



Bob Calaway Craft

June 15, 1936 - July 21, 2023

Hephzibah, GA – Mr. Bob Calaway Craft, 87, was called to be with his Lord and Savior on July 21, 2023. He was surrounded by his loving wife and children as he peacefully transitioned to his Heavenly home. Memorial services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Posey Funeral Chapel. The family will receive friends at the funeral home one hour prior to the service.

Mr. Craft was born June 15, 1936, in Hartwell, Georgia to the late Dan and Jessie Mae Craft. He served his country in the United States Army. Mr. Craft retired as a foreman from Federal Paperboard after over 30 years of service. Mr. Craft graced everyone he met with his quick wit and unique sense of humor. He never lost either of those qualities. His strength and bravery allowed him to keep his family laughing, up until his last moments. This was reflective of his need to protect his family and make sure that they were going to be fine. He was a hard worker who prioritized the comfort and security of his family, above all else. He sacrificed in many ways for his family. Rather than accepting college scholarships right out of high school, he chose to join the military to help support his mother, after the passing of his father. This generous nature was a staple of his character. He worked many hours of overtime to make sure that his family was never without. Even in his spare time, he did for others. He would take on tasks for family and friends and work in his shop until dark, finding solutions for problems that no one else could. He

was a talented mechanic and loved working on and sharing his knowledge of Volkswagens. Most notably however, Mr. Craft was a family man. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a grandson, Robert Hill; brothers, Jerry Craft and Gerald Craft; son-in-law, Ernie Edenfield.

Survivors include his wife of 66 years, Mary Patsy Craft; daughters, Patrice Hill (David), Laurie Edenfield and Dana Craft (Michael Wilson); son, Keith Craft; grandchildren, Patrick Hill, Casey Nguyen (Chris), Rachel Goodwin (Danny), Perry Story (Landon), Amanda Pennington (Brandon), Evan Story, Mae Craft, Connor Craft, Claudia Craft and Coehn Craft; great-grandchildren, Bryant, Luke, Anna, Dani-Rae, Wren, Calaway, Reese, Easton and Aubrey; brother, Hugh Craft (Pat); many nieces and nephews; grand-dog, Beatrice.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, www.stjude.org

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 29. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors
1307 Georgia Ave
North Augusta, SC 29841
(803) 278-1181
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Service

JUL 29. 4:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Chapel
1307 Georgia Avenue
North Augusta, SC 29841

Tribute Wall



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of Bob Calaway Craft



Posey Funeral Directors - July 29, 2023 at 09:06 AM

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I'm so sorry for your Loss. He was a good man. I had the privilege of knowing him thru his son Keith . I'm praying for comfort for his family. He will be missed!

Brenda Enfinger - July 29, 2023 at 06:39 PM



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Bob Calaway Craft



Posey Funeral Directors - July 24, 2023 at 02:19 PM



“ *Bob Calaway Craft*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bob Calaway Craft.*



July 28, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Mary Helen, Glen, Chris & family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Bob Calaway Craft.*



Mary Helen, Glen, Chris & family - July 25, 2023 at 05:51 PM



“ *Mary Helen, Glen, Chris & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bob Calaway Craft.*

Mary Helen, Glen, Chris & family - July 25, 2023 at 05:51 PM



“ *Please accept our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. May you feel God's peace that only he can give. Uncle Bob will truly be missed. I always loved being with him because of his unique personality. He always kept me laughing and brightened up the world. I cherish the memories and am so thankful for these last several months that we enjoyed sharing. We love you all and look forward to seeing him again one day.*

Wayne & Alice Cheek - July 24, 2023 at 04:45 PM

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“ I am thankful for Mr. Craft's service to our nation in the United States Army. It is men like Mr. Craft that served to safeguard our freedom. I offer my sincere condolences to his family, may he rest in peace.

Jeff Hoefs - July 24, 2023 at 03:59 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bob Calaway Craft.



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Posey Funeral Directors - July 24, 2023 at 02:18 PM