



Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer

August 10, 1938 - November 7, 2021

Bobby Wayne Parmer passed away peacefully at his home on November 7, 2021. He was 83.

Bobby was born on August 10, 1938 in Ephesus, Georgia to the late James Ervin and Cora Lee Parmer and he loved the Ephesus community where he was born and raised. He grew up at Gray Hill Church of God and was a member since 1962. He held positions in the church such as Sunday School Superintendent and was the church clerk for many years. But most of all he enjoyed praising the Lord through singing and playing the tambourine. In 2004, the Church of God Department of Lay Ministries inducted Bobby into the Hall of Christian Excellence. As a profession, Bobby raised chickens for Gold Kist Farms for 31 years. He also raised cattle, operated heavy equipment, and farmed his land.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers and sister-in-law, Hanley and Hollis and Letha Parmer; and his sister and brother-in-law, Ruth and Armond Cofield.

Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Lynda Stogner Parmer; his children and their spouses, David and Lisa Parmer, Phil and Barbara Parmer, Luauna and Randy Cummings, Matt and Connie Parmer, Mark and Elaine Parmer; his nine grandchildren; nineteen great-grandchildren; and his sister-in-law, Betty Parmer.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. (Georgia Time) at Gray Hill Church of God. David Parmer, Josh Parmer, and

Bill Calhoun will officiate. Ashley Patterson will render the music. Pallbearers will be Jared Parmer, Austin Parmer, Devin Parmer, Zach Barron, Mike Parmer, Mitchell Turner, Brian Patterson, Matthew Cummings, and Jamey Head. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Prior to the services, Mr. Parmer's body will lie-in-state at the church from 1:00 p.m. (Georgia Time) till the funeral hour.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Tuesday, November 9, 2021 from 4:00 till 7:00 p.m. (Georgia Time).

Cemetery Details

Gray Hill Church of God Cemetery

Woodland, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 9. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home
317 North Carroll Street
Bowdon, GA 30108
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Funeral Service

NOV 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Gray Hill Church of God
Woodland, AL 36280

Tribute Wall

KS

“ *I love you chocolate pudding Uncle Bobby!*

Kay Stogner Smith - January 16, 2024 at 02:26 AM

JW

“ *Jr. And Donna Whitmore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Jr. and Donna Whitmore - November 10, 2021 at 01:13 PM

PJ

“ *On a rainy day me Tommy Yarborough, Bobby Wayne and some young boys in the back of a Buick decided to go to the cow sale in Ranburne.. Tommy was driving and I was in the middle on the hump and Bobby was on end in the front seat. Somewhere along the way Tommy lost control of the car and it started spinning in circles. I started praying out loud intensely. We came to rest up against a power pole.No one was hurt and the car wasn't even dented. Bobby said " Pastor you prayed us out of that wreck i'm going to buy you a steak".....and he did. . I was his Pastor for four years. I was 33 when I came to be his pastor, he was 53. If I have accomplished any good in this life, it is because God put men like Bobby Wayne Palmer in my Life. Mentor, Life Coach, My Friend! Prayers and thoughts to Bobby's beautiful and precious family*

Phillip Jones - November 10, 2021 at 07:49 AM

LC

Thank you for being our Pastor and friend! We love you, Shirley, and all your family!

Luauna Cummings - January 22, 2023 at 08:58 PM

RS

“ I guess I have known Brother Palmer for many years. Always a hard working good Godly man and a true example of a Christian. He does don't just confess it but he lived it every day. I am sure there will be a void in the Palmer house now. But he left you all a road map and you can see him again one day. Thank you for such an example of how a Christian should conduct themselves Brother Bobby. Many have watched you for all these years. Prayers for the family.

Ricky Shirley - November 10, 2021 at 06:39 AM

LC

Thank you, Bro. Shirley. He loved serving God, and I'm sure he considered you a wonderful friend.

Luauna Cummings - January 22, 2023 at 09:01 PM

GP

“ Glenn And Patricia Prince lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer



Glenn and Patricia Prince - November 09, 2021 at 09:17 PM

TC

“ Tommy&Judy Cantrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer



Tommy&Judy Cantrell - November 09, 2021 at 05:57 PM

SH

“ Suzanne Horton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer



Suzanne Horton - November 09, 2021 at 03:09 PM

DC

“ Dottie Grizzard Cavender lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer



Dottie Grizzard Cavender - November 09, 2021 at 03:02 PM



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Rainwater Funeral Home - November 09, 2021 at 12:28 PM



“ Barbara Hollaway Cavender lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer



Barbara Hollaway Cavender - November 09, 2021 at 09:17 AM



“ Janie Meadows lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer



Janie Meadows - November 09, 2021 at 08:45 AM



I think the world of this family. Love you Sister Lynda and your children. Be thinking of you. Bro. Bobby is rejoicing in the heavenly choir 🙏🙏

Jeannie Huey - November 09, 2021 at 02:02 PM

BL

“ *Bart Loftin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Bart Loftin - November 09, 2021 at 08:32 AM

BG

“ *Things won't be the same without him around. Praying for the ease of heart for not only the family but the friends and communities he's touched over the years. Heaven gained the perfect angel and what a day of rejoice it'll be when we all get to see him again someday* ❤️🙏



Bridgett Garrett - November 09, 2021 at 06:33 AM

CH

“ *Connie And David Hyatt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Connie and David Hyatt - November 09, 2021 at 05:25 AM

GH

“ *Grant And Tabbie Huff lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Grant and Tabbie Huff - November 08, 2021 at 11:45 PM

GA

“ *Glenda Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Glenda Adams - November 08, 2021 at 09:21 PM

GK

“ *Great Man. Always had a smile and was always the same no matter where you saw him.*



glenn knight - November 08, 2021 at 07:41 PM

JJ

“ *Judie Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Judie Jackson - November 08, 2021 at 07:18 PM

GM

“ *Gordon/Mary McLeroy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Wayne Parmer*



Gordon/Mary McLeroy - November 08, 2021 at 05:19 PM

TH

“ *Tanner Hospice Care staff would like to offer our condolences to you during this difficult time. We appreciate you trusting your loved one in our care.*

Tanner Hospice - November 08, 2021 at 03:13 PM