



Dr. John Long

March 2, 1937 - October 7, 2022

Dr. John Hamilton Long, 85, died Thursday, Oct. 7, 2022, in Jackson.

Dr. Long was born March 2, 1937, in Hazlehurst, Miss. He attended Millsaps College and graduated from The University of Mississippi Medical School in 1962. He interned at Duval County Medical Center in Jacksonville, Fla. Following his internship, he entered the Navy and served one year as medical officer aboard the icebreaker USS Atka in the Arctic and Antarctic. He spent the next year at the Pensacola Naval Hospital in Pensacola, Fla. Upon his discharge from the Navy, he joined the Hazlehurst Clinic where he continued his practice in family medicine for the next 53 years.

Dr. Long was an elder and lifelong member of First Presbyterian Church in Hazlehurst.

He is survived by a son, Dr. Scot Long; two daughters, Anne Smith (Dr. Stanley Smith) and Dr. Haley Santos (Fabio); four grandchildren, Mary Parker Geddie, Lila Geddie, Sawyer Santos and Oliver Santos; a brother Dr. James Long (Gail); nephew Bob Long (Paige); and niece Cindy Hampton (Rusty).

A graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 13, in Hazlehurst Cemetery. Thursday was his standing day off and the family is honoring him by having his service on this day as he loved his Thursday day off.

Dr. Long's family would like to express special thanks to all the employees at Copiah Medical Associates, his medical partners and all those who placed their trust in him in the many years he was in practice.

Cemetery Details

Hazlehurst Cemetery

Sinclare St.
Hazlehurst, MS 39083

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Hazlehurst, MS 39083

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. John Long*

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *FROM THE CCI FAMILY purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Dr. John Long.*



FROM THE CCI FAMILY - October 12, 2022 at 04:17 PM



“ *Wanda Mallett lit a candle in memory of Dr. John Long*



Wanda Mallett - October 11, 2022 at 09:15 PM



“ *Dr. Long was such a loving and caring Doctor. I was one of his patients and he took very good care of me. Grateful!*

Wanda - October 11, 2022 at 09:13 PM



“ *I worked for Dr Long from 2003 until his retirement. He truly was a special man and his patients loved him so, as did all of us that were lucky enough to work for him.*

angie mcmanus - October 11, 2022 at 07:56 PM

LA

“ Latondra Anderson lit a candle in memory of Dr. John Long



Latondra Anderson - October 10, 2022 at 01:37 PM

CA

“ Dr. Long was my doctor as a child growing up in a Hazlehurst! He was the best! Compassionate and understanding!

Cindy Davis Alsworth - October 10, 2022 at 09:48 AM

KM

“ This was taken at Hardy Wilson Hospital. July 7, 1986. Dr. Long is standing outside of the operating /delivery room with my mom. He had just delivered my first born son Bradley. Under the picture in Bradley's baby book I wrote Mom and Dr.Long just a Grinning. Dr. Long was so good to me. I remember meeting Dr. Long in the ER early that morning asking him if I could go home and come back tomorrow. He said to my mom call daddy we're having a baby today. Of course there would be many memories to follow. Some were Ouch! He was a great doctor and friend to all. Prayers going up for Dr. Long's family and friends and all the people's lives he changed. Prayers of comfort and peace during this sad time. God's blessing on you all. 🕊️



Karen Middleton - October 10, 2022 at 12:40 AM

KM

“ Karen Middleton lit a candle in memory of Dr. John Long



Karen Middleton - October 09, 2022 at 09:42 PM

JF

“ Jim & Gail Long, Hamptons, B.Long family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Dr. John Long.



Jim & Gail Long, Hamptons, B.Long family - October 09, 2022 at 08:28 PM

TC

“ Tommie Coleman lit a candle in memory of Dr. John Long



Tommie Coleman - October 09, 2022 at 12:04 PM

JA

Dr John was a true friend to me and Greer and our families!!! When our sons died John was first person at our house!!! We were Indians at HHS together but I always picked at him being older than me—(one year) — Rest In Peace my dear friend!! God bless his family

Juanita Sutton Ashley - October 09, 2022 at 03:28 PM

SM

“ Sue Marx lit a candle in memory of Dr. John Long



sue Marx - October 09, 2022 at 08:05 AM



“ Sandra Cliburn lit a candle in memory of Dr. John Long



Sandra Cliburn - October 09, 2022 at 06:58 AM

PS

“ John was my docto

Peggy Schaller - October 08, 2022 at 05:42 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. John Long.



October 08, 2022 at 02:18 PM

HS

“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Haley Santos - October 08, 2022 at 10:58 AM

PL

“ So sorry for your loss. John was my Doctor for a lot of years. He delivered my daughter and we her Godfather. He has been a pillar to this community and will be missed. Prayers for you and your family 🙏🕯️ Paula Lofton

Paula Lofton - October 07, 2022 at 05:16 PM

JK

Dr. John Long's time on this planet is definitive of the phrase, "a life well lived." He was a gentleman and a scholar, and a faithful servant of God and man. I shall always be thankful to have had him as a very good friend.

Jim Kitchens - October 08, 2022 at 12:32 PM

LS

Scott, Ann, Haley...we hold each of you in our hearts, wrapped in our love and prayers. John was my brother in every sense of the word and like a father to Lynette and Greg. He will be missed until we join him. His laughter had a magical sound that was one of the best things about him...I will hear it in my memory forever. Rest in Peace our beloved Dr. Long.

Lyn Johnson Sklar - October 08, 2022 at 03:23 PM

KT

He delivered my second daughter and he actually cheered when she was born!!! He was one of the best!!!

Karen Teesdale - October 08, 2022 at 08:23 PM



Sharing You Loss...Love and Prayers John 14.....A Blessing For The Ages

Sandra Cliburn - October 09, 2022 at 06:58 AM

LM

My sincerest sympathy to Dr. Long's family. My mother was a patient of his, and she dearly loved him. When I met him, I understood why. He was such a gentleman, so kind and made her feel as if she were his only patient that day. We did appreciate him.

Linda Milner - October 09, 2022 at 10:57 PM

LA

Dr. Long was our family doctor for many years. He delivered all us(cousins). Our family loved Dr. Long. He was a very good doctor. His work on earth is completed and now he is waiting on the Lord return. Take your rest Dr. Long. Praying for the family! From the Anderson Family in Hazlehurst on Highway 28 East.

Latondra Anderson - October 10, 2022 at 01:36 PM