



## Mr. Alan Dean Jackman

January 30, 1934 - August 3, 2015

Alan Dean Jackman, 81, passed away Monday, August 3, 2015 at his residence in Tallahassee.

A son of the late J Cleveland Jackman and Lily May Kendall Jackman, he was born January 30, 1934 in Burlington, Iowa. He served in the US Army and was a retired chemist with the Department of Environmental Regulation. A member of the First Presbyterian Church in New London, Iowa, he enjoyed gardening, growing bamboo, computering, glass blowing and wood working. He also was on the Board of Directors for FIRE (Lighthouse for the Blind). Prior to moving to Florida, he was employed by the Iowa Army Ammunition Plant (IAAP), Ortho/Chevron Chemical.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Marilyn Francy Jackman; children, Cathy Jackman Izquierdo (Manuel), Beverly Sorvillo, Kenneth Jackman (Laura), Dan Jackman (Sherri); grandchildren, Jeremy Izquierdo (Samantha), Troy Izquierdo, Teresa Kelly (James Cook), Andrew Jackman, Bryan Jackman (Kimberly), Melissa Jackman, Danielle Faircloth (Zach); great-grandchildren, Taylor Barnett, Jaydyn Izquierdo, Isabella Izquierdo, Jaysen Cook, Bentley Cook, Simon Jackman.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Robert Jackman.

The funeral is 3:00 PM Thursday, August 6, 2015 at Abbey Funeral Home,

with interment following at Tallahassee Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends Thursday, from 2:00 until 3:00 PM at the funeral Home.

Expressions of sympathy can be conveyed at [www.abbeyfh.com](http://www.abbeyfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Tallahassee Memory Gardens

4037 North Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 562-1518  
<https://www.abbeyfh.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 6.** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

**AUG 6.** 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Alan Dean Jackman*



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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - August 11, 2015 at 02:50 PM

TK

“ *Another year gone and I still feel you close as ever. In all my stories I tell about growing up with you, your hug, your laugh, I still see your smile every time something goes right in my life and I still hear your voice anytime I think about doing something stupid. You were always my strongest ally and showed me everything I could be. But even though your body isn't here, what a legacy to leave behind, to have had the most beautiful and graceful woman by your side, and to raise and amazing, huge, loving family full of grace and built on nothing but dreams, faith and hard work. You showed me what love should always look like, true and faithful, but forgiving and ever growing to be better than yesterday. You will always be the rock I build my life on and you are in my heart and mind every second of every day. Until I can hug you again, I'll hold you in every memory that means everything to me. Thank you for living a life worth loving, and leaving behind a legacy worth holding onto. I love you so so so much, Pappy* ❤️❤️❤️

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**Teresa Kelly** - August 03, 2018 at 08:11 AM

TK

*“ I love you and I miss you, but it always feels like you're never far away. Thank you for being the best man I ever knew. I know you're having a wonderful time up in heaven, and I can't wait to see you again someday and hear all your stories. Love you always 💕💕*

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**Teresa Kelly** - July 19, 2016 at 12:54 AM

TK

*“ I love you a million thousand times forever always. It's only been a week and a half and I already miss you so, so much. My favorite memory that I miss the most was getting off the school bus every afternoon and running to look out the bathroom window and see where in the garden you were. I would yell out the window, you'd come inside and sit down and the three of us would talk for hours until nightfall. You asked about my day, gave me advice and told me some of the greatest stories ever. Even when you were sick or couldn't see, every holiday or anniversary you'd ask us to get CooCoo some flowers from you. I promise you we'll take care of her. She's strong, independent and capable, but she's selflessly devoted her whole life to all of us, so it's her turn now. You both had a love that surpassed all time, struggles and boundaries. You are the greatest man I ever knew. I will still talk to you everyday, just knowing now that you are listening from the beautiful heavens where you finally have the comfort and rest you deserve. I love you, and I can't wait to see you again someday and catch up. Forever my pappy.*

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**Teresa Kelly** - August 13, 2015 at 09:40 AM

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*“ Our thoughts remain with you and your family during this difficult time. We are honored by the trust and confidence that you have placed in us during this time. The staff of Abbey Funeral Home.*

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**Abbey Funeral Home** - August 08, 2015 at 10:29 AM

SJ

“ My name is Shirley and i was one off Mr. Jackman caregivers.Mr. Jackman was a kind and thoughtful person.He always would apologize even if he didn't do anything.I am going to miss him a great deal not as a client,but as a sweet person.When i come into his home i always greet everyone and go into the room were Mr.Jackman was and he would always be glad to here my voice even when he was feeling bad.I always ask him if it was alright too talk about God and do he mind me Reading him something out the bible.He always say yes to me and i would sit by the bed side and hold his hand and read to him.I've taking care a lot off people in my life time as a Certified Nurse Assistant,but never have i ever felt like part off the family.Mr.Jackman family will always have a place in my heart.

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**Shirley Jones** - August 06, 2015 at 11:13 AM

LV

“ Marilyn and family, so sorry to hear of Dean's passing. Was glad that you called us to visit you at the motel in Mt. Pleasant when you were here attending the MPHS class reunion. Our prayers are with you and your family.

*Sally and Larry Vickroy*

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**Larry and Sally Vickroy** - August 06, 2015 at 10:11 AM

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**Beverly** - August 05, 2015 at 08:03 PM

JW

“ I was saddened to see the obit this morning for Dean Jackman. He was a chemist in the "Fertilizer Lab" at the Florida Department of Agriculture in 1970, when I started to work there also. That was back when the labs were in the Mayo Building, downtown. I think he left another job after a few years but I remember him as a pleasant person with many interests.

*My sincere condolences to the family.*

*J. D. Warren*

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**J.D. Warren** - August 05, 2015 at 05:44 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Alan Dean Jackman.



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August 04, 2015 at 10:35 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Alan Dean Jackman.



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August 04, 2015 at 03:25 PM