



## Bobby Wade Holland

November 10, 1939 - June 28, 2020

Bobby Holland, 80, of Albany Ga died June 28, 2020 at his home. As his children always said he must have 9 lives, because he faced many adversities that most would not make it through. And he lived them all to the fullest. A graveside service will be held Thursday July 2 at 11am at Fletcher Cemetery in Alapaha, GA. Due to Covid-19 and social distancing guidelines, Mr. Holland will lie in state at Kimbrell-Stern on Wednesday from 9 AM-4 PM. His friends who cannot go to the funeral in Berrien County are welcome to pay their respects.

A native of Alapaha, Ga. Bobby lived most of his life in Albany. He worked with the Seaboard Coastline Railroad for years until he was involved in an accident where he lost both of his legs. Despite the loss of his legs Bobby never slowed down. He overcame a tragedy and continued to live life to the fullest; driving, hunting and fishing until recent years. Bobby was full of life and never let the fact that he did not have legs affect how he lived his life. He was able to laugh at the situation he lived when at birthday parties his best friend Russell Gray would always give him a pair of socks. As soon as he became able he went to work for Cleve Westers Tire Mart and then to AutoCraft Parts Store where he finally retired.

He was a member of Lakeside Baptist Church.

He loved his children, grandchildren, extended family and friends big. Bobby was an amazing inspiration to all that knew and loved him. And those that knew him loved him.

For the last few years he had become an active member of SOWEGA Council on Aging where he truly enjoyed the company of the people and the activities. The family offers special thanks to the staff and members of SOWEGA Council of Aging for loving their daddy.

Bobby was preceded in death by his parents Pete and Daisy Holland and brother Donnie Holland and son-in-law Mike Hughes.

Survivors include his children Daryl Holland (Bobbie) Albany, Ga, Jeri Hughes, Cobb, Ga Dawn Black (Todd) Ashburn, Ga. His grandchildren Cassie Robertson (David), Ashley Craig (Brad), Dylan Holland, Ryan Hughes, Savannah Hughes, Jacob Black (Sarah), Colby Black. Great grandchildren Alexander Robertson, Grayson Nobles and Astrid Black, brother Jerry Holland (Jackie) Alapaha Ga and sister Freida Beck Ormond Beach, Fl, numerous nieces and nephews and a host of cousins.

In lieu of flowers please make memorials to SOWEGA Council on Aging in his memory. SOWEGA Council on Aging, P O Box 88, Albany, GA 31702.

# Cemetery Details

## Fletcher Cemetery

Hwy 129  
Alapaha, GA 31622

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUL 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Fletcher Cemetery  
Hwy 129  
Alapaha, GA 31622

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bobby Wade Holland*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Bobby Wade Holland*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Rest In Peace Bobby, fully restored!*

**Chuck Darsey** - July 01, 2020 at 06:49 AM



“ *I will never forget Bobby. We lived in the parsonage across the street. Many times he would call me and ask if i could come over and help him with something. He loved to talk and tell stories and i loved to listen to him. He would watch out for us and we did for him. Many times he would ride over on his motor wheelchair and we would have a great time talking. Although we moved to Leesburg we will truly miss him.*

**Joey Cannon** - June 30, 2020 at 09:47 PM



“ *Mr. Bobby was a great neighbor to us when we lived on Temple. We would be outside and he would come visit in his scooter. Mr. Bobby will be missed by so many people. Our Prayers are with his family, God Bless.*

*Joey and Patricia Cannon*

**Patricia Cannon** - June 30, 2020 at 02:22 PM

FL

“ Daryl and Family So sorry to see this about your Dad.He never let these obstacles slow him down. When we had the "class of 58" reunions he always came and had so much fun.and helped the rest of us "celebrate" also. I will continue to keep you and your family in my prayers Love in Christ, Frances [Julian] Lindsey

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**Frances Lindsey** - June 30, 2020 at 01:18 AM

JH

“ I will always keep fond memories of cousin Bobby. Bobby was a man that despite many obstacles that could have taken away his zest for life, powered through with great courage and made the best for himself and his loved ones. Rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers to family and friends.

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**Joseph Hester** - June 30, 2020 at 12:29 AM

JS

“ I was saddened to read of Mr. Holland's death. My father, O.O. Simmons, worked with him at Cleve Wester's Auto Parts and thought the world of him. Sending condolences to his family. Joanne Simmons Smith

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**Joanne Simmons Smith** - June 29, 2020 at 05:06 PM

KD

“ I would like to offer my condolences to the family of Mr. Holland. I always looked forward to seeing him. He will be greatly missed by our entire staff.

*Kelly.*

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**Kelly Draper** - June 29, 2020 at 01:23 PM

BM

“ *I always enjoyed talking to Mr. Bobby through the years. One heck of a good fellow. He will be missed. Prayers for Jeri and the family.* ”

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**Bill Murphree** - June 29, 2020 at 09:23 AM