



Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter

April 18, 1935 - July 24, 2024

Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter, 89, of Royston, GA passed away on Wednesday, July 24, 2024, at Hartwell Health and Rehabilitation Center in Hartwell, GA.

Mr. Trotter was born in Elberton, GA on April 18, 1935, son of the late William and Rena Trotter. He was a law enforcement officer having worked for Franklin County and Hart County Sheriff's Departments, as well as the Cities of Royston and Canon Police Departments. Mr. Trotter was also a United States Air Force Veteran.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by the love of his life, his wife, Lady Frances Bowen Trotter; and son, Michael Walter Trotter.

Survivors include his son, David Thomas Trotter (Shaunda) of Anderson, SC; sister, Betty Ketner of Kannapolis, NC; grandchildren, Jessica Nicole Trotter, Michael Thomas Trotter, Nicholas Platias and Michael Joseph Trotter (Cassie); great-grandchildren, Braydon Garrett Trotter, Madison Ann Trotter, Tinleigh Grace Trotter, Mallee Jo Trotter, Aubrey Sweat, Zane Purcell and Kira Shurtleff.

A graveside service for Mr. Trotter will be held in the Franklin Memorial Gardens- South at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, July 26, 2024, with Rev. James Gunn officiating.

The family will receive friends at Pruitt Funeral Home from 10:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. on Friday morning. During other times the family will be at their respective homes.

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Franklin Memorial Gardens - South

Dovetown Road
Royston, GA 30662

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 26. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Pruitt Funeral Home
47 Franklin Springs Street
P.O. Box 465
Royston, GA 30662
(706) 245-7234
pruittfh@bellsouth.net
<https://www.pruittfhroyston.com/>

Graveside Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Amanda Royston lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter*



Amanda Royston - January 01, 2025 at 02:56 PM



“ *Jesse was a great man and always had a smile on his face. He will be missed.*



Paul Agnew - July 28, 2024 at 05:53 AM



“ *Thoughts and prayers fo each of you! He was a special guy.*

*Woodrow King
Tammy King Beggs
Wanda King Walker*



Woodrow King - July 26, 2024 at 12:12 AM

GB

“ Gary Bragg lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter



Gary Bragg - July 25, 2024 at 11:24 AM

SB

“ Sammy Beard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter



Sammy Beard - July 25, 2024 at 10:54 AM

TH

“ Some of the best times of my teenage and young adult life were made with at this gentleman's home. Jesse (JT) is what I called him, such a good man! He would let David, (his son) and a group of us come to his home to play guitars and drums and sing music. Him and Francis were always such good host to us! Whenever I would get together with David and other friends to make music, JT would come out and play his guitar with us. He would share a song or two, then let us youngin's have it back, but not without sharing wisdom and love with us before leaving. Over the years we became friends/family. He was a very good man and will truly be missed! Rest easy my friend!

Teresa Lowrimore House - July 25, 2024 at 09:59 AM

FP

“ Great memories of Jesse during all the years of working with him through our careers. Prayers for the family.



Freddy and Theresa Pulliam - July 25, 2024 at 09:12 AM

KJ

“ Kendall Jordan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter



Kendall Jordan - July 25, 2024 at 09:02 AM

MT

“ So sorry for your loss. He was a great man. I will truly miss him.



Mary Thomas - July 24, 2024 at 08:42 PM

DB

“ He was a good man prayers for the family



Doris Brabson - July 24, 2024 at 06:01 PM

MB

“ *Mary Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter*



mary brown - July 24, 2024 at 05:43 PM

CP

“ *David I worked with Jesse years ago at Hart Co. We have great memories. He will be deeply missed. May God comfort you and your family and give you strength during this time.*

Chad Phillips - July 24, 2024 at 05:13 PM

TM

“ *Jessie was a great person. We will miss him*

Tracy & Candice Mize - July 24, 2024 at 05:05 PM

JC

“ *Judy Pilgrim Carey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jesse Thomas Trotter*



Judy Pilgrim Carey - July 24, 2024 at 04:31 PM

JB

“ *David, Sorry to hear of Jessie’s passing! He was a great man and a long time friend! Praying for Gods blessings and comfort for family!*



Johnny Banister - July 24, 2024 at 04:10 PM