



Mr. Melvin R. Roberson

October 2, 1932 - August 15, 2020

Funeral services will be held at 12 p.m. Wednesday, August 19, 2020, at Village Chapel, for Melvin R. Roberson, age 87, of Attalla, who passed away Saturday August 15, 2020. Reverends Steve Lucy and Jimmy Harrison will officiate. Music provided by Donnie Redden. Military and Masonic rites will be performed at Oak Hill Cemetery following the chapel service. Village Chapel Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Roberson served in the United States Army from 1949-1952 and was a veteran of the Korean War. He later joined the Alabama National Guard where he served from 1957-1960.

Melvin was a Master Machinist and had worked at; Dixie Tool and Die, Speedring Mfg., Hayes Int. Corporation, Union Carbide and Goodyear Tire and Rubber. He was a long-time member of Steele Baptist Church where he served as deacon and a member of the choir. Mr. Roberson was also a proud member of Attalla Masonic Lodge #383 where he had been a member for over 60 yrs.

Mr. Roberson was preceded in death by his parents, John and Lillie Roberson; brothers, B.F., Belton, Charles and John Roberson; sisters, Pauline Murdock, Lorine Gillilan, Lucille Gillilan and Josephine Baty.

He is survived by his wife of 67 yrs., Margaret Ann Roberson; sons, Richard (Joan) Roberson, Edward (Doris) Roberson; chosen daughter, Karen Smith; brother, Robert (Vera) Roberson; special brother and sister-in-law, Harold Crosson and Theresa Turner, grandchildren, Christie Jacobs, Kevin (Katie)

Roberson, Brad (Casie) Roberson, Julie (B.J.) Price; step-grandchildren, Randy Burton, Rick Burton and Cindy Edwards; great-grandchildren, Trevor Jacobs, Jacob Neal, Levi Price, Gauge Price, Jackson Roberson, Cole Price, Sarah Ann Roberson and Seth Roberson; a host of special nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to your favorite charity.

Masonic Lodge #383 will serve as pallbearers.

The family wishes to express a special thanks to Steele Baptist Church members and deacons.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 19. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Village Chapel Funeral Home
101 Vandell Blvd
Gadsden, AL 35904
(256) 547-5557
<https://villagechapelfuneralhome.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Prayers and thoughts are with you Margaret and family. He was a good man and I know he will be missed.

Patsy Clay - August 27, 2020 at 06:54 AM

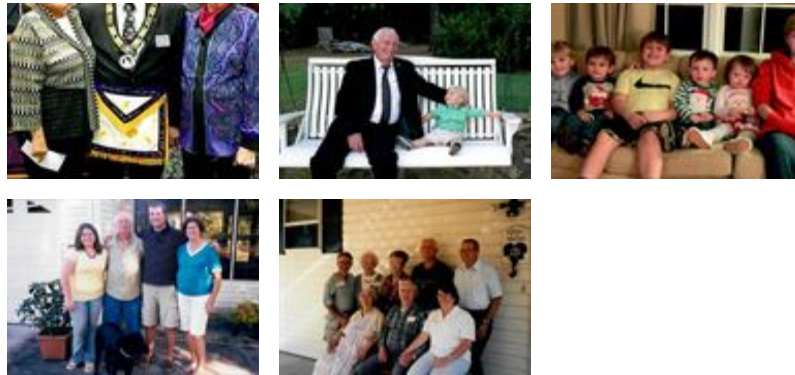
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“ Although I cannot be there my thoughts and prayers are with Melvins family today. Melvin and I were good friends and worked together for many years. I only have fond memories of Melvin. I'm sure he would understand my not being there ,so I'm sending my condolences to his family. This email is from Kenneth Bolton (aka Deerman).

Deerman Kenneth Bolton - August 19, 2020 at 10:00 AM



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Village Chapel Funeral Home - August 19, 2020 at 09:31 AM

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“ *When God sent Uncle Reb into this world, it became a better place. He did his best to keep it that way in all his days here and will only make heaven a better place to go. If we could all live to his standards, this world would not be in the mess we are dealing with. Thank you for being one of the best men I ever met. You will be missed now but I will see you again in the future. Thanks for being you and God bless*

David Hubbard - August 18, 2020 at 10:13 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. Melvin R. Roberson.*



August 18, 2020 at 06:03 AM

VI

“ *Where do I began to say how much my Uncle meant to me. Godly man, wonderful husband, father, grandfather, brother, neighbor, friend and uncle. He was always a joy to be around. Always caring for others He will be missed on this earth but I'm sure he is rejoicing in Heaven around the throne of our precious savior. Oh, the sights he is now beholding. I will always remember him and miss him so much. Until we meet again!!*

Violet - August 17, 2020 at 03:05 PM