



## Hewey Morgan Davis

January 23, 1940 - December 14, 2015

Hewey Davis of Tampa and Groveland, Florida passed away on December 14, 2015 after a long illness. A Florida native, Hewey spent most his life in Tampa, Florida. His working career included the Seaboard Coastline Railroad and retiring from Tampa Electric Company after 31 years service. Hewey served his community through his years as an active member of the Tampa Jaycees. He became a Mason in Tampa and transferred to Groveland Lodge 190 when he moved to the area 3 years ago. Hewey is survived by his wife of 47 years, Jean, son Greg (Beth) Davis, daughter Debbie (Jonathan) Prescott and four grandchildren: JT Davis, Benjamin Davis, Allison Prescott and Matthew Prescott. A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 2, 2016, at the First United Methodist Church of Winter Garden, 125 North Lakeview Ave., Winter Garden, Florida 34787. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Shriners' Hospital for Children, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, Florida 33607, or to Cornerstone Hospice Foundation, 2445 Lane Park Road, Tavares, Florida 32778. Online condolences may be left at [www.degusipefuneralhome.com](http://www.degusipefuneralhome.com). Arrangements made by DeGusipe Funeral Home, Ocoee, Florida (407) 295-2273.

# Tribute Wall

MH

“ We lived two houses down from the Davis family in Tampa for more than 30 years. They were a wonderful family and great neighbors. Hewey and Jean were the kind of people who would never say no to helping a neighbor. Hewey came through for us countless times and was always humble and kind. He had a great soul and will be missed by all who had the good fortune to know him. Love to Jean, Greg, Debbie and the rest of the family. Michael and Shelly Herstone

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Michael Herstone - January 01, 2016 at 08:51 AM

RK

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. It has been many years since we all first met when our children were in elementary school. You are all such a wonderful family. He will be greatly missed by many.

Roger and Nancy Kimble

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Roger and Nancy Kijmble - December 21, 2015 at 12:36 PM

AN

“ Our deepest sympathies to the Davis family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Barry and Anita Janes



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Anita - December 19, 2015 at 04:27 PM

GP

“ Huey was a great classmate at Palatka Sr. High remembered as a nice young man. My deepest sympathy to his family.

*Classmate Gwen Holloway Purvis.*

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**Gwen Purvis** - December 19, 2015 at 08:59 AM

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*We will all miss Hewey here in Salt Springs and at Cactus Jack's.*

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**Cactus Lynn** - December 22, 2015 at 09:12 PM

“ A Farewell to our Brother, Hewey Davis

*“Why wear the apron?” the young Mason asked,  
As the mourners so silently bowed every head.*

*The prayer was perfection, -ceremony profound,  
Not one single person uttered a sound.  
The minister spoke, all telling with love,  
That our brother had passed to the lodge up above.  
That his life here below was not easy for sure  
And many the sorrow he'd had to endure.*

*This man dedicated to helping others  
Unconscious of background or origin of brothers.  
With a life dedicated to sharing of time  
While supporting a friend with a comforting rhyme.  
Who brought out in others the “best” of the best,  
Without criticizing, or putting to test.  
That the life he had lived, as a Mason and friend,  
Was a lifetime of sharing, right up to the end.*

*The lambskin was placed with all loving care*

*A release from the labor on earth he did bear  
The evergreen sprig shows the faith we all hold  
That the Soul is immortal and none can control  
It's reign o'er the grave, so that death has no power*

*For ever and ever or even this hour.*

*We commit to the ground, his earthly remains  
And cherish the memory, suffer the pains.  
While we trust his spirit to God who did give it  
This was his life and the way he did live it.*

*And so we account for our time here on earth*

*That our tasks ever after may be of Thy worth.  
Now go with the Father in his gracious keeping,  
And leave him to be, our brother-just sleeping.  
So you see there's a reason that all men are born  
That's the reason I guess that the apron is worn.*

*Jay Kosner*

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**Dr. Jay Kosner** - December 17, 2015 at 11:13 PM

CD

“ *I met Hewey and his buddy Howard at Si's in Salt Springs. Nice guy my sincere condolences to family and friends. A former Master Mason ,Marston Lodge NO 49 F& AM Fort McCoy. Chuck Downs, Salt Springs*



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**Chuck Downs** - December 16, 2015 at 01:59 PM