



## Bobby Joe Absher

February 28, 1938 - December 11, 2015

Bobby Joe Absher age 77, of Chuckey, Tennessee, formerly of the Richlands area, passed away on Friday, December 11, 2015 in Johnson City, Tennessee.

He was born in Richlands, Virginia and was the son of the late, William Doc Absher and Lelia Newberry Absher. He was a Disabled Veteran, having served in the U.S. Army. Bobby was a former member of the Cedar Bluff Masonic Lodge 260 AF&AM. He had lived in the Richlands area most of his life, having lived the last 10 years in Tennessee.

Those who carry on his spirit are:

His loving wife, Alice Faye Pruitt Absher of Chuckey, TN

Daughters:

Sandra Lynn Brown and husband John of Bristol, TN

Sheila Teresa Beasley and husband Otto of Staten Island, NY

Sheryl Ann Huygens and husband Tom of Clarksville, Iowa

Sons:

Robert "Bobby" Joseph Absher, Jr. and fiancée DeAnna of Fredericksburg, VA

Michael David Absher and wife Kim of Monroeville, AL

Sister, Carol Clevinger of Abingdon, VA

Fourteen grandchildren and a host of family and friends also survive him.

The funeral service for Bobby Joe Absher will be conducted at 2:00pm on Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, VA with the Pastor Michael D. Absher officiating. Interment will follow at the

Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be Noah Absher, Benaiah Absher, Michael Huygens, Christopher Huygens, John Brown and Tom Huygens. The family will receive friends from 12:00pm -2:00pm on Tuesday. Members of the Casey-Shortt VFW Post 9640 will conduct military graveside rites.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy  
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 15. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home  
1401 2nd Street  
Richlands, VA 24641  
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

## Funeral Service

DEC 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Bobby Joe Absher

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Bobby Joe Absher

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Bobby's son Bobby was a close friend of mine in high school. As things often happen, we took separate paths and I haven't seen him in nearly 30 years now. Earlier this year I lost my own father. My thoughts and prayers are with Bobby and his family siblings. May faith and good memories of your father comfort you during this time.

*Sincerely*

*Kirk Helton*

kirk helton - December 29, 2015 at 01:47 AM



“ Carolyn Hess lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Absher



carolyn hess - December 14, 2015 at 02:35 PM

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“ Aunt Alice Im sorry to hear about bob hope you are ok and my prayers are with you Love your neice Carol Hess

carolyn hess - December 14, 2015 at 02:32 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bobby Joe Absher.



December 14, 2015 at 11:05 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bobby Joe Absher.



December 13, 2015 at 08:19 PM

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“ Ruby Asbury lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Absher



Ruby Asbury - December 13, 2015 at 07:27 AM



“ *Tom And Dot McGlothlin lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Absher* ”



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**Tom and Dot McGlothlin** - December 12, 2015 at 08:10 PM