



## Lonnie D Younce

December 20, 1947 - February 10, 2020

Lonnie Devon Younce, 72 of Elberta, Baldwin County, Alabama, passed away February 10, 2020 at UAB Hospital in Birmingham, Alabama. Lonnie was born December 20, 1947 to Harvey and Millie (Tate) Younce in Foley, Alabama.

Lonnie is survived by his wife of over 20 years, Rebekah H. Younce; his children Mark Younce of Summerdale, Alabama, Myron (Wendy) Younce of Gayton, Georgia and Bay Minette, Alabama, and Kathy Younce Panama City Beach, Florida; his sister Mary Harvette McQueen; his brother Larry (Sharon) Younce; and 2 granddaughters, Bethany and Sarah Younce, nieces and nephews.

Lonnie was preceded in death by his parents, Harvey and Millie Younce.

Lonnie was a barber and hair stylist in Foley for over 52 years. Lonnie had cut generations of the same families hair starting from his first location on 103 W. Laurel Avenue under the name of "Gentlemen's Best" right next door to the old Wright's Drug Store. Lonnie had purchased the old "Foley Barber Shop" business from Mr. J.W. Beech about 1972 and changed the name to "Gentlemen's Best". After Lonnie began cutting not only men and boys hair, in a few years time, he soon started cutting children and women's hair, so he then changed the name of the business to "His & Hers Hair Designs" to include families of Foley and surrounding area. In 1996, Lonnie purchased his

own building from Mr. Hugh Cole and sons, and moved to the current location at 1309 S. Commercial Dr., Foley. Due to his health, Lonnie sold the business and property in 2019 and retired to concentrate on his health so he hopefully could do the many things he had planned for his retirement. Especially to enjoy his family and many friends.

Lonnie was many things to many people, he was a friend, a barber, Harley Davidson Motor Cycle rider since he was 13 years old, lover of old cars and hot rods, lover of animals, teacher of Karate when martial arts was the up and coming thing in the 1970's, a fisherman and a hunter. His many clients over many years, became long and enduring friendships that Lonnie treasured. Lonnie will be remembered not only for his fast and furious hair cuts at times, but also his humor and stories, right along with his generosity that he did not talk about. Lonnie will be missed by family and friends.

Lonnie's service will be Saturday, February 15th, 2020 at the "Bibleway Assembly of God Church" located at 15787 US 98, Foley, with visitation for friends at 10:00 am and service immediately after at 11:00 am by Brother Eddy Sullivan. Burial will be in the Pine Rest Cemetery. Pall bearers are: Howard Krauss, Scott McCraney, Larry Peavy, Keith Willis, Gerald Johnson, and Tommy Salter. Funeral Services by Todd Cason, Cason Funeral Home, Inc., Foley, Alabama.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **15**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bibleway Assembly of God  
15787 US-98  
Foley, AL 36535

## Funeral Service

FEB **15**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

BF

“ *Lonnie was a friend of mine, as well as my son Scott. Lonnie was our barber for several years, we always talked about motorcycles or anything mechanical, I sold him a metal lathe several years ago. Lonnie had a permanent smile and was always pleasant to be around. We just recently learned of his sickness and death. Scott and I send our condolences to Becky and family...Bill and Scott Funk*

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**Bill Funk** - February 28, 2020 at 05:00 PM

FA

“ *Frank & Kathy Allen lit a candle in memory of Lonnie D Younce*



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**Frank & Kathy Allen** - February 17, 2020 at 03:19 PM

JJ

“ *Besides being a great barber Lonnie was a fantastic mechanic! Helped me build the engine in my '67 Ford. We'll miss him greatly*  
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**Jim** - February 15, 2020 at 11:33 AM

EJ

“ *This is so incredibly hard. Lonnie was such a wonderful friend. I've known Lonnie since I was 18 years old. I will never forget his warm smile and all the great advice through the years I've never forgotten. I'm blessed to have known him. Lonnie loved his family. God bless you family. You're all in my prayers... Ellen Runyan Jones*

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**Ellen Jones** - February 13, 2020 at 07:17 PM

CS

“ Charlie, Kathleen & Patrick Sittt purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lonnie D Younce.



Charlie, Kathleen & Patrick Sittt - February 13, 2020 at 07:13 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lonnie D Younce.



February 13, 2020 at 05:54 PM

JB

“ "Lonnie was many things to many people"..... he was hometown folks, hometown family and will always remain such in our memories. May your many happy memories be your comfort in the days ahead, Becky, for you and your families. Our condolences, The Bornholt Family

Jeanette Bornholt - February 13, 2020 at 04:02 PM

JW

“ Becky I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Lonnie was an amazing man.



Julie Wiggins - February 13, 2020 at 11:52 AM

JS

“ *Lonnie was a kind and caring soul. He cut many a person's hair and also taught martial arts to several. He will be sadly missed. My condolences to the Younce families.*

*"There are no goodbyes for us.  
Wherever you are, you will always be in my heart."  
-- Mahatma Gandhi*



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**Jackie and Shelly Saranthus** - February 13, 2020 at 10:46 AM

BP

“ *Mark and family.. We were so sad to hear this news. Prayers for you and your family. Your girls in Birmingham love you. Phil 4:13*



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**Brenda and Patty** - February 13, 2020 at 06:32 AM

KA

“ *Kathy Allen lit a candle in memory of Lonnie D Younce*



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**Kathy Allen** - February 12, 2020 at 03:55 PM