



Jack Tarlton Mason Sr.

December 12, 1944 - January 30, 2026

Jack Tarlton Mason, Sr., 81, passed away peacefully on January 30, 2026, in Hephzibah, Georgia, where he had resided for the past 30 years. He was born on December 12, 1944, in Aiken, South Carolina, and entered eternal rest very peacefully in the loving arms of his family.

Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Chance and Hydrick Funeral Directors this Thursday, February 5, 2026, at 2:00 P.M., with the Reverend Dennis Lamb officiating. Interment will be private in Hillcrest Memorial Park. The family will receive friends on Wednesday evening from 5:00 until 7:00 P.M. at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be, Trevor Threet, Jeremy Burton, Jared Mason, Zack Mason, Jordan Mason, Elijah Mason, Jaythan Smith, Connor Burton and Chase Burton.

Jack was the son of Robert Lee Mason and Willie Louise Ingram Mason, both of whom preceded him in death. He was also preceded in death by his beloved wife, Carolyn Joyce Roberts Mason, the love of his life and devoted partner of 59½ years; his brother, Rev. Thomas E. Mason Sr. and his wife Thelma who were huge influences in the development of his faith; and his sister, Nina Lee Mason.

Jack and Carolyn built a life deeply rooted in their shared faith, their church family, and a sincere love for others. Their devotion to the Lord guided every aspect of their lives—how they served, how they loved, and how they welcomed others. Faith was not simply something they practiced; it was how

they lived. Their home and their church were places of encouragement, hospitality, and steadfast Christian example. Together, they shared a deep love of travel and adventure. They proudly visited all 50 states and traveled abroad to Israel, France, and England. Though they especially cherished the beauty and spirit of the Southwestern United States, home was always Augusta, Georgia, where their hearts, church family, and loved ones remained.

He is survived by his three children: Kimberly Mason Threet (Stephen) of North Augusta, South Carolina; Jack Tarlton Mason Jr. (Susan) of Santa Fe, New Mexico; and Travis Kevin Mason of Hephzibah, Georgia; as well as his brother, Robert (Bobby) Mason Sr. (Sharon) of Hephzibah, Georgia. He was a proud and loving grandfather to seven grandchildren: Stephanie Threet Burton (Jeremy), Trevor Ryan Threet (Genni Lib), Jared Travis Mason (Britani), Michael Zachary Mason (Triston), Jordan Paul Mason (Emily), Elijah Cole Mason (Cayla), and Jaythan Smith. He was blessed with twelve great-grandchildren: Connor, Chase, Chesney, Jensen, Stalvey, Gentry, Bethany, Dougie, Waylon, Jaxton, Gatlin, and Hardy, and he eagerly awaited the arrival of a great-granddaughter, Josie.

Jack retired in 2009 from the Savannah River Site, where he served with distinction as an accomplished Laboratory Technician supporting the Tritium Enterprise and the Defense Waste Processing Facility. He was known for his professionalism, dedication, and integrity.

A man of deep faith, Jack loved the Lord wholeheartedly and was extremely knowledgeable of the Bible, which he studied often and with great devotion. He was a faithful servant to his church throughout his life, always willing to sing, teach, encourage, or step forward wherever he was needed. Blessed with a powerful voice that filled the room, he sang in numerous churches, touching countless hearts with his deep, rich spiritual voice and sincere presence.

Jack also had a lifelong love of music and was an accomplished musician, playing both the guitar and the piano. He joyfully passed this gift of music—

and the faith behind it—to his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, inspiring generations through song, worship, and example. In 2012, he earned a degree in Theology and faithfully preached as he was called, sharing God's Word with humility, wisdom, and compassion.

If you met him, you liked him. If you knew him, you loved him.

Jack was a blessing to all who knew him, but especially to his family. He leaves behind a legacy of love, faith, service, music, and respect—a legacy carefully built and shepherded through a lifetime of devotion, leadership, and grace. His influence will continue to be felt for generations to come.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude to Nelson and Barbara Roberts, Dennis and Amanda Lamb & the Broken Ministries Team, Bible Fellowship Church, Kenny and Jeanie Lamb, Diane Barrett, Jana Smith, Melinda (Voice behind the Box) and the Fifth-Floor Staff at Piedmont Hospital, the Affinis Hospice Staff and Nikki Byrd for their love, care, and support.

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Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park

2700 Deans Bridge Rd.
Augusta, GA 30906

Previous Events

Funeral Service

FEB 5. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (est)

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Tribute Wall



“ I enjoyed his music and the times we were able to play together. He was a great man.

Keith Morris - February 11 at 12:34 AM



“ I worked in the Tritium facility with Jack for many years. I was also on shift with Jack for many years. A great man to always discuss the Bible and give insight to God's word. Always great to be around and offered to assist whenever he could. I ask God for peace and comfort during this time. Prayers for the family.

Derek Walker - February 04 at 04:37 PM

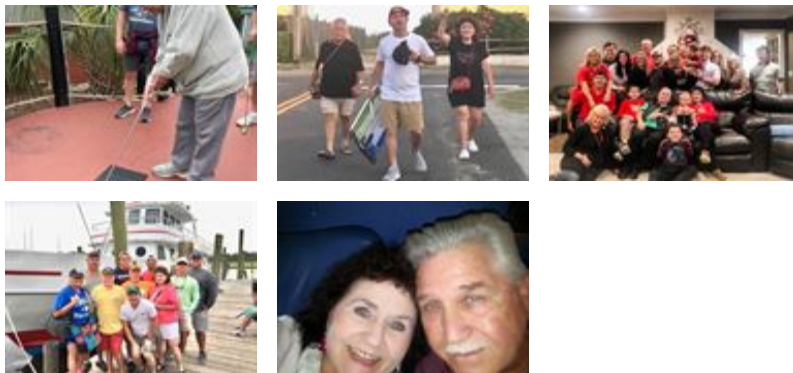


“ I worked with Jack at DWPF laboratory. Jack was one of a kind. To know him was to love him. Prayers to his family.

Debbie Glisson - February 04 at 03:01 PM



“ 294 files added to the album LifeTributes



Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors - February 04 at 02:14 PM

SP

“ Scott & Stephanie Lamb Pugh planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..

Scott & Stephanie Lamb Pugh - February 04 at 01:18 PM

SP

“ Scott & Stephanie Lamb Pugh purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..



Scott & Stephanie Lamb Pugh - February 04 at 01:18 PM

DC

“ David and Betsy Choate planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..

David and Betsy Choate - February 04 at 12:32 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..



February 04 at 12:32 PM

MC

“ *Mary and Achih Chen and Georgia Center purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..*



Mary and Achih Chen and Georgia Center - February 04 at 11:36 AM

JD

“ *Jeffrey D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..*

Jeffrey D. - February 04 at 10:21 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..*



February 04 at 08:26 AM

KR

“ *Mr. Jackie was ALWAYS such a pleasant person to be around. Always positive words and so kind! I know my parents sure miss playing cards with he and Miss. Carolyn. I know he had to have missed his love, Now they can be together again forever*



Kristin Renfroe - February 03 at 06:28 PM

EK

“ Erica Kircher purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..



Erica Kircher - February 03 at 04:47 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jack Tarlton Mason Sr..



February 03 at 09:22 AM

MW

“ I am glad I saw this. My deceased husband, Carl Moore, & Jack worked together at Columbia Nitrogen Corp. Many years ago. Jack & Carl sang together at our church we attended & played softball together. Jack, Carolyn & I met again after about 37 years & Jack came & sang for us during a revival at what was Abundant Life Foursquare Church on Tubman Home Rd. at that time. He stayed faithful to his Savior & I loved to listen to him worship thru singing. Such a beautiful voice. My love & prayers go out to his children & other family members. What a reunion has taken place with he & Carolyn! I can also just imagine the reunion between he & Carl Moore.



Marsha Moore Webb - February 02 at 10:02 PM

LR

“ *Jackie was one of the sweetest and most entertaining men I have known. I loved him and enjoyed our conversations together. He will surely be missed.*

Linda Reece - February 02 at 06:38 PM