



Mr. Tommy Kirby

April 25, 1932 - November 5, 2023

Mr. John Thomas “Tommy” Kirby, of Bowdon, Georgia, passed away on November 5, 2023. He was 91.

Mr. Kirby was born on April 25, 1932 in Randolph County, Alabama to the late Henry and Leona Kirby. He was veteran of the U.S. Army. He worked for more than 40 years at Warren Sewell Clothing as a supervisor over the warehouse. He was a long-time member of the Bowdon First Methodist Church. He cut and maintained the cemetery at the church for over 15 years. He enjoyed fishing, yard work and gardening. Loved watching sports: Baseball, Football and Nascar. He enjoyed going to the Bowdon Red Devil football games and was a season ticket holder for over 30 years.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, Byron Kirby, Donald Kirby, James Ray Kirby, and Curtis Kirby.

Survivors include his wife of 69 years, Vira Wilson Kirby; his son and daughter-in-law, Mark and Greta Kirby of Bowdon; his daughter and son-in-law, Tammy and Walley Frost of Bowdon; his grandchildren and their spouses, Ryan and Madi Frost of Guyton, Georgia, Kevin and Brook Frost of Warner Robins, Georgia, Emily and Keller Brown of Nashville, Tennessee, and Morgan Kirby of Bowdon; his great-grandchildren, Ethan and Harper Frost; his sister and brother-in-law, Martha and Jack Baldwin; and many nieces and

nephews.

As per his wishes, Mr. Kirby's body was donated to Emory University School of Medicine, where he will continue helping others.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, November 26, 2023 at 2:00 p.m. at Bowdon First Methodist Church (302 Wedowee Street, Bowdon, Georgia, 30108). Prior to the service, the family will receive friends at the church from 1:30 till the service hour.

The family would like to extend their gratitude to the wonderful staff of Brookdale Carrollton and Sacred Journey Hospice for their support during this difficult time.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Tommy's memory to Bowdon First Methodist Church

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **26**. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bowdon First Methodist Church
302 Wedowee Street
Bowdon, GA 30108

Memorial Service

NOV **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CW

“ *Craig Walker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Craig Walker - November 30, 2023 at 04:06 AM

LS

“ *Lynn Spratlin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



lynn Spratlin - November 10, 2023 at 09:44 PM

JK

“ *So sorry to hear about Uncle Tommy's passing. I wish I lived closer to everyone so I could've spent so much more time with all of you. I've missed out on so much. I love you all.*



Jennifer Kirby - November 10, 2023 at 07:17 PM

TC

“ *Tommy & Judy Cantrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Tommy & Judy Cantrell - November 10, 2023 at 02:04 PM

PH

“ *Paula Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Paula Hall - November 09, 2023 at 07:30 PM

JW

“ *Jr. Whitmore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Jr. Whitmore - November 09, 2023 at 10:19 AM

LV

“ *Lisa Vise lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Lisa Vise - November 09, 2023 at 10:01 AM

EC

“ *The family of Ohmer Hightower extends their heartfelt sympathy to Vira & family. Tommy & Vira were adored by the Hightower family. Elaine Hightower Chambers Rome Georgia*

Elaine Hightower Chambers - November 09, 2023 at 09:12 AM

BL

“ *Bart Loftin sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Bart Loftin - November 09, 2023 at 09:07 AM

GM

“ *Gordon/Mary McLeroy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Gordon/Mary McLeroy - November 09, 2023 at 08:21 AM

GP

“ *We always thought a lot of Mr. Tommy. He was a kind man that was so easy to talk to .*



Glenn and Patricia Prince - November 08, 2023 at 07:29 PM

RK

“ *Rita Baughn Kingsolver lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Rita Baughn Kingsolver - November 08, 2023 at 05:36 PM

JM

“ *Janie R Meadows lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy Kirby*



Janie R Meadows - November 08, 2023 at 02:59 PM