



## Thomas Gardner

January 15, 1938 - May 12, 2014

Mr. Thomas Monroe Gardner was born January 15, 1938 in Buena Vista, Georgia (Marion County). He was born to the union of Charles and Nana Gardner (deceased). There were also nine brothers and three sisters (deceased). Thomas received his education through Marion County school system. During his lifetime he was employed at Spartan Trucking Company for twenty years as a professional driver. Thomas also loved outdoor activities which included Hunting, Fishing, Gardening, Cooking, Barbequing, and most of all he loved to give advice on Life Learned Lessons. He had a big heart, kind, gentle spirit, and he was a man of great faith and trust in God. He departed this life on May 12, 2014 at his home at 100 Clark Drive in Ellenwood, Georgia. Thomas Gardner leaves to cherish his memories his loving wife Connie Gardner; one sister, Pearl Gardner (Evanston, IL.); mother-in-law, Minnie L. Young (Atlanta, GA.); four sons, Bernard Gardner (deceased), Gary Gardner, Dwayne A. Gardner and Thomas M. Gardner, Jr. (all of Atlanta, GA.); one stepson, Donte Young (Atlanta, GA.); one stepdaughter, Leshay Smith (Atlanta, GA); fifteen grandchildren and twelve great grand-children; six sisters-in-law, Mary Gardner (Chicago, IL.), Sarah Gardner (Lithonia, GA.), Sherry Anderson (Atlanta, GA.), Vivian (Lynwood) Sanders (Charlotte, NC.), Ann Lipscomb (Gainesville, GA.), Gussie Gardner (Chicago, IL.); three brothers-in-law, Larry Lipscomb (Dumfries, VA.), Randall (Kimberly) Young (Atlanta, GA.), Adrian (Carolyn) Young (Gainesville, GA.); also a host of nieces and nephews and other close relatives, with many

special and dear friends. Home going services for Mr. Thomas Gardner will be held at 11AM, Monday May 19, 2014 at Mt. Ephraim Baptist Church, 1202 West Marietta St NW, Atlanta, GA 30318. Visitation SUNDAY 12-6. Gregory B. Levett and Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory Inc, 4347 Flat Shoals Parkway Decatur, Georgia 30034, 404-241-5656.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sent a gift in memory of Thomas Gardner*

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**B. Parks** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF MR. THOMAS, THE BIBLE MAKES IT CLEAR WITH A PROMISE YOUR DEAD ONES WILL LIVE... THEY WILL RISE UP JOHN 5:28,29 AND ACTS 24:15 THIS GIVES ALL MANKIND HOPE. WHEN YOU FEEL UP TO IT PLEASE READ. YOU HAVE MY CONDOLENCES, LILLIAN JACKSON*

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**LILLIAN JACKSON** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM