



## Col. Clifford Hitt

November 11, 1942 - July 8, 2024

Col. George Clifford Hitt, of Bowdon, Georgia, passed away on July 8, 2024. He was 81.

Col. Hitt was born on November 11, 1942 in Mobile, Alabama to the late James Louis and Lilly Powell Hitt. He was a graduate of both Auburn University and Southern Mississippi University where he received bachelor and masters degrees in mathematics and engineering. Col. Hitt was a 24 year veteran of the U.S. Air Force where he served in Vietnam and received many medals and accommodations including, but not limited to, the Bronze Star and Meritorious Service Medal. Upon retirement, he and his wife, Faye, enjoyed a quiet life on their small farm and spending time with family, especially his granddaughters.

Survivors include his wife, Faye Hand Hitt; his sons and daughter-in-law, George Clifford Hitt II and Joseph Patrick and Lana Hitt; his granddaughters, Calleigh Rebecca Hitt and Zoe Grace Hitt; his siblings, Ellen, Lillie, Louis, Richard, Estelle, Susie, and Bobby; and many nieces and nephews.

A memorial service for Col. Hitt will be held on Friday, July 12, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. at the Chapel of Rainwater Funeral Home. Bro. Gearold Thompson, Jr. will officiate. A graveside service will follow at Macedonia Baptist Church in Ranburne where Col. Hitt will receive full military honors.

Prior to the service on Friday, the family will receive friends at the funeral home from 12:00 p.m. till the service hour.

In accordance with Col. Hitt's wishes, his body was cremated.

# Cemetery Details

## Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery

3920 County Road 48  
Ranburne, AL 36273

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 12. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home  
317 North Carroll Street  
Bowdon, GA 30108  
(770) 258-7239  
[info@rainwaterfuneralhome.com](mailto:info@rainwaterfuneralhome.com)  
<https://www.rainwaterfuneralhome.com>

## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

KA

“ He was such a nice man he use to come get haircut every year about Valentine’s Day, therefore, I called him my Valentine lol We had LOTS of good talks He loved his wife and family dearly Always paid me in 50 cent pieces Have saved everyone of them He will be greatly missed But so glad he’s not sick and miserable anymore!!! Prayers for you all!

Karen - July 30, 2024 at 04:52 PM

EH

“ Faye, I haven't seen you since our 20th reunion; You have our sincere condolences and prayers for your loss. Ed (Wallace) Harvell, Wichita Kansas.

Ed Harvell - July 18, 2024 at 01:31 PM

SM

“ Sherrie Musick lit a candle in memory of Col. Clifford Hitt



Sherrie Musick - July 12, 2024 at 06:57 PM



“ 46 files added to the album Life Tributes



Rainwater Funeral Home - July 12, 2024 at 08:23 AM

WG

*Deepest sympathy to the family. Clifford, Tommy Smith, Jerry Brown and I commuted from Ranburne to Auburn University in 1961. We returned to Ranburne on weekends for our home visits. I still have fond memories of our trips to Auburn. Wallace Gay, Arab, Alabama*

Wallace Gay - July 13, 2024 at 12:41 PM

GM

“ Gordon/Mary McLeroy lit a candle in memory of Col. Clifford Hitt



Gordon/Mary McLeroy - July 11, 2024 at 10:02 PM

JB

“ I always enjoyed seeing Clifford in the office. I am thankful for all the help he was to our mutual friend Max. Thank you all for his service to our country. Dr. Jimmy Brock

jimmy brock - July 11, 2024 at 08:14 PM

PH

“ *Paula Hall lit a candle in memory of Col. Clifford Hitt*



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**Paula Hall** - July 11, 2024 at 07:41 PM

HM

“ *I will miss you my dear friend. Prayers to the family.*

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**Howard Morris** - July 11, 2024 at 05:45 PM

PU

“ *Deepest condolences to Faye and the entire family Patsy and Tom Upchurch*

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**Patsy and Tom Upchurch** - July 11, 2024 at 11:07 AM

TC

“ *Tommy & Jeff Cantrell lit a candle in memory of Col. Clifford Hitt*



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**Tommy & Jeff Cantrell** - July 10, 2024 at 12:08 PM

JB

“ *George, I am very sorry for your loss of your father. My condolences to your family.*

*John Barrett*

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**John Barrett** - July 10, 2024 at 10:43 AM

PH

“ *Patty And Tom Hardy lit a candle in memory of Col. Clifford Hitt*



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**Patty and Tom Hardy** - July 10, 2024 at 10:31 AM