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Remembering those who had an unforgettable impact

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Those who died in 2013 who left a mark on the community include:

trial lawyer who served 21 years as a judge in the 14th Judicial Circuit, the first district judge to be elected from Jasper County. He was active until his death, still serving as a special referee for Jasper County. He was chairman of the Jasper County Elections Commission for 14 years. He was honored for his community service to the town he adopted in 1951 when he was named grand marshal of the 2010 Ridgeland Christmas Parade.

• **LUKE N. BROWN JR.**, 94, of Ridgeland, died Dec. 8. He was a