



John Franklin Melton

July 12, 1933 - August 22, 2016

Melton, John Franklin, age 83, of Chelsea, passed away on August 22, 2016. The funeral service will be held at 10:00 a.m., Thursday, August 25, 2016 at Liberty Baptist Church in Chelsea with Bro. Tim Cox and Bro. Wayne Honeycutt officiating. Visitation will be from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., at the church. Burial will follow in Harpersville City Cemetery. Bolton Funeral Home is directing.

He served in the Air Force during the Korean War. He was a deacon of Liberty Baptist Church. He coached little league baseball and football for the Chelsea Youth Club for years. He was a devoted Christian and family man.

Mr. Melton is preceded in death by his parents: John Thomas Melton and Buna Melton McEwen; and a sister: Clara Melton McGaughy. He is survived by his wife: Sarah Hoyle Melton; daughters: Lona M. Evans (Greg), Beverly M. Lewis (Jerry), Celeste M. Goodall (Buddy); son: Jason Blaine Melton; grandchildren: Zachary Michael Evans, Holly Lynn Lyons (Chris), David Scott Jones, Emily Lane Goodall, Albert Gordon Goodall IV; great grandchildren: Harper Lynn Lyons and Hayden Grace Lyons; sister: Glenda Melton Chambless (Jimmy), and numerous other nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Please sign online condolences at www.boltonfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Harpersville City Cemetery

38899 Hwy 25
Harpersville, AL 35078

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 25. 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Liberty Baptist Church
11050 Chelsea Rd
Chelsea, AL 35043

Funeral Service

AUG 25. 10:00 AM (CT)

Liberty Baptist Church
11050 Chelsea Rd
Chelsea, AL 35043

Tribute Wall

JF

“ *The world has suffered the loss of a great man, John Melton. We will always remember his deep concern for his wife. The staff of Winn-Dixie pharmacy extends their deepest condolences to the entire family. May God wrap his loving arms around each of you during this time. If we can be of service to any of you please feel free to contact us.*

Winn-Dixie Pharmacy staff Liz, Jenny and Jan

Janice Ferguson - September 05, 2016 at 10:50 AM

PW

“ *If only there were something that friends might said to take away the pain and help to comfort you today. Wishing you strength in the days ahead, knowing how much your loved one meant to so many. Treasure all the special memories. Thoughts and prayers. Bill and Pat Wyatt*

Pat Wyatt - August 31, 2016 at 04:59 PM

JM

“ *This song popped into my head yesterday during Daddy's viewing while I was watching the slideshow of pictures running on the video screens.*

I've always really liked this song a lot because it reminds me of him.

<https://youtu.be/oVeml28Eo3w>

(Seein' My Father In Me by Paul Overstreet)

Jason Melton - August 26, 2016 at 12:28 PM

LM

“ John was a good man and heaven rejoiced at his home-going, but for those left to carry on without him, the rejoicing will have to wait. You are all in my prayers. I have many fond memories of John, like playing Rook and his friendly smile. Love to you all from Lois Mc.

Lois McAliley - August 26, 2016 at 07:23 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Franklin Melton.



August 24, 2016 at 04:41 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Franklin Melton.



August 24, 2016 at 01:42 PM

JM

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Jason Melton - August 24, 2016 at 09:58 AM

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Jason Melton - August 24, 2016 at 09:57 AM