



James Harrel Holcomb

September 24, 1943 - May 23, 2014

James H. Holcomb, age 70, went home to the Lord on Friday, May 23, 2014.

A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, May 28 at 11:00 a.m. at East Cobb United Methodist Church in Marietta.

He was a life-long resident of Marietta/Cobb County; graduated from Marietta High School in 1961; attended Young Harris College; served in the Air National Guard; was a Cobb County Fireman in the late 1970's to early 80's; retired in 1998 after 30 years of service from Lockheed-Martin as an Assistant Dept Manager for the C130 final assembly. He was an avid deer hunter, outdoorsman, gardener, story- teller and a dedicated member of East Cobb UMC. He was an amazing Paw Paw to 12 grandchildren.

James was preceded in death by his parents, Annie LeCroy Holcomb and Harrel Holcomb. Survived by his wife of 30 years, Patricia Holcomb; daughters, Holly (Billy) Claypole and Dana (Ron) Long; sons, Ben (Kim) Holcomb, Boone (Dane) Holcomb and Derek (Carla) Stephens; many cousins, nieces and nephews.

James suffered and fought metastasized prostate cancer for 16 years but never let it stop him from living life to the fullest. He finally won the battle!

Contributions may be made in memory of James to East Cobb United Methodist Church, Be Bold Campaign, 2325 Roswell Road, Marietta, GA 30062.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, May 27 from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. at Mayes Ward Dobbins Funeral Home in Marietta.

770-428-1511

Events

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Visitation

05:00PM - 08:00PM

Historic Marietta Chapel

180 Church Street NE, Marietta, GA, US, 30060

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Memorial Service

11:00AM

East Cobb United Methodist Church

2325 Roswell Rd, Marietta, GA, US, 30062

Comments



“ I am sorry for your loss please accept my deepest sympathy. I hope you will find your strength and comfort in Jesus promises of the earthly resurrection(:Acts 24:15) and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will have to mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4; Luke 23:43. May GOD(Psalms 83:18) grant you peace and comfort now during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

M Jones - June 03, 2014 at 12:01 PM



“ Dear Holcomb Family,

Please accept my deepest condolences.

Understandably, you are experiencing a deep sense of loss. I pray that the God of All Comfort will comfort you at this difficult time. Our family has been comforted by scriptural reminders such as 1 Corinthians 1: 3, 4. It gives immeasurable comfort where it says, "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our tribulations through the comfort with which we ourselves are being comforted by God."

What a comfort to reflect on the hope Jesus promised in John 5: 28, 29! It reminds us of the time that will come when those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out they will be resurrected! What a thrilling outlook to be once again reunited with our loved ones who were dead! How comforting to know that God has guaranteed fulfillment of this promise by his Word.

REH - May 29, 2014 at 10:50 PM



“ Pops will be missed by many. He was always asking how my family was. He would always have a story to tell. Him and Boone would always come in the store with one grandkid. He was a very caring man.

bill kimbrough - May 27, 2014 at 03:28 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Harrel Holcomb.



May 27, 2014 at 03:20 PM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Harrel Holcomb.



May 27, 2014 at 08:36 AM



“ Joy and Cohen purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of James Harrel Holcomb.



Joy and Cohen - May 27, 2014 at 05:59 AM



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Dana Long - May 26, 2014 at 07:46 PM



“ Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James Harrel Holcomb.



May 26, 2014 at 07:41 PM



“ I want to express my sincere sympathy for the loss of your loved one and share the hope promised in the Bible.
Isaiah 33:24 promises the time when an end to sickness will become a reality. God will put an end to pain, suffering and even DEATH. God promises at Isaiah 25:8 that death will be swallowed up forever. When God's will take place on the earth as in the heaven, God's Kingdom will fulfill the promise in this scripture.
Jesus, who will be the king of God's Kingdom also promised that “those in the memorial tombs will...come out.” (John 5:28, 29) and “The righteous themselves will possess the earth, and they will reside forever upon it.” (Psalms 37:29)

S. Lee - May 26, 2014 at 04:11 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Harrel Holcomb.



May 26, 2014 at 10:16 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to the loss of your dear loved one please be assured that this is not God's purpose for to be in pain. Psalms 34:18,19, John 5:28,29, & Rev. 21:3,4, are comforting and supply hope for me and my wish is that it does the same for you.

rl - May 25, 2014 at 06:56 PM