



Donald Edwin Kirven

February 1, 1943 - January 1, 2009

Bowman

Mr. Donald E. Kirven, 65 years of age, died Thursday January 1, 2009 at his residence. Mr. Kirven was born in Bowman, a son of the late George H. Kirven and Euphala J. Kirven. He was a graduate of the Bowman High School, he attended The United Electronics Institute of Charleston, he was a retired employee of the TRMC after serving 34 ½ years. He was a former member of the Bowman JC's, a JCI senator, and regional Director, and he was a member of the Prospect Southern Methodist Church.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday January 4, 2009 at 3:00 P.M. at The Prospect Southern Methodist Church with the Rev. Wendell Holland, Rev. Danny McClellan, and Rev. Wayne Manning officiating. Burial will be in The Thompson Cemetery. The casket will be placed in the church one hour before services. Pallbearers are Phil Kirven, Wayne Freeman, Gene Lawson, Larry Hargrove, Hal Felder, Everett McAlhany.

Survived by his wife of 41 years, Vivian T. Kirven, two sons, George "Ernie" Kirven of Branchville, and Joel (Stephanie) Kirven of Bowman, one daughter, Carmen (Patrick) Wilson, of Columbia, five grand children, Wyatt, Kobie, Rudy, Darla Kirven, and Evan Williams, two brothers, George H. (Patsy) Kirven Jr., and Phillip J. (Donna) Kirven both of Bowman, two sisters, Iyone K. Weathers of Bowman, and Nancy K. Shelton of Orangeburg, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends Saturday from 6 to 8 P.M. at The Ott Funeral Home in Branchville, and at other times friends may call at the residence. Memorials may be made to The Prospect Southern Methodist Church c/o of Gayle Gaskins, 4483 Cattle Creek Rd. Branchville SC 29432.

Tribute Wall

JH

“ Dear Vivian, My heart is so sad for you today. The Donnie I remember was 25 years old and so much in love with Vivian Thompson. My prayers are for your peace and comfort that come through our Lord. Love, Janis

Janis Wiggins Harvey - January 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ My heart goes out to each and every one of yall. I pray that God will give you comfort at a time like this.

Sharon Smith - January 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VB

“ Vivian,
Tommy and I were so sorry to hear about Donnie's passing when we got the paper this morning. I can't tell you how sorry we are and remember that you and your entire family are in our prayers.

Vonnie and Tommy

Vonnie and Tommy Bozard - January 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ My deepest sympathy to Vivian and children and grandchildren in the loss of Donnie. I want to extend also my condolences to my beloved cousins who are Donnie's brothers and sisters- Iyone, Pete, Philip, and Nancy and all their families.

I regret that I can not be with you today to share your sorrow. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Love,
Ann

Ann Woodruff - January 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LO

“ VIVIAN, I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU.

IISA o'BRIEN

LISA OBRIEN - January 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you Carmen, Mrs. Vivian, Ernie, and Joel. Matt will miss the laughs on the golf course with Mr. Donnie, Patrick, and James and what ever was in that drinking cup.

Matt and Catt Lovern - January 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ January 3, 2009
Vivian, Wesley and I were sorry to hear about Donnie. We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.

Patricia & Wesley Dukes - January 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM