



Bobby Joe Earls

August 22, 1938 - May 1, 2016

Bobby Joe Earls, age 77 of Cedar Bluff, Virginia passed away on Sunday, May 1, 2016 at the Commonwealth Memory Care in Claypool Hill following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Tazewell County and was the son of the late James Fred and Cynthia Allene Cochran Earls. He served his country in the U.S. Army and later became a welder and worked for the Long Airdox mining equipment company. He was a devoted and loving husband, father, brother, grandpa and great grandpa. He was of the Pentecostal Holiness faith and a lifetime resident of the area and will truly be missed by all who knew and loved him.

Those who remain to carry on his spirit are:

His loving wife of 58 years, Rita Ann Richardson Earls of Cedar Bluff, VA

Daughters:

Connie Earls Ball and husband Rodney of Thomasville, NC

Bobbie Lynn Horton and husband Billy of Richlands, VA

Son, Joe Roy Earls of Tazewell, VA

Sisters:

Rita Lee Seacrest of Lexington, NC

Melissa Ann Jones of Falls Mills, VA

Brother, Fred Dudley Earls of N. Tazewell, VA

Eight grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and a host of family and friends also survive.

The Funeral Service for Bobby Joe Earls will be conducted at 11:00 am on

Wednesday, May 4, 2016 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Mike Roberts and Pastor Rodney Ball officiating. Interment will follow at the Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, VA. Pallbearers will be Christopher Earls, Emory Earls, Brett Horton, Brandon Earls, Shawn Roberts, Jeff Whitt and Jackie Whitt. Honorary pallbearer: Dr. Stephen Rinehart. The family will begin receiving friends Tuesday evening at 6:00 pm. Military graveside rites will be conducted by the Casey Shortt VFW Post# 9640.

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.

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 3. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

MAY 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Military Service

MAY 4. 12:00 PM (ET)

Greenhills Memory Gardens
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Tribute Wall



“ Bobby Joe Earls

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Bobby Joe Earls

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about Bobby's passing so my prayers are with you and your family... Love you 💙🙏💙



Amy Hart - June 09, 2021 at 01:20 PM



“ Darrell & Carol Stillwell lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls



Darrell & Carol Stillwell - May 05, 2016 at 06:39 PM



Bobbie, So Sorry To Hear About Your Dad, You And Your Family Are In My Thoughts and Prayers!

Darrell ,Carol Stillwell - May 05, 2016 at 06:45 PM

LQ

“ Rita ,So sorry Bobby Joe was one of a Kind .Been a while since I had seen him.Love & prayers .Lila

Lila Quesenberry - May 05, 2016 at 10:17 AM

LQ

“ Lila Quesenberry lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls



Lila Quesenberry - May 05, 2016 at 10:14 AM

SB

“ Sharon Fain Beavers lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls



Sharon Fain Beavers - May 03, 2016 at 05:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bobby Joe Earls.



May 03, 2016 at 04:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bobby Joe Earls.*



May 03, 2016 at 01:40 PM



“ *Love Rita, Lee, vAdam and becky purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Bobby Joe Earls.*



Love Rita, Lee, vAdam and becky - May 03, 2016 at 12:13 PM



“ *Todd And JoANN RiCHARDSON lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Todd and JoANN RiCHARDSON - May 03, 2016 at 11:44 AM



“ *Tonya And Edgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Tonya and Edgar Wicks - May 03, 2016 at 07:59 AM



“ *Peggy Sparks lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Peggy Sparks - May 02, 2016 at 10:16 PM



“ *Ruth Cleven lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Ruth Cleven - May 02, 2016 at 09:52 PM



“ *Lynne sent a virtual gift in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Lynne - May 02, 2016 at 07:28 PM



“ *Lynne lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Lynne - May 02, 2016 at 07:27 PM

PC

“ *Peggy Christian lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Peggy Christian - May 02, 2016 at 06:51 PM

JH

“ *Precious memories of times gone by. Love and prayers ,Cracker & Babs*



James Hoops - May 02, 2016 at 06:36 PM

JK

“ *Jill Kinder lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Jill Kinder - May 02, 2016 at 06:14 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bobby Joe Earls.*



May 02, 2016 at 04:40 PM

AM

“ *Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - May 02, 2016 at 04:16 PM

TN

“ *Teresa (Helton) Newberry lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Teresa (Helton) Newberry - May 02, 2016 at 03:31 PM

TN

CONNIE I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR FATHYERR. MAY THE LORD BE WITH YOU AND COMFORT YOU IN YOUR TIME OF NEED. GOD BLESS

Teresa (Helton) Newberry - May 02, 2016 at 03:33 PM

SE

“ *Sharon And Allen Earls lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Sharon and Allen Earls - May 02, 2016 at 03:10 PM

SE

So Sorry For Your Loss

Sharon and Allen Earls - May 02, 2016 at 03:11 PM

GB

“ *Grat And Sandy Brown lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Grat and Sandy Brown - May 02, 2016 at 03:02 PM

JA

“ *Joe Alicie lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Joe Alicie - May 02, 2016 at 02:33 PM

CB

“ *Connie Barnett lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Connie Barnett - May 02, 2016 at 02:31 PM

SB

“ *Sammy Barnett lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



Sammy Barnett - May 02, 2016 at 02:30 PM

DB

“ *DAVID BEAVERS lit a candle in memory of Bobby Joe Earls*



DAVID BEAVERS - May 02, 2016 at 02:27 PM

DB

I will miss our singing trips and our talks RIP OLD FRIEND

DAVID BEAVERS - May 02, 2016 at 02:29 PM