



## Lowell Thomas Bays

February 21, 1934 - September 7, 2020

Mr. Lowell Thomas Bays, age 86 of Stockbridge died Monday, September 7, 2020. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Elizabeth Bays, Stockbridge; son, Lowell Edward 'Ed' and Debbie Bays, Stockbridge; granddaughter, Cindetta and John Anthony, Rockwall, TX; great-grandson, Charlton Lowell Anthony, Rockwall, TX; granddaughter, Certoa 'Toya' Gillans; step-grandchildren, Jessica Couch and children Preston, Cheyenne and Caleb; Jesse 'J.T.' Couch and children Madalyne and Emilee; brothers, Paul and Nina Bays, Darrell and Sandy Bays, Kenneth and Diane Bays, Larry Joe and Kathy Bays; sisters, Janet Romeo, Shirley Williams, Elva Ragland, Wanda and Bob Joseph, Carol Fazzio, and Twila and David Walker; numerous nieces, nephews and special friends. Mr. Bays was born in Winding Gulf, WV, one of 17 children of Alva and Eula Bays. He recently completed a compilation of his life, 'Memories of a Boy born at Possom Holler, WV on 2-21-1934.' Mr. Bays spent most of his career affiliated with multiple trucklines. When the trucking industry was regulated in the 60s and 70s, he was involved in litigation on behalf of Trucking Operating Rights as well as Interstate Commerce Commission Rules and Regulations Committee and National Motor Freight Classification Committee. He was Traffic Manager at Point Express and Bowman Transportation and finished his career as Manager of the Weighing and Research Department with Old Dominion Freightlines. Lowell loved his family and enjoyed many years of traveling, hunting and fishing. He served the Lord for over 51 years working with youth and serving

as a Deacon in several churches. He also had the privilege of baptizing his great-grandson Charlton. Graveside services will be held Saturday, September 12, 2020 at 2:00 pm at The Rock Baptist Church, Rex, GA with Pastor Howard Greer officiating. The family will receive friends in the Gathering Room at the church from 1:00 pm until service hour. Condolences may be submitted on-line at [www.scotward.com](http://www.scotward.com). Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA 30012, 770-483-7216.

# Cemetery Details

## The Rock Baptist Church Cemetery

6188 Hwy. 42  
Rex, GA 30273

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

The Rock Baptist Church  
Rex, GA

## Service

SEP 12. 2:00 PM (ET)

The Rock Baptist Church Cemetery  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ I have thought of Lowell so many times since my dad, Bob Hyman died. I should have called to say hello. In fact, just recently I thought I'm going to find Lowell's phone number & call to see how he & Libby are. Many thanks to Bud Bush for letting me know. I guess Lowell was getting ready to baptize Charlton when he practiced on Bud. I'm sure by now Daddy has welcomed Lowell & showed him all the favorite 'trucking' spots. You will all be in my thoughts & prayers.

Alice-Ann Hyman, Carthage, NC - September 14, 2020 at 09:37 PM

DW

“ Debbie & Ed, May you find assurance during this difficult time...as Our Lord fills your hearts with His love & comfort. Philippians 4:7 “The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts.” With caring thoughts & prayers, Daphene & Richard



daphene ward - September 11, 2020 at 07:23 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.



September 11, 2020 at 12:29 PM

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“ Susan & Alan Blackman & Kathy & Kristin & family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.



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**Susan & Alan Blackman & Kathy & Kristin & family -**  
September 11, 2020 at 12:29 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.



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September 11, 2020 at 07:26 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden* was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.



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September 10, 2020 at 09:32 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.



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September 10, 2020 at 07:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.*



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September 10, 2020 at 06:55 PM



“ *God Bless you, Elizabeth and your family. I am so sorry to hear of Lowell's passing. My thoughts and prayers will be with you all. OD family member, Katrena Parker*

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**Katrena Parker** - September 10, 2020 at 08:31 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.*



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September 09, 2020 at 09:22 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.*



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September 09, 2020 at 08:24 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.*



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September 09, 2020 at 03:54 PM



“ *It was a great pleasure to know Lowell he was a great individual to be around. I enjoyed visiting with him and talking about all kinds of things. Our telephone visits were filled with fun and laughter and I'm going to really miss them. Lowell was a man of integrity and honor. I'm thankful for his life and example of encouragement to his family. My prayers for his family at this time.*

*James Anthony*

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**James Anthony** - September 09, 2020 at 02:30 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.*



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September 09, 2020 at 02:26 PM

JA

“ We loved and admired Lowell. He had a joyous and welcoming smile and a hand outstretched. His ready humor kept a conversation going non stop and it was a fun visit each and every time we saw him. Lowell's courage, his wealth of knowledge, his interest in others made him a man among men - a man you don't forget. I called him Superman. I loved him and I love Elizabeth - their union was a message of love, respect, and wonder. His loved ones will miss him so much - but God is picky - he wants the Best beside him.  
I pray for strength and peace for his family.

*Jean Anthony*

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**Jean Anthony** - September 09, 2020 at 02:24 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Lowell Thomas Bays.



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September 09, 2020 at 02:14 PM