



## Mr. Robert Bob Baynard Obituary

June 11, 1930 - July 11, 2013

Mr. Robert E. (Bob) Baynard, 83 of Pineknoll Ln. In Albany died July 11, 2013 at Willson Hospice House.

Funeral services will be Tuesday 11 AM at Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church. Rev. Leigh Ann Raynor, Rev. William Collins and Rev. Wayne Racz officiating. Interment will follow in Crown Hill Cemetery.

He was born June 11, 1930 in Atlanta, GA to the late Jennings Ernest and Ida Reid Baynard.

Bob graduated from Lanier High School, Macon, GA in 1948, received his BA degree from Mercer University in 1952 and his Doctor of Jurisprudence from Emory University in 1972. Before attending Emory University in May of 1952 he served as a college trainee at Southern Bell Telephone Co. In September of 1952 he served in the United States Army during the Korean War and in 1959 he received the Korean Service Medal, United Nations Service Medal and the National Defense Service Medal. He was honorable discharged as Captain from the United States Army Reserves. He then finished his career with Southern Bell Telephone with 20 years of service as a Management employee with the last 13 years at district manager level. From 1973 to 1999 Bob Practiced Law in Albany serving his last 10 years as Assistant District Attorney, serving under District Attorney's Britt Priddy and Ken Hodges, representing Dougherty Child Support Enforcement agency of the State of Georgia.

He was a longtime member of Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church,

and the last 39 as a teacher of the Alpha Sunday School class.

Bob was very active in civic, professional, charitable and religious activities. Over the years he was past president of the Dougherty Circuit Bar Association where he received the "Distinguished Service Award", he was Past President of the Dougherty County Kiwanis Club where he served as board member and chaired various committees and was president of the Dougherty units of the American Cancer Society and the American Red Cross. He was co-organizer and General Chairman of the National Pecan Festival, co-organizer and Vice president of the Albany Area Arts Council and past president of the Albany Community Council

Survivors include his wife, Mary Booth Baynard of Albany, sons, Reid Baynard and his wife Kathy of Woodstock, GA and Matthew Baynard and his wife Jackie of Pensacola, FL, daughter, Julie Evans and her husband Robert of Bulverde, TX, step-son, Clay Council and his wife Joy of Conyers, step-daughter, Lisa Phillips and her husband William of Albany, 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends 1 hour prior to the service at the church.

Those desiring, please make memorials to the Alpha Sunday School class c/o Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church, 2200 Dawson Rd. Albany, GA 31707 or Alzheimer's Association Southwest Georgia Regional Office 225 East 2nd St Tifton, GA 31794.

You may sign the online guest book and share your own special thoughts with the family of Mr. Baynard by visiting Kimbrell-Stern's website at [www.kimbrellstern.com](http://www.kimbrellstern.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 16. 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM (ET)

Porterfield United Methodist Church  
2200 Dawson Rd  
Albany, GA 31707

## Funeral Service

JUL 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Robert Bob Baynard Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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“ *Mr. Robert Bob Baynard Obituary*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Dear Mary & Famly, I was so sorry to learn of Bob's passing. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you all. I know he is in a better place now!*

**Dion Hurd - Albany , GA - Friend** - July 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Dear Mary and Family,  
I can't tell you how much my prayers and heart go out to you at this sad time. Bob was a remarkable man and he will be missed by many. I pray that God will be with you at this difficult time in your lives. May the comfort of God, family and friends be your strength for today and the days ahead.  
With much love and sympathy, Rosemarie

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**Rosemarie Peek - Albany, GA - Friend** - July 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Psalm 116:15  
"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints."  
  
May He comfort you at this time of sorrow.

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**The J. H. Ivey Family - Atlanta, GA - Reid is our son-in-law** - July 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ One of the first memories of your dad was at your birthday party. You were maybe 10 or 12 years old and the gang was all there including the huge collie, ( Prince, I think it was) playing football at the field behind Portefield church like we did a hundred kazillion times. There was your dad walking around with this super cool video camera scoping out anything and everything. You could see part of his head, just enough to see the famous smile flash as he took in all the sites and sounds of that glorious day. Later we watched the video on the TV in the house and we laughed as we scarfed down all the potato chips and cake available. And your Dad laughed too. It was a good time. A blessing to be together for a season and remember. Love and friendship Always. Randy Hendley

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**Randy hendley - Albany, GA - friend** - July 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Reid, I saw the obituary in the paper and wanted you to know that you are in my heart and thoughts during this difficult time. If you need anything, let me know. Love, Annette

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**Annette Perry - SSI, GA - friend of Reid Baynard** - July 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ My deepest sympathy to Bob's family. I did not know him well, but never heard anything but good about him. I remember him as a gentle and kind man. Mary, you are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Glenda Beall - Hayesville, NC - Friend** - July 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ We only knew Bob slightly but he always seemed to be a genuinely pleasant and fine person, with a welcoming smile that made you feel at ease. Our sympathy goes to all who loved Bob. I'm sure he will be missed. May God be with all of you through this time of grief.

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**Gay and Stu Moring - Roswell,, GA - friends** - July 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ Julie, Matt and family, I am thinking of you. Peace be with you.

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**Virginia Flick** - July 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ I had the pleasure of working with Bob while he was with the DA 's office. He was a fine person who was helpful to all. He took time to make all those he worked with better. He will be greatly missed.

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**Dick Hand Jr - Albany, GA - friend** - July 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM