



William "Bill" Oliver Roberson

September 5, 1943 - August 23, 2024

Beloved husband, father, father-in-law, grandfather, and great-grandfather
William Oliver

"Bill" Roberson, 81, passed away on August 23, 2024, in Lawrenceville,
Georgia. Born on
September 5, 1943, in Gadsden, Alabama, Bill was a man of strong character
and warmth.

He was known for being loving, irascible, loyal, tough, generous, gruff, big-
hearted,
intelligent, and kind.

Bill served proudly in the United States Marine Corps from 1960 to 1964,
dedicating four
years to serving his country with honor. After his military service, he worked
for Meadow

Gold Dairies for several years, then embarked on a successful career in
HVAC from the late

1960s to his retirement in 2011. He spent 19 years at Peachtree Trane
Heating and Air,
starting in 1972. When he retired, he was a field service representative for the
Trane
Corporation.

He attended Emma Sansom High, Gadsden State University, and Alabama
Trade School

(Gadsden). He received an associate's degree from the University of Alabama (Gadsden campus). His passion for learning was paralleled by his love for his hobbies, which included model trains, computers, tinkering, travel, and cheering for the University of Alabama football team.

A devout member of the community, Bill worshiped at Ivy Creek Baptist Church. Earlier, he attended Hebron Baptist Church and Glover Baptist Church, where he was a deacon. His faith and commitment to his community were evident in all aspects of his life. Bill is survived by his wife of 61 years, Dianna Goss Roberson; daughters Cynthia Armistead Newman (Rick) and Wenda Peltz (Jeff); daughter-in-law Amanda Roberson; grandchildren Katherine Robillard (Nathan Pervorse), Will Peltz, Sadie Roberson, Jack Roberson, and Eli Roberson; great-grandchildren Esther Robillard and Oliver Pervorse; sister Patricia Farmer, brother Jim Roberson, sister-in-law Linda Roberson, and brother-in-law Buddy Walden; brother-in-law Bud Goss and sister-in-law Pat Goss; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his sons William Oliver Roberson Jr. and William Matthew Roberson; parents Albert and Sarah Roberson; sisters Rebecca Kilgo, Gwendline Roberson, and Sarah Mercedes Walden; brothers Grover Roberson and Albert Roberson. Services will be held at Ivy Creek Baptist Church in Buford, Georgia on August 26, 2024. In

lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Ivy Creek Building Fund.

Flanigan Funeral

Home and Crematory in Buford, Georgia, is assisting the family with

arrangements. Bill's

legacy of steadfast love, loyalty, and community service will forever be

cherished by those

who knew him

Cemetery Details

Ivy Creek Baptist Church Cemetery

2500 Ivy Creek Road
Buford, GA 30519

Previous Events

Lie In State

AUG 26. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Ivy Creek Baptist Church
2500 Ivy Creek Rd
Buford, GA 30519

Funeral Service

AUG 26. 3:30 PM (ET)

Ivy Creek Baptist Church
2500 Ivy Creek Rd
Buford, GA 30519

Interment

AUG 26 (ET)

Ivy Creek Baptist Church Cemetery
2500 Ivy Creek Road
Buford, GA 30519

Tribute Wall

LB

“ My sincere condolences to Bill’s family. Bill was an absolute legendary figure in the HVAC. Community. He had the respect of so many people at all levels in the business. Back in the days I worked on the counter, I might hear from Bill a couple times a day. His voice unmistakable, his patience appreciated, and his knowledge on point. He would show his appreciation by letting management know when someone went the extra mile. A true professional and part of one of the most successful teams in the Atl market in their day. So sorry for your loss. RIP my friend.

Lisa Brownlee - August 28, 2024 at 10:14 PM

AJ

“ Ann Jarrard lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Roberson



Ann Jarrard - August 26, 2024 at 04:05 PM

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“ The most remarkable neighbor we've ever known. Ready to discuss anything at any time. Always trying to help with every thing in the neighborhood and one of the best story tellers we've ever experienced He will be missed.

Joe and Neil

Neil Raymond-Joseph DeLuco - 30043 - - August 26, 2024 at 12:13 PM

SB

“ We will really miss him in our Awana class. The children loved him.
Sheila Brogdon

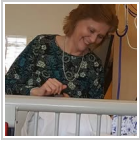
Sheila Brogdon - August 26, 2024 at 08:37 AM

RO

“ Bill was one of the smartest people I know. He was compassionant about helping and teaching others. Bill is the kind of man that was so injured that he could not get out of bed, so he moved his bed into the office so he could continue work and helping his field crew. Bill was a good friend to me and many others,. He made a positive impact on many peoples life.
There was only one Bill Roberson. God please look after our good friend in your kingdom.

Ron Toll

Ron - August 26, 2024 at 07:40 AM



“ PRAYERS & THOUGHTS are with you.



Diana Lorance Kilpatrick - August 25, 2024 at 09:16 PM

JE

“ Jeff lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Roberson



Jeff - August 25, 2024 at 07:07 AM

Henry Bucki

“ HE TAUGHT me a lot one of the best teachers i ever had,a real RUBY JEWEL of a person.

Henry Bucki - August 25, 2024 at 12:43 AM

JB

“ Jama Brown lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Roberson



Jama Brown - August 24, 2024 at 07:58 PM