



## Clarence O'Kelly Hickman

January 1, 2016

Clarence O'Kelly Hickman, 75, died January 1, 2016 at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Oxford, MS.

Born in Aberdeen, MS, Mr. Hickman had lived in Oxford for the last 13 years after moving from Greenville, MS. He was a retired bank officer with First National Bank and Sunburst Bank. A Vietnam era veteran of the United States Army, he was a 1976 graduate of the University of Mississippi School of Banking where he served as president of his class. Mr. Hickman was active in various organizations that included the Greenville Chamber of Commerce, a volunteer of the Mississippi Action for Education, a member and officer of the Knights of Columbus, a board member of the Boys' Club in Greenville, MS, and in 1980, received the Lyle Wilson Memorial Award for Service. Mr. Hickman was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Greenville, MS.

There are no plans for a service at this time. Coleman Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Anne Hickman of Oxford, MS; one son, Christopher James Hickman of Charlotte, NC; three sisters, Gloria Jean Hicks of Richmond, VA, Audrey Harolyn Hatley of Tupelo, MS and Sandra Louise Weeks of Knoxville, TN.

His parents, Clarence and Louise Odom Hickman, preceded Mr. Hickman in death.

Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at [www.colemanfuneralhome.com](http://www.colemanfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ Kelly and I went to school together. I've known him since 1st grade. We lived in the same neighborhood. He was the life of every get together, always smiling and joking and in good spirits. That's the way I will remember him, always cheerful. For years I didn't see him, until I got to see him again at our class reunions. He was still the same- cheerful and outgoing. He was a good man and I'm sorry to hear of his passing.

*My condolences to the family*

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**Charles Mobley** - January 06, 2016 at 02:42 PM

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“ I am so sorry to hear of O'Kelly's passing. I was reminiscing yesterday of people I have worked with over the years and he came to mind. And I smiled. I enjoyed the years we worked together. He was so proud of his family and spoke of y'all often. I felt like I knew you, Mary Anne and Chris. My prayers are with you.

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**Kathie Cummings** - January 06, 2016 at 01:21 PM



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“ I just wanted to let you know your family has been in my thoughts and prayers. I may not have known Mr. Hickman before his illness, but he was clearly an amazing man and I am grateful that God allowed our paths to cross and I was able to care for him in his final days. The love you showed for him was contagious and further more confirmed that he had to be a great man. I pray for comfort and a peaceful spirit for you and your son as you grieve your loss. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of his life, even if it was just for a few days.

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**Chelsea Goff** - January 05, 2016 at 03:41 PM