



John Wesley Maxwell

November 23, 1932 - November 16, 2012

Born November 23, 1932, to Ruby Turney and Durward Maxwell, Johnny graduated from Cotaco High School in 1952. He is survived by his wife, Jo Nell Williams Maxwell, whom he married 55 years ago, upon return from his Army service in Germany. Jo Nell and Johnny have one child, Tambria Maxwell Biasco of Fleming Island, FL. Tami's family includes husband Tom, son Max, daughters Aubrey and Brandy, Aubrey's husband Andrew, and their two children Aayden and Ali. Jo Nell and Johnny had recently moved to Florida to be with Tami and her family.

Johnny worked for Monsanto in Decatur and Guntersville most of his life, later moving to Texas with Monsanto's Oil Division in 1981. He worked for BHP Billiton in the oil fields of North Dakota just before retiring back home in Morgan County in 1988.

Johnny once said -- "after 50-plus years, it's hard to remember who's blood family and who's in-laws." Having said that, his surviving siblings include:

June Maxwell, Joe Ramey Maxwell, Mary Lane Maxwell Jones, Evie and John Campbell, Peg and Dick Biles, Sue and Jimmy Johnson, Linda Whisenant; and dear friends, Sally and J. D. Williams, and Gene and Maxell Chandler. He was preceded in death by Jimmy Maurice and Sammie Blakeway Williams, D.D. Maxwell, Joyce Maxwell, Gene Whisenant, and Johnny Kay Maxwell.

On Friday, what would have been his 80th birthday, Johnny Maxwell's service will be led by Pastor Barry Sempsrott and Lonnie Williams at Grace River

Community Church on Cleveland Avenue in Decatur. Visitation will begin at 10:00 a.m. with service at 11:00 a.m. Interment will be in Antioch Methodist Church Cemetery in Somerville at 12:15 p.m. Pallbearers will be Steve, Roman, Shayne, and Brett Maxwell, Greg Jones, and Joel Hannah. Rest in Peace honorary pallbearer - Chris Jones.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you support Grace River Community Church or Antioch Methodist Church with your memorial contributions.

All friends and family, please join us for a "Celebration of Johnny's Life" lunch at the Antioch Church Hall at 12:30 p.m. Barbeque will be provided; please bring a side dish or dessert, along with your memories of Johnny to share with all!

Tribute Wall

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“ My heart goes out to the Maxwell Family and friends. The Bible God's Holy Inspired word gives us comfort that soon he will wipe the TEARS FROM ALL faces of all people in the new system of things. Revelation 21:3,4 Says JEHOVAH GOD WILL ERADICATE DEATH. Jesus Christ God's only-begotten son said the same at John 5:28,29 that All those in the memorial tombs will be resurrected back to life on a paradise earth. I hope this helped you to see that death is an enemy and JEHOVAH GOD THRU HIS SON JESUS CHRIST WILL SOON END NOT ONLY DEATH BUT ALL CRIME AND SUFFERING VERY SOON.



Valerie Brannon - November 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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Tambria Biasco - November 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM