



Tom Brown

February 2, 1944 - October 6, 2012

Thomas Roland Brown, 68, of 109 Beth Street, died Saturday, October 6, 2012.

A native of Spartanburg County, he was a son of the late Vernon W. and Tommie Armstrong Brown, a retired employee of Bell South after forty-six years of service.

Surviving are his wife, Jane D. Brown of the home; four sons, Tommy Brown of Greer, Morgan Wayne Parnell of Houston, TX, Bryan Lamont Parnell of Lake City, FL, and Kenny Parnell of Humble, TX; a brother, Allen Brown of Spartanburg; a sister, Carol Faulkner of Spartanburg; and four grandchildren, Gage Hammett-Brown, Kenny Parnell, Kadence Parnell, and David Parnell. He was predeceased by two sisters, Sheri Brown and Sandra Phillips.

A memorial service will be held 5:00 p.m. Wednesday at The Wood Mortuary Chapel.

Visitation will be held 3:30 until 4:45 p.m. Wednesday at the mortuary.

The family is at home of the brother-in-law, Jay Deiwert, 213 Shadecrest Dr., Maudlin, SC 29662.

Memorials may be made to The University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, P.O. Box 4486, Houston, TX 77210-4486.

Previous Events

Service

OCT **10**. 5:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL

300 West Poinsett Street

Greer, SC 29650

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Tribute Wall



“ So sad to hear of Tom's passing. He will be missed. May God bless his soul.##imported-begin##Jeanne Stokes Ramsey##imported-end##

October 15, 2012 at 09:08 PM



“ To the Brown Family,
My deepest sympathy to you in your loss. I knew Tom when I worked at Belton Drive in Spartanburg with the company. My prayers are with you.
In Christ,
Delores J. Morgan##imported-begin##Delores Morgan##imported-end##

October 12, 2012 at 12:04 AM



“ Dear Allen and Carol,,
I am so very sorry about your tragic loss. Tom was a gentle, kind man, and I know that you will miss him terribly. I will think of him fondly always. You are both in my prayers and I will be thinking of you during this time of mourning.
Bless you, Marilyn##imported-begin##Marilyn Moyer Burtnett##imported-end##

October 11, 2012 at 09:27 PM



“ Carol, bobby and I were so sad to hear about Tom. I know you will miss him and this must be a tough time for you, and I didn't know about your sister, Sherry, too. My prayers are with you. Also, our condolences to Allen and Tom's wife and family. Sincerely, Joyce Turner###imported-begin###Joyce turner###imported-end##

October 10, 2012 at 08:48 PM



“ We were sorry to hear of Tom's passing. We bowled with Tom and he was an amazing person who gave you a reason to laugh or smile with his stories. He had a charisma about him. We thought alot of Tom and he will be deeply missed. Our thoughts go out to the family and may God's grace strengthened you during this difficult time.###imported-begin###David, Mandy, & Logan Chappell###imported-end##

October 10, 2012 at 05:08 PM



“ My deepest sympathy for your family at this time. Tom was always such a helpful & nice neighbor to my whole family. He will be deeply missed.###imported-begin###Sherry Jenkins (Edwards)###imported-end##

October 10, 2012 at 03:03 PM



“ We were so sorry to hear of Toms death. He was always so nice and happy you couldn't help but get into a better mood and have something he said make you smile. We will be thinking of your family and hoping your pain eases soon. Take care of yourselves.##imported-begin##Janice & Keith Barwick##imported-end##

October 10, 2012 at 12:26 PM



“ Jane and Family: Sorry about the lost of your husband. My prayers are with you. May God bless you and your family. Carol McBeth##imported-begin##Carol McBeth##imported-end##

October 09, 2012 at 10:46 PM



“ Dear Brown Family, Was so sorry to hear off Tom's passing. Our thoughts and prayers will be with the family. May FGod Bless. Doug Wilson##imported-begin##Doug Wilson, Mauldin, SC##imported-end##

October 09, 2012 at 06:57 PM



“ Dear Jane, Tommy, Allen & Carol -I just heard this morning of Tom's passing. I am so sorry to hear this sad news and please know that my heartfelt sympathies are with you. He was a genuinely sweet man and so much fun as an uncle. My happiest memories of all those summers spent in Spartanburg as a kid are those waterskiing trips with Tom. I will always remember his smile and his kind way. He will be missed. Love Susan##imported-begin##Susan Moyer Chernew##imported-end##

October 09, 2012 at 11:39 AM



“ Jane and sons,
I cannot imagine how this loss has affected all of you, Tom was one of the most loved people I have ever known, Please know that the telephone family will be there for all of you during this most difficult time. Prayers are for this family as the days to come will be hard.
Marsha Wingo-Brown###imported-begin##Marsha Wingo-Brown###imported-end##

October 08, 2012 at 05:38 PM



“ Carol:
I'm so very sorry about Tom. We all used to have such a good time together when we were young. Please know you & your family are all in my thoughts & prayers. Don't hesitate to contact me.

Love,

Jo###imported-begin##Jo Johnson Baldwin###imported-end##

October 08, 2012 at 11:32 AM



“ I share your loss for Tom. He was a character of his own creation who could always make you laugh with one of his tales. He will be missed by all of us that shared time with him working at Ma Bell.###imported-begin##Richard G. Debus III###imported-end##

October 08, 2012 at 10:08 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to the entire family for your loss. I remember the first day Tommy reported for work in Spartanburg. He was smiling way back then and still was the last time I saw him about 2 months ago. Tommy allowed time to enjoy his life and may he rest in peace hereafter.##imported-begin##Jim Amick##imported-end##

October 08, 2012 at 09:41 AM



“ Dear Family,

I worked with Tom at Southern Bell and BellSouth in the 1970's-1980's, when I worked in Spartanburg. He was always happy, and I loved the stories he would tell during lunch and breaks. He was such a nice man. My deepest sympathy to you all.##imported-begin##Pam Henderson Gurule##imported-end##

October 08, 2012 at 09:10 AM