



Mr. Thomas Gerald "Jerry" Gailey

November 25, 1939 - April 14, 2020

Mr. Thomas Gerald "Jerry" Gailey, age 80, of Commerce, GA died Tuesday, April 14, 2020 at Northridge Health and Rehab. Mr. Gailey was born in Jackson County to the late Frank Travis and Ruby Langston Gailey. He was a member of Mount Olive Baptist Church, a veteran of the United States Air Force and a retired GBI Agent. Mr. Gailey was also a 32 Degree Mason, past Master of Hudson Lodge #294, past president of Association of Retired GBI and State Troopers.

Mr. Gailey is survived by his wife, Ruby Hawkins Gailey of Commerce; son, Tim Gailey (Cindy Kay) of Commerce; sister, Sara Jo Hill of Commerce; and a grandson, Garrett Gailey of Athens.

Due to the recommendation of the CDC, and the executive order issued by Governor Brian Kemp banning all gatherings of 10 or more people, services for Mr. Gailey are being planned accordingly to comply with this order.

Private family graveside service will be held Thursday, April 16th at Jackson Memorial Gardens with Rev. Ray Richardson officiating.

Little-Ward Funeral Home, Commerce is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Jackson Memorial Park

6825 Jefferson Road
Commerce, GA 30529

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Thomas Gerald "Jerry" Gailey*

October 09, 2023 at 05:17 AM



“ *Mrs. Gailey,
So very sorry for your loss. Though I worked with and around Jerry for a number of years, I will always have fond thoughts of him when I recall him riding his Gold Wing to meet Monty Daniell, Charles Stone and me in Wyoming. I recall after being caught in a snow storm in the Beartooth mountains, he told us he was selling it if he could make it back to Georgia. I believe he did sell it.
At any rate. I considered him a friend and am glad i knew him.
Jim Hallman*

jim hallman - April 16, 2020 at 12:00 PM



“ *Ruby.....our thoughts and prayers are with you! Much love, Jerry and Debbie Newton*

Debbie Newton - April 15, 2020 at 09:30 PM



“ *Ruby, so very sorry to hear of Jerry passing! God bless you girl!!
Know that I have kept you guys in my prayers!! Jerry's race is over and he won!!
He and Charlotte will listen to Georgia on My Mind together!!
Wonderful memories with you two!! Jerry will be missed greatly!!!
Love you Ruby!!
Shep*

Robert J. Shepherd - April 15, 2020 at 09:01 PM

JC

“ Sending our sympathy to the family of a great man. So many great memories and you will be missed by all that knew you. RIP Agent 52
Terry and Joyce Cooper

Joyce Cooper - April 15, 2020 at 06:42 PM

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I had the honor of hiring Jerry on the GBI. Good man.

cecil callaway - April 15, 2020 at 08:19 PM

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Ruby and Tim, I am so sorry about Jerry. He is well again and in God's garden enjoying the peace and comfort. So many memories as neighbors and friends. Too many to mention and it was my pleasure to be associated with such kind and loving people. God bless you and I am praying for you. Sad we cannot be with you at this time.

Shirley Nicholson Willis - April 16, 2020 at 11:24 AM



Prayers and sympathy to the family of this special man. Jerry was a good friend for many years. He always had a good story to tell, and was so full of life. It was a pleasure to know him, and have him as a special friend. God bless you all during this troubled time.

Steve Kelley - April 18, 2020 at 09:06 AM



I am so sorry to hear about Jerry's passing. He and my dad ran around together in their younger years (Kenneth Kellum). Daddy always spoke fondly of Jerry. Our prayers go out to you and may God's grace comfort you as only He can. Terri Kellum Chase

Terri Chase - April 30, 2020 at 12:51 PM