



Hilton Purvis

August 15, 1935 - May 26, 2021

Mr. Hilton Purvis, age 85 of Willacoochee, passed away late Wednesday evening, May 26, 2021 at his daughter's residence in Douglas following an extended illness. Mr. Purvis was born August 15, 1935 to the late Albert Purvis and the late Henrietta Cribbs Purvis. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by 2 daughters: Patricia Ann Courdle and Angela Christy.

Mr. Purvis, a native of Coffee County, was a self-employed Concrete Contractor. He was a member of Willacoochee Church of God.

Survivors include:

His wife of 65 Years: Lillie Lucille Kilgore Purvis of Willacoochee, GA

2 Children: Brenda Schulmeister of Douglas, GA
Milton Purvis of Willacoochee, GA

1 Sister: Dorothy Mae Taylor of Douglas, GA

9 Grandchildren: Kyle Purvis and Mathew Purvis both of Largo, FL
Crystal Schulmeister of Middleburg, FL
Tina Marie Neuhauser of Yulee, FL
Justin Jackson and Candice Christy both of Pearson, GA

Leann Knapp of Broxton, GA
Larry Courdle of North Carolina
Melinda Courdle of Willacoochee, GA

Several Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and many Friends

The funeral service will be Sunday afternoon, May 30, 2021 at 4:00 PM at Chapel of Ricketson Funeral Home with his granddaughter, Tina Marie Neuhauser officiating. The interment will follow in Vickers Rural Cemetery.

The family will receive friends on Saturday evening, May 29, 2021 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Ricketson Funeral Home

Active Pallbearers for the service will be: Justin Jackson, Larry Courdle, Austin Courdle, Anthony Andrews, Mathew Purvis and Kyle Purvis.

Due to COVID-19, attendees are asked to observe six foot social distancing at the visitation, funeral service and interment. Please wear your mask for safety precautions and in accordance with CDC guidelines.

Ricketson Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home, Inc.
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533
(912) 384-1155
ricketsonfunhm@windstream.net
<https://www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

MAY **30**. 4:00 PM (ET)

Ricketson Funeral Home Chapel
305 West Ward Street
Douglas, GA 31533

Tribute Wall



“ Ricketson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Hilton Purvis



Ricketson Funeral Home - May 29, 2021 at 09:09 AM

KE

Beautiful service for a Godly man may Hilton rest in peace always. Prayers for the family who must learn to live without him

Karleen K Evans - May 31, 2021 at 01:53 PM



“ Hilton Purvis

November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Hilton Purvis.



May 29, 2021 at 09:13 AM



“ 58 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Ricketson Funeral Home - May 29, 2021 at 09:00 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of *Hilton Purvis*.



May 28, 2021 at 11:00 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of *Hilton Purvis*.



May 28, 2021 at 10:38 PM

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“ Neal&Cindy Spivey lit a candle in memory of Hilton Purvis



Neal&Cindy Spivey - May 28, 2021 at 08:39 PM

YF

“ Your PMO Family purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Hilton Purvis.



Your PMO Family - May 28, 2021 at 11:43 AM



“ Thank you for being such a good grandfather to the boys. You will always be in our hearts.



Diane Nelson Wallen - May 28, 2021 at 10:12 AM



“ How could I honor a grandpa as great as he was and really do him justice? It's really impossible... He was just that special. We will greatly miss him but we will carry on his legacy the best we know how. They just don't make them like grandpa anymore .. 😞💙

Tina Neuhauser - May 27, 2021 at 09:41 PM

EA

“ Uncle Hilton will truly be missed. You could not find a more Godly man then is was. If we could see him now he is walking on street of gold and made whole. He will be missed by his family, but they can have the assurance that one day they will be with him again. I am praying for the family.

Love, Elaine Watson, Adkins

Evelyn Adkins - May 27, 2021 at 09:24 PM

PH

“ Uncle Hilton was a unique Man, one who I looked up to. He was special to us. Thinking of You All. Peggy, Billy Joe, Brooke, and Brice Hall



Peggy L. Hall - May 27, 2021 at 04:17 PM

HS

Bro. Purvis was a great man of God. We meet them in Pinellas Park about 60 yr ago. Prayers for the family.

Hubert and Doris Sanderson - May 27, 2021 at 05:40 PM