



## E. Wilmoth

September 17, 1929 - January 8, 2007

E. J. "Jack" Wilmoth, 77, of Rogers, Arkansas, former longtime resident of Decatur, Arkansas, died January 8, 2007, at St. Mary's Hospital, Rogers, Arkansas. Born September 17, 1929 in Decatur, Arkansas, he was the son of Ernest Durwood Wilmoth and Opal Mae Setser Wilmoth. He was born and raised in Decatur and graduated from the University of Arkansas in 1951 with a B.S. in Business Administration. He served as a captain in the Marine Corp during the Korean War. He married Jerry Massey on March 8, 1952 in North Carolina. He was employed for 47 years with Peterson Industries of Decatur where he was an Executive Vice President for Peterson Farms and Peterson International. He also served as Mayor of Decatur for 16 years and was a lifetime member of First Baptist Church in Decatur. Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Jerry; one son, Chuck Wilmoth and wife Deb of Decatur, Alabama; one daughter, Carla Jackson and husband Roger of Rogers, Arkansas; four grandchildren, Scott, Jennifer, Jared and Derek; two brothers Gene Wilmoth and Bill Wilmoth, both of Decatur, Arkansas; and one sister, Lorryne Peterson of Decatur, Arkansas. Funeral services will be 10:00 A.M., Thursday, January 11, 2006, at Wasson Memorial Chapel, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, with Dr. John Terry and Rev. Terry Eaton officiating. Burial will follow at Decatur Cemetery, Decatur, Arkansas. Visitation will be 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, January 10, 2006, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.



# Tribute Wall



“ *E. Wilmoth*

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**Jim and Jan Henegar** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM



“ *Jerry*  
*Sorry to hear of Jack's passig. My prayers and thoughts are with you.*  
*Dale*

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September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM



“ *Jerry...I'm so sorry about Jack. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. You and Jack have always been such special friends to me and David. Ben and Lanie will always remember all the good times we have had with you. I still miss you very much! Know how much I love you!*

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**Kathy Williams** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM



“ *Jerry, I was so sorry to hear that Jack had passed away. Shannon & I have prayed for you, Chuck & Carla that you would feel comfort from the Lord during this time. So many wonderful, special childhood memories of coming to see you, Jack, Chuck & Carla come to mind during this time. Take care of each other and I love you all!*

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**Helen Reynolds** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

CA

“ *Carla, I just heard about your dad and I'm so sorry. You, Jerry and Chuck are in my thoughts and prayers. I know you will carry with you a lifetime of wonderful memories.*

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**Coveta Addington** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

GP

“ *Carla sorry about your dad my prayers are for you and your family.*

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**Glenda (Guss) Powell** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

DC

“ *I was so sorry to hear about Jack's passing. I worked with Jack for many yrs at Peterson Farms. He was always the gentleman and very kind to me. May God Bless You.*

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**Deana Carroll** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

AM

“ *You are in my prayers.*

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**Andrea Moran** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

MM

“ Jerry,  
I was sad to hear of Jack's passing. Please know you are in me and Noelle's thoughts and prayers. I have INCREDIBLE memories from my childhood of visiting you and Jack at your house in Decatur with the pool table in the basement and the HUGE hill in front. It was always fun to visit Aunt Jerry and Uncle Jack, since you seemed to have cool 'stuff' in your house and always made me laugh! I also remember visiting and being scared by the train horn when I was real young. I was crying and you were trying to comfort me (probably trying not to laugh!)  
I pray God's comfort and peace on you and Carla and Chuck. I hope to get up there in the next few months to visit.  
Love,  
Mark

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**Mark Massey** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

MW

“ Aunt Jerry and rest of the family,  
I just everyone to know that you all are in our prayers and if you need anything don't hesitate to call!!! Uncle Jackie was a great man and will be dearly missed not only by family and friends but by the community as a whole.  
Love Always,  
Michael

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**Michael Wilmoth** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

VM

“ Jerry, Carla and Chuck,  
Pat called me last night about Jack's passing. Mark & I will not plan to come to the funeral, but you all are in our prayers.  
I will call you later, Jerry.  
Love, Verla

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**Verla Massey** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

BG

“ Gene & Norma Jane,  
*I read the Morning News each morning on the net. I read of the passing of Jack this morning.  
I want to express my sympathy to you and all of your family during this difficult time. We are all so blessed to have the Lord to lean on in times like this. I know that He will be of great comfort to you and your family.  
May God bless and comfort all of you.  
Molly (Payne) Colbert*

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**Bub and Sammye Lou Gunter** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM

JL

“ Jerry, Chuck and Carla,  
  
*My thoughts and prayers are with you during this hard time. If you need anything please let me know. I thought the world of Jack and always will.....take care of yourselves.*

*Jen*

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**Jennifer Lay** - September 19, 2012 at 12:04 PM