



Lawton Leroy "Roy" Ellis

November 7, 1953 - September 28, 2024

Mr. Lawton Leroy "Roy" Ellis, age 70, of West Green, Georgia, passed away Saturday afternoon, September 28, 2024, in Douglas, Georgia, following a period of declining health.

Mr. Ellis was born November 7, 1953 in Douglas, Georgia, to the late Charles Leon Ellis and the late Sarah Elizabeth Kinnett Ellis. He made his career in the construction industry as a cement finisher, and was of the Baptist faith. Along with his parents, Mr. Ellis was preceded in death by 2 brothers: Kenneth Leon Ellis and Randy Lee Ellis, and 1 step-son, Justin Scott Denton.

Mr. Ellis is survived by a sister, Charlene E. Metts and husband, Carlton, of Douglas, Georgia; 2 step-daughters: Jacque Denton (Larry Roberson) of Douglas, Georgia, Christine Wagenblast (Gary Edwards) of Tennessee; 1 step-son, David Wayne Carpenter of Georgia; 1 granddaughter, Laken Woods (Paul Woodard) of Waycross, Georgia; 2 great grandchildren: Mackenzie Summerlin and husband, Zachary, of Hazlehurst, Georgia, and Anthony "Bubba" Woods, Jr. of Waycross, Georgia.

Per his wishes memorialization will be by cremation and no services will be held at this time.

Condolences may be left for the family at www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com.

Ricketson Funeral Home, Inc. is in charge of the arrangements.