



Mr. Robert Bob Lewis Obituary

September 6, 1920 - September 24, 2011

Robert (Bob) Craven Lewis, 91, passed away peacefully in his sleep at his home Saturday morning, September 24, 2011. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, September 27, 2011 at 11:00AM at Porterfield United Methodist Church. Visitation will be held at 10:00AM on Tuesday, the hour prior to the service. Rev. Leigh Ann Raynor, Dr. Donald M. Kea and Rev. William Collins will officiate. Interment will follow at Crown Hill Cemetery. His grandchildren will serve as active and honorary pallbearers. They are, Trey Whitt, Kevin Lewis, Kyle Lewis, Parker Lewis, Jeffrey Harrison and Jessica Harrison.

Mr. Lewis was born September 6, 1920 in Rex, NC, the youngest child of Lula Jernigan Lewis and Thomas C. Lewis.

Having joined the NC National Guard, he served in WWII on the Italian front and spent two years there. Mr. Lewis moved his family to Albany from Laurinburg, NC in 1959 in order to manage Blue Equipment Company. He was active in the community, having served as president of the YMCA, past president of Doublegate Country Club, served on the Salvation Army board as well as the American Cancer Society board. He was an active member of Porterfield United Methodist Church, having served as board chairman as well as various committees. Mr. Lewis was also a member of the Alpha Sunday School Class.

He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather and caring

friend. He is survived by his wife of nearly sixty four years, Jean, one son Robert Craven Lewis, Jr. (Bobby) of Greer, SC, three daughters, Ann Lewis Abel (Sonny), of Albany, Deborah Lewis Kraemer (Mark) of Cibolo, TX and Kimberly Blue Lewis, of Atlanta, GA, six grandchildren, three great grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs Mary Lois Martin of Whiteville, NC and Mrs. Ida L. Johnson (Bill), of Clinton, NC.

Memorials may be made to Porterfield United Methodist Church, 2200 Dawson Rd, Albany, GA, 31707, Multiple Sclerosis Society, GA Chapter, 1100 Circle Pkwy SE, Atlanta, GA 30339 or a charity of your choice.

To share your online condolences with the Lewis family, you may visit our website at www.kimbrellstern.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

Porterfield United Methodist Church
2200 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707

Funeral Service

SEP 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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2200 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Robert Bob Lewis Obituary*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Dear Jean and family,*

Sorry that we will not be able to attend the service tomorrow, but want my Tar Heel buddy to know that you are in our hearts and prayers.

Love,

Faye & J.W.

Faye & J.W. Christiansen - GA - September 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Jean and family, I am so sad to hear that Bob passed away. He was always such a nice man and a gentleman. When I worked for him at John Blue, I remember how his Christianity came through in dealing with people. I love you. Janice*

Janice Garey - Albany, GA - friend - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jean we remember many friendly Bridge Games and visits. The sharing in the Alpha Sunday School Class. Our hearts and prayers are with you and the family.*

John & Rosemary Prewitt - Albany, GA - Friend - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ Kim, you, your Dad and you family are in my thoughts and prayers. I'm so sorry for your loss and so glad you're with your family at this sad time.

Annette

Annette Cowart - Atlanta, GA - friend and co-woker of Kimberly - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EL

“ Kim:

I just want to say that I am so sorry to hear about the passing of your dad. I will keep you and your family in my prayers.

Ella L. Porter

Ella L. Porter - Atlanta, GA - A co-worker of Kimberly B. Lewis - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EL

“ Hello Kim,

Sorry to hear about the passing of your dad. May his soul rest in peace. May you and your family be blessed.

Sincerely,

Elaine

Elaine Rose - Atlanta, GA - co-worker of Kimberly Lewis - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

Kelly Rooks Haddock - Damascus, GA - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *To all the Lewis family. My thoughts and affections extend to you all. Mr. Lewis was a true gentleman's gentleman and a kind man. When I was in my 20's and 30's my Saturdays were filled with the enjoyment of playing golf with Mr. Lewis and my Daddy at Doublegate. It was a tradition like no other. We were a group and I looked so forward to it each week. Mr. Lewis was such a pleasure to play golf with as he provided such enjoyable fellowship and great wit. I was so lucky to have my Daddy for 84 years and I hope everyone that knew Mr. Lewis will feel as lucky having him for 91. An incredible friend. If there are golf courses in Heaven, I'll bet Mr. Lewis is in a round with Daddy making sure he doesn't throw any clubs in anger. I will miss him deeply and am thankful that I knew him for so many years.*

Mark Hester - Albany, GA - Friend - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ *Dear Mrs. Jean and family,*

I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Mr. Bob. He was a dear sweet man and I will miss him dearly. You all are in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time.

*Love,
Michele Christiansen Webb*

Michele Christiansen Webb - GA - September 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ *Thinking of all of you during this sad time!!! Much love to all of you!!!*
Tori and Jay Whiting

Tori Riles Whiting - September 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM