



## Thomas Kent McDowell

August 24, 1950 - December 5, 2015

Mr. Thomas Kent McDowell, Jr. of Vernon Hill, VA passed away Saturday, December 5, 2015 at his home. He was born in Danville, VA on August 24, 1950 and was 65 years old. He was the son of the late Thomas Kent McDowell, Sr. and the late Dorothy Reaves McDowell and was married to Phyllis Kay McDowell, who survives. He was a member of the County Line Baptist Church and the Java Hunt Club. He was the owner and operator of the Locust Level Excavating, Inc. Mr. Thomas Kent McDowell, Jr. is survived by: His Wife Phyllis Kay McDowell of Vernon Hill One Daughter Melissa McDowell Colwell and husband Gary of South Boston Three Sons Gregory Kent McDowell (Melinda) of Nathalie Brian Dale Tanksley of Danville, VA Brandon Drew Tanksley and wife Misty of Halifax Nine Grandchildren Gavin Colwell, Garrison Colwell, Chanze McDowell, Conner McDowell, Parker Tanksley, Spencer Tanksley, Hallie Tanksley, Jesse Ingram and Evan Martinez One Brother Rev. Mike McDowell and wife Wanda of Vernon Hill Two Sisters Patricia McDowell Taylor and husband Bob of Honaker, VA Betsy McDowell Nissley and husband Dennis of Charlottesville, VA A number of nieces and nephews Funeral service will be held Tuesday, December 8, 2015 at 2:00 P.M. at the County Line Baptist Church with the Rev. Mike McDowell officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends Monday, December 7, 2015 from 7:00 until 8:30 P.M. at the County Line Baptist Church and other times at his home, 1090 Ridgeway Road, Vernon Hill, VA. For memorials please consider the County Line Baptist

Church, 13146 Chatham Rd., Java, VA 24565 or the Stephanie Moser Memorial Fund, C/O American National Bank, Chatham, VA /attn., Sandra Jennings. Online condolences may be directed to [www.powellfuneralinc.com](http://www.powellfuneralinc.com). Arrangements are by: Powell Funeral Home, 1603 Wilborn Ave., South Boston, VA 24592.

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# Tribute Wall

SB

“ Were so sorry for the familys loss. Kent was great guy. I know he will truly be missed.

Sharon and Glen Boyd - December 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Phyllis and Family,

I am so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Jeff Watts

Hancock Forest Management

Jeff Watts - December 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ Phyllis and family;

T. K, Jr. and Mike, & Patricia, & Betsy were / are our cousins and we share your grief in T. Ks passing. What found memories of you guys and your dear parents...and how Dad treasured this kinship...you are in our prayers in this loss.....

Rev, Dr. Bill Greenwood, Jr. - December 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ So very sorry for your loss! Sending my thoughts and prayers to u all.

Linda Hart - December 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Thoughts and prayers are with you all.....Melissa Greg and family

Jannay Comer - December 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ So sorry to learn of Kents passing.

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**Betsy Smith** - December 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KY

“ My deepest sympathy to the McDowell Family!

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**Kathy Moser Younger** - December 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ So very sorry for your loss. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Janet lantz** - December 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM