



Scott Appleby Roberts

May 18, 1941 - July 24, 2015

Mr. Scott A. Roberts, age 74, of Douglas passed away Friday, July 24, 2015, at the Genesis Health Care Center, in Hazlehurst, following an extended illness. He was born May 18, 1941, to the late Albert Jackson “Jack” Roberts and the late Linnie Evelyn Yawn Roberts. Mr. Roberts, a native of Jeff Davis County, had lived in the Coffee County area for most of his life working as an Accountant. He was a Pianist for many churches, as well as playing the Piano for funerals. He had been the Pianist for the Coffee County Quartet, and the Calvarymen’s Quartet. For the past few years he had been the Pianist for the Message Group, formerly the Kings Messengers. He had been the EMA Director for Coffee County, a Boy Scout Troop Leader, and the Squadron Commander for the Civil Air Patrol. He was also preceded in death by a sister, Minnie Louise Roberts. Mr. Roberts was a member of the Southview Church of God. Survivors include, His Wife: Joyce Sellers Roberts of Douglas, Ga.; 1 Son: Sonny (Sue Ellen) Roberts of Colorado Springs, Colorado. 2 Grandchildren: Scott A. “Tripp” Roberts, III, and Rileigh Elise Roberts, both of Colorado Springs, Colorado. 2 Sisters: Jackie Phillips of Norfolk, Virginia, and Anna Miele of Midlothian, Virginia. A Host of Friends and Other Relatives. Funeral Services were held Monday morning, July 27, 2015, at 11:00 A. M., at the Southview Church of God, with Rev. Tim Hicks and Rev. Hilton Martin officiating. The Interment followed in the Douglas City Cemetery. Active Pallbearers were: Allen Denison, Mickey Mancil, Mason Cater, Sonny Roberts, David Roberson, and Kevin Pierce. Members of the Civil Air

Squadron, Brunswick Senior Squadron Group 4 served as Honorary Pallbearers. Special Musical Selections, "The Eastern Gate", was presented by Rev. Tim and Kaye Hicks, with CD Music, "I Know A Man Who Can", was rendered by a CD of Scott and Joyce Roberts, and Hazel Davis, with Scott Roberts at the Piano, and "Hold To God's Unchanging Hand", was rendered by Rev. Tim Hicks, with Mrs. Kaye Hicks, at the Piano. Ricketson Funeral Home was in charge of the Arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Douglas City Cemetery

1622 North Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, GA 31533

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 26. 6:00 PM - 9:00 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

JUL 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

Southview Church of God
1919 Willacoochee Highway
Douglas, GA 31535

Tribute Wall



“ *Scott Appleby Roberts*

November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ *Maudine Wright lit a candle in memory of Scott Appleby Roberts*



Maudine Wright - September 18, 2015 at 04:26 PM



“ *Mrs. Roberts and family, I am so sorry for the loss of your husband. My sister and I would go to the sings they used to have at the Martin Civic Center. He was a dynamic personality and and I have always remembered him.. I think you all were friends with my mom, Jean Guthrie.*

*Sincerly,
Angie and Georganne Guthrie*



Georganne Guthrie - July 27, 2015 at 07:27 AM

NP

“Joyce, Sonny, Sue Ellen, Rileigh, Tripp, Jackie & Anna, we are so very sorry for your great loss. Scott was a wonderful man, husband, father, brother, friend, & awesome cousin whose light shone wherever he was. He had a great sense of humor, he was a teaser, and a magnificent pianist/singer who touched the lives of many. He was a blessing to all who knew him. He is rejoicing & singing with the Angels now. We love you all dearly! Rest in Peace, Sweet Angel Scott, you are forever loved & will be missed by all your earthly family & friends. ~ Mike & Naomi Parramore, Tallahassee, FL



Naomi & Mike Parramore - July 26, 2015 at 10:59 PM

RC

“Raymond, Angie Carver lit a candle in memory of Scott Appleby Roberts



Raymond, Angie Carver - July 26, 2015 at 08:59 PM

JC

“ I knew Scott as a dedicated leader of the Douglas Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol. He was the driving force behind the local squadron when it was in its prime. The squadron cadet color guard won first place in the State of Georgia, and performed at a number of locations around the State, including the Annual Conference of the CAP Georgia Wing.

Scott and his senior members and cadets were regular participants in Search and Rescue Exercises (SAREX's) around the State. The Georgia Wing has long conducted an annual cold weather SAREX, called Operation Frostbite. Scott championed the establishment of an annual warm weather exercise to be known as Operation Heatstroke. This was particularly wise and insightful, since most CAP activity in Georgia takes place during warm weather. Almost singlehandedly Scott brought Operation Heatstroke into being. He and his Senior and Cadet leaders hosted the exercise in Douglas for several years, with great success. i had the honor of working with him on those exercises.

Scott's leadership and dedication enhanced the spirit and readiness of the Civil Air Patrol during those years. He will live on in the minds and hearts of those who knew him and served with him. Goodbye, Old Friend!

Jack

John C. Caldwell, Jr., Lieutenant Colonel, Civil Air Patrol
Deputy Commander, Group IV, Georgia Wing

Jack Caldwell - July 26, 2015 at 03:11 PM

SR

Col, Thanks for those thoughts. Daddy loved CAP more than most things. He cherished the friendships of you and many others in Brunswick. Thanks for being part of his life.
-Sonny

Sonny Roberts - July 27, 2015 at 04:09 PM

SS

“ *Sandy Sweat lit a candle in memory of Scott Appleby Roberts*



Sandy Sweat - July 25, 2015 at 08:11 PM



“ *Samantha Lankford lit a candle in memory of Scott Appleby Roberts*



Samantha Lankford - July 25, 2015 at 07:44 PM

TS

“ *Tonya Spivey lit a candle in memory of Scott Appleby Roberts*



tonya spivey - July 25, 2015 at 07:05 PM