



Louis Gardner Green

July 13, 1930 - August 12, 2010

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Dateline: Greenville

Louis Gardner Green passed away Thursday, August 12, 2010.

His parents, Benjamin Ryan Tillman Green and Margaret Montgomery Miller Green, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his brother, Benjamin Ryan Tillman Green, Jr.; two sisters, Doris Margaret Green and Polly Green McElrath, all of Greer, South Carolina; two nieces, Susan McElrath Burch (Walter) of Greer, and Dr. Julie McElrath-Stuart (Kenneth) of Seattle, Washington; great nephews, Benjamin Montgomery Stuart of Seattle; and Walter McGhee Burch, Jr. (Hunter) of Florence, South Carolina; great niece, Cameron Burch Oswald (Edward) of Mount Pleasant, South Carolina; great-great-niece, Sarah Cameron Oswald of Mount Pleasant, South Carolina; and great-great nephews, Walter McGhee Burch III of Florence, South Carolina and William Edward Oswald of Mount Pleasant, South Carolina.

Louis was a member of the First Baptist Church of Greer, South Carolina.

Louis received his B.A. from Furman University and his M.A. degree from the University of South Carolina where he was a member of Kappa Alpha Order Fraternity, and was a member of the Poinsett Club of Greenville, S.C. He completed a tour of duty in the service in Tokyo, Japan. Louis was also a member of the New Orleans Country Club and the New Orleans Symphony Board of directors.

He began his business career with Liberty Corporation in Greenville, SC, and moved to Birmingham, Alabama where he joined Protective Life Corporation. He moved to New Orleans, Louisiana where he became a partner in the antique business, and later retired to the Reno-Lake Tahoe, Nevada area, and later returned to Greenville, South Carolina.

Funeral service, a "Celebration of his Life" will be held 4:00 p.m. Sunday, August 15, 2010 at the Chapel of The Wood Mortuary, Greer, South Carolina, conducted by Rev. Wayne Cole. Interment will be in Mountain View Cemetery, Greer, South Carolina.

The family will receive friends on Sunday prior to the service from 2:30 until 4:00 p.m. at the Wood Mortuary.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Previous Events

Service

AUG 15. 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ please accept our condolences for our dear friend Louis. He was our neighbor in Reno, Nev. We loved him very much. I will always regret not meeting him sooner. He was such an intelligent man. We just loved the conversations we had with him. When ever I hear the words "Southern Gentleman" I think of Louis Green. We will miss him always.##imported-begin##Frank and Miss Mo Trigero##imported-end##

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“ Our sympathy goes out to all of you in your loss of Louis. We loved Louis and we know you will miss him.##imported-begin##Leslie & Betty Longshore##imported-end##

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“ May God Bless all of the Green family. I had the pleasure of knowing Louis for a short time while he was in Reno. Our office staff at Peak Physical Therapy were very sad to see Mr. Louis leave and return to SC. He always brightened our day and left us laughing and looking forward to his next visit. Once you met Louis, you could never forget him. He will be fondly missed.

Stephanie Paulk##imported-begin##Stephanie Paulk##imported-end##

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“ To the Green Family & Joe,

I am very sad to hear about your loss. You and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless you and be with you during this time of sorrow.

With Greatest Sympathy,

Shelly Cobb##imported-begin##Shelly Cobb##imported-end##

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“ My prayers are with you at this time.

I remember all of your family and the good times we had when we were growing up. God bless you and keep you! Jean Davis, Greensboro, NC.##imported-begin##Jean Garrett Davis##imported-end##

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