



## Forest E. "Buddy" Steverson

July 7, 1939 - October 20, 2009

Ripley, Mississippi---Mr. Forest E. "Buddy" Steverson, Jr. 70, died Tuesday October 20, 2009 at Baptist Memorial Hospital North Mississippi in Oxford, MS. Buddy was born in Starkville, MS to F.E. and Willie Maude Gregg Steverson on July 17, 1939.

He was a member of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church of Ripley and a member of the Ripley Masonic Lodge where he was a 32nd degree Mason. He was a graduate of Mississippi State University and was a avid MS State Fan, beloved husband, father, and grandfather.

Survivors include his wife of 47 years: Barbara Faulkner Steverson, one son W. Gregg Steverson and wife, Audra and their son, Joshua Eli, Horn Lake, MS, a daughter, Stacey Lynn Steverson and her son Forrest Alexander "Alex" Steverson, Ripley, MS: A brother, Wayne G. Steverson and wife, Deborah, Ripley, MS and a sister, Pat Ethridge and husband, Billy Wayne of Collinsville, MS.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, one sister, Bessie Joy Langston and an infant brother.

To send flowers to the family of Forest "Buddy" Steverson, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Forest E. "Buddy" Steverson*

October 05, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during your time of sorrow.  
Carrie Patzius, Ryan and Erika Richardson*

**Carrie Patzius** - October 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm very sorry for your Loss. Please know you are in my Prayers.*

**Carolyn Akins** - October 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Barbara, Bobby and I were saddened to hear of Buddy's passing. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

**Musa and Bobby Ferguson** - October 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Wayne,*

*Bess and I are sorry for the loss of Buddy and wish you comfort at this time of your loss.*

*Sincerely,*

*Melvin*

**Melvin and Bess Stacy** - October 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Barbara & family, we are so sorry to hear about the loss of Buddy. Tippah County just lost one of the friendliest & nicest men it has ever had. He never met a stranger & always made friends with everybody he came in contact with. He could always get your spirits up no matter how low his were. He never had a harsh word for anybody. May God bless you & your family & get you through this trying time.

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**Milton & Cindy Bates** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EH

“ ED and I were so sorry to hear about Buddy's death. It seems from what we have heard that he put up a valiant fight which was not unlike him. Ed has always referred to Buddy as one of the nicest guys he knew and loved playing football next to him during those fun high school days. We send our deepest sympathies to you and your family. He had a lot of good friends who will miss him through fond memories.

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**ED and PITY HENDLEY** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ Barbara, I am so sorry about the loss of Buddy, he was such a friendly outgoing person, he will be missed by all, but especially by you & your family. Love you, Tina

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**Tina Richardson** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ *Ms. Barbara & Family,  
I am sorry to hear about Mr. Buddy. He was such a good person  
and always had a smile for you. He was always a lot of fun at "Fat  
Boys" and always remembered to call me "Butterbean" so everyone  
could hear him. He will be missed. You and your family are in my  
prayers.*  
*Monica Green*

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**Monica Green** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Barbara and Stacey,  
You are in our Prayers. Your family is very special to us.  
JD, Beverly, Trey and Madeline Hankins*

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**Beverly Hankins** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ *Barbara, my dear friend, I am so sorry for the loss of Buddy, he was  
one of a kind and will be missed by many. He always left me with a  
smile no matter what mood I was in before his visit to the paper. I  
love you and will pray for the family.*

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**Renee Johnson** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Stacey and family.. so very sorry for your loss... you guys will be in  
my thoughts and prayers.*  
*Love in Christ*  
*Jamie Simpson*

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**Jamie Simpson** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ *My prayers and thoughts are with all of you. Mr. Buddy was a very kind man.*

*Kimmi Ruff and Hannah Ruff*

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**Kimmi Moore Ruff** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *A good friend. I've enjoyed his visits when he called on city hall for printing supplies. He was always very nice. Colleen Weeks*

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**Colleen Weeks, Town Clerk of Falkner** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ *To the Steverson family:  
I am so sorry for the loss that you are facing, words alone can't express the sympathy. Buddy was loved by so many and, made a great impact in so many people's life. He always made sure that you had a smile on your face. He will surely be missed. God bless you all.*

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**Lorie Gay-Null** - October 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM