



Ashley Wilson - December 12, 2021 at 05:50 PM

CC

HE WILL BE MISSED BY HIS CHURCH FAMILY AT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY UPSTATE WADE HAMPTON GREENVILLE SOUTH CAROLINA

CEDRIC D COX - December 13, 2021 at 11:33 AM

MN

Jack was a sweetheart! He always spoke so nicely to me. In the past 2 or 4 years. He would call and chat with me about 2 or 3 times a year and I always enjoyed our conversations. I was married to his 1st cousin. We went to his SMA graduation. I watched him grow into a handsome man. My sympathy goes out to his entire family. His brother. His wife Barbara, his children and grandchildren. I will miss his calls.
Mariah Nunn

Mariah Nunn - January 01, 2022 at 12:04 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of John "Jack" Alvin Messer III.*



December 12, 2021 at 03:39 PM