



Mr. Joe Cheek

December 13, 1945 - December 23, 2015

Mr. Joe Bennings Cheek, 70, of Royston, GA, passed away on Wednesday, December 23, 2015, at the St. Mary's Hospital in Athens, GA.

Mr. Cheek was born in Royston, GA, on December 13, 1945, son of the late Ben V. Cheek and the late Alma Mary Dean Cheek. He was a retired teacher having worked for the Madison County School System and was a member of the Royston Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Louise Bowen Cheek of Royston, GA; son and daughter-in-law, Joey and Nicole Cheek of Royston, GA; daughter and son-in-law, Christa and Kent Pearson of Athens, GA; grandsons, Mason Pearson and Carson Cheek; special friends, Janice, Dave and Taylor Certain, and David, Suzanne, Will and Jordan Voyles.

Funeral services for Mr. Cheek will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 27, 2015, at the Pruitt Funeral Home Chapel with Mr. David Voyles and Rev. Jeremy Duggins officiating. Interment will follow in the New Hope Worship Center Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at Pruitt Funeral Home from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Saturday evening. The family is at the home.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **26.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (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/>

Service

DEC **27.** 2:00 PM (ET)

Pruitt Funeral Home Chapel
47 Franklin Springs Street
Royston, GA 30662

Tribute Wall

LM

“ Louise and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep you in prayer.
Linda Mealor (formally - Linda Mouchet)

Linda Mealor - December 30, 2015 at 07:41 AM

DB

“ Louise: Just found out about Joe. Pat and I are very sorry to hear this. We know he will be missed and our thoughts are with you and your family during this time of grief.

Doug and Pat Bond

Douglas Bond - December 28, 2015 at 04:22 PM



“ Louise , our thoughts and prayers go out to you, Christa, and Joey. Such fond remembrances of those times we spent together. Tyner and Beth Tyner

Mary Beth Tyner - December 27, 2015 at 10:22 AM

HN

“ Louise, so sorry to here of Joe's passing thanking of you and your family. Praying that the peace of God will be with all through this time in your life. Harold and Elaine Nix.

Harold and Elaine Nix - December 26, 2015 at 07:13 PM



“ 50 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pruitt Funeral Home - December 26, 2015 at 10:22 AM



“ James Fulghum lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek



James Fulghum - December 25, 2015 at 08:06 PM



“ Mr. Cheek will be missed. He was a wonderful teacher. The family will be in my prayers.

Karen Adams Robinson - December 25, 2015 at 12:11 AM



“ Brenda Bolton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek



Brenda Bolton - December 23, 2015 at 09:20 PM

PM

“ *Patricia And Harold Medlin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek*



Patricia and Harold Medlin - December 23, 2015 at 08:15 PM

JF

“ *For the Cheek Family,*

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of the Cheek family during your time of sorrow

Rest In Peace Joe Bennings Cheek!

*Jack Darrell and Marian Fortson
Sheriff (Retired)
Madison County GA.*

Jack Darrell Fortson - December 23, 2015 at 07:45 PM



My thoughts and prayers are with the Cheek family.

Kerri Lynn Phillips - December 23, 2015 at 10:08 PM

NH

“ *Nadine Hunnicutt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek*



Nadine Hunnicutt - December 23, 2015 at 06:27 PM

 Betty
Saxon

“ *Mr. Cheek was my 8th grade science teacher 1975-76. Everybody loved him. My prayers are with the family. Betty Hendrix Saxon*

Betty Saxon - December 23, 2015 at 06:21 PM

MA

“ *Mr. Cheek was my seventh grade Social Studies teacher. I loved his class. He was such a nice man. My deepest condolences to the family. RIP Coach Cheek.*

Mellysa Archer - December 23, 2015 at 05:20 PM

JM

“ *June McClain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek*



June McClain - December 23, 2015 at 05:19 PM

JM

“ *I was so sorry to learn of the passing of Joe. Our prayers and thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Ron & Jennifer McCullar*

Jennifer McCullar - December 23, 2015 at 03:59 PM

VH

“ *So sorry for your loss he was a great teacher he will be missed*

Veronica House - December 23, 2015 at 03:51 PM



“ *He will always be in all of our memories and hearts. Always kind; and with such a great sense of humor. I will keep Christa; and the rest of his family in my prayers. Melissa 'Missy' Escoc-Hall*

Missy Hall - December 23, 2015 at 03:45 PM



“ *Wanda Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek*



Wanda Thompson - December 23, 2015 at 03:19 PM



Love and prayers to Louise and family.

Wanda Thompson - December 23, 2015 at 03:19 PM



So sorry to hear of the passing of Joe. Loved talking to him at our reunions. Scoot Smith

walter smith - December 25, 2015 at 03:12 PM



“ *Joe Cheek taught Government and History when I was in High School at MCHS. He was always quick with a joke and genuinely showed concern that I understood what was taught in his class. I am sad to learn of his passing. May God wrap his arms around Joe's family as they mourn his loss. - Michael Coker*

Michael Coker - December 23, 2015 at 02:43 PM

JC

“ Jimmy And Lisa Cawthon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek



Jimmy and Lisa Cawthon - December 23, 2015 at 02:24 PM

Diana Adams

“ Diana Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek



Diana Adams - December 23, 2015 at 02:18 PM

GS

I had Mr. Cheek for World History in the 9th grade at MCHS (this was before Middle School). Not only did I pass the class but also gained a fair knowledge of chess. Prayers for his family in this time o loss.

Gina Smith - December 23, 2015 at 02:48 PM

MH

“ Mary & Gary Hanley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek



Mary & Gary Hanley - December 23, 2015 at 02:13 PM

VP

“ *Dear Louise and family, I always smile when I think of you and Joe. He certainly could brighten up a person's day. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Vicki Powers - December 23, 2015 at 01:41 PM

BS

“ *Buddy & Brenda Spears lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Cheek*



Buddy & Brenda Spears - December 23, 2015 at 10:48 AM