



## Billy R. Medders

August 3, 1943 - August 20, 2022

Nobles Funeral Home and Crematory announces the funeral services for Mr. Billy R. Medders, age 79, who passed away Saturday, August 20, 2022, at his residence. Mr. Medders was a lifelong resident of Appling County, a retired sheriff's deputy with the Appling County Sheriff's Department, a Korean War Veteran serving in the United States Army, and a member of Spring Branch Baptist Church.

Mr. Medders is preceded in death by two sons, Kelly Edwin Medders and David Medders; granddaughter, Victoria Riley; brother, Larry Medders, and parents, Ed and Annie Merle Meadows, and Wayne Medders.

Surviving is his wife of fifty-two years, Lawanda Medders, son, Ron Medders (Cheri), two daughters, Lisa Medders and Nickie Barnes (Ricky), seven grandchildren, seven great grandchildren, brother, Theron Medders, sisters, Diane Davis, Marty Hodges and Elaine Knipher.

The funeral service will be held Monday, August 22, 2022, at 2 P.M. at Spring Branch Baptist Church with Reverend Chip Woodruff and Reverend Rick Brown officiating with a eulogy by Nate Barnes.

Interment will follow in Carter Cemetery.

Mr. Medders will lie in state one hour prior to the service on Monday at Spring Branch Baptist Church.

Active Pallbearers are Brandon Morley, Bruce Medders, Brian Medders, Bengy Davis, Robby Barnes, Kenny Wright, and Jeremy Johnson.

Honorary Pallbearers are members of the Appling County Sheriff's Department, and the employees of Baxley Huddle House.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital at [stjude.org](http://stjude.org).

Nobles Funeral Home and Crematory is honored to serve the family of Mr. Billy R. Medders.

# Tribute Wall



“ Nobles Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Billy R. Medders



Nobles Funeral Home & Crematory - August 20, 2022 at 12:00 AM

WT

“ One of the kindest, caring, compassionate, and humourous gentleman that I have ever been blessed to know and love as a dear friend and confidant.

We will meet again dear friend.

"In his heart a man plans his course, but the LORD determines his steps" (Proverbs 16:9)



Wanda Tippins/Gould - August 27, 2022 at 07:49 PM

LB

“ Prayers for the Family, Mr. Billy was a fine man, went to school with him in Odum and Baxley, and as far as I know he had no enemies but, a lots of friends, Go rest high on that Mountain Billy



Larry and Glenda Bass - August 25, 2022 at 02:09 AM

LL

“ Lisa Livingston has made a donation of \$30.00 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

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**Lisa Livingston** - August 24, 2022 at 07:29 PM

DB

“ I am soo sorry for your loss. He was such a sweet man 💔 I am glad I had the privilege to get to know him, I just wish it would have been under different circumstances

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**Dino & Beth** - August 23, 2022 at 04:00 AM

RB

“ Rebecca Baxley has made a donation of \$50.00 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

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**Rebecca Baxley** - August 23, 2022 at 03:40 AM

VC

“ Comfort can only come from God. Praying for peace in your heart, thankful for Mr. Billy's service to God, Country and to our County. Eli, Harold and Vickie carter

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**Vickie carter** - August 23, 2022 at 02:28 AM

JW

“ We are very sorry to hear about Mr. Medders. Sending love and prayers for the days ahead for your family.

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**Jeff and Tanya Williams** - August 22, 2022 at 10:23 PM

JA

“ We are sorry to hear about the passing of Mr. Billy. He was always such a kind gentleman. He loved his family and his acquaintances. May God wrap his loving arms around this family and his acquaintances. Cherish the memories. With prayers and sympathy

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**Jim and Cathy Ammons** - August 22, 2022 at 09:49 PM

RH

“ Words cannot express how saddened we are to learn of your loss. May your happy memories give you peace and comfort during this challenging time.

*My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. Psalm 73:26*

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**Ray & Linda Harrington** - August 22, 2022 at 07:58 PM

PS

“ So sorry to hear about Billy. My thoughts and prayers are with you all!

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**Patricia Smith** - August 22, 2022 at 04:07 PM

EM

“ Prayers out to the family..



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**Edsel B. Mayers** - August 22, 2022 at 02:08 PM

KW

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all!*



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**Kameron White** - August 22, 2022 at 01:07 PM

MH

“ *So sorry for your loss, always enjoyed talking to Mr. Billy.*

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**Marklyn M. Harper** - August 22, 2022 at 01:07 PM

AN

“ *Anonymous has made a donation of \$25.00 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital*

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**Anonymous** - August 22, 2022 at 12:31 PM

GR

“ *Just wanted to tell you how much we love y'all and will continue to pray for you Wanda, Ron and Nickie!!  
Billy will certainly be missed by all of us!!  
Love and prayers ❤️🙏*



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**Glynda Reeves** - August 22, 2022 at 03:08 AM

KC

“ *Such a dear sweet man*



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**Kayla Carter** - August 22, 2022 at 01:46 AM

DS

“ *Lawanda and Nickie, so very sorry for your loss. Prayers for comfort and strength in the days ahead.*

**Dale Sellers** - August 22, 2022 at 12:50 AM

VS

“ *I meet Mr.Billy on the way back from Hazlehurst ,I jumped behind him doing everything over the speed limit he made it to Baxley went straight to my daddy's house and said Naymond I got to tell you to put 2 spools of thread behind the gas pedal because she was moving... Veronica Solomon*

**Veronica Solomon** - August 21, 2022 at 10:48 PM

BB

“ *S9rry to hear this I will keep the family in my prayers*

**Bill Bowers** - August 21, 2022 at 07:46 PM

JM

“ *So sorry to hear of Billy passing prayers for the family*



**Judith McDaniel** - August 21, 2022 at 07:27 PM

DS

“ *He was a good man I Will never forget I wait on him at the B F a long time ago*



**Debbie Hurley Spires** - August 21, 2022 at 05:22 PM

LM

“ I love you ❤️ Please hug Tori and David in heaven for me. Lorenzo sends love from Germany. We will miss your joking and funny stories. Angelo is in his way to say goodbye.  
Thank you for the memories.

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**Lisa Medders** - August 21, 2022 at 05:18 PM

BF

“ Bryan Morris and family has purchased Purple Majesty for Billy Medders

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**Bryan Morris and family** - August 21, 2022 at 03:52 PM

SB

“ Know billy for many years he will be missed



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**Sandra Brauda** - August 21, 2022 at 03:41 PM

BB

“ Sending condolences and prayers to the family of Mr Billy Medders.



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**Becky Hall Brock** - August 21, 2022 at 03:22 PM

CS

“ So sorry to hear of Billy's passing. He will be missed. Prayers for the family

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**Cheryl Stone** - August 21, 2022 at 02:03 PM

CH

“ Sorry for yall loss. Prayers for the whole family as Mr Billy was a sweet and kind man. May God be with the family in the days ahead.

Crystal Hunter - August 21, 2022 at 01:44 PM

WC

“ Sorry for your loss, Mr. Billy was a good man. Praying for God's comforting 🙏 hands on his family

Wayne Crosby - August 21, 2022 at 12:36 PM

GO

“ So sorry to hear of Billy's passing. Our prayers go out to the family, he was a good man.

George C OQuinn - August 21, 2022 at 11:57 AM

MM

“ Missed seeing you at Country Convenience. Teasing you about running for SHERIFF, MAY YOU REST ON HIGH YOU HAVE FOUGHT A GOOD FIGHT.

Marlene Mosby - August 21, 2022 at 11:02 AM

KT

“ Condolences on the loss of your loved one.



Karen Tharpe - August 21, 2022 at 09:40 AM

KT

“ So Sorry for Your Loss Billy Was A Great Man And Was Always Willing To Help People And Always Friendly Praying for the Family



Kenneth & Karen Thornton - August 21, 2022 at 07:40 AM

JH

“ I very sorry to hear about Mr.. Billy.. I am praying for all the family.. Mr.. Billy was a very, very good deputy sheriff.. Theses want to be deputy sheriff around Applying County, Baxley, Ga does not come close to be a real deputy sheriff.. If they want to know what a real deputy sheriff is I sure can tell every last 1.. Mr. Billy was the real deal.. He would help people then to take someone to jail.. Mr.. Billy always spoke to you & it did not matter where you seen Mr.. Billy.. Mr.. Mr. Billy always had a smile on his face never in a bad mood.. I know that you are flying high with the angle's tonight.. R.I.P Mr.. Billy you maybe gone but you will never be forgotten..



Jamie Holland - August 21, 2022 at 06:26 AM

YF

“ So sorry for your loss Mrs Lawanda praying for you and your family during this time and the days ahead! Love y'all



Yesenia Piña & family - August 21, 2022 at 02:25 AM

MH

“ *Lawanda and family our condolences to all. Our hearts prayers go out to each of you. May the lord be with each of you during this time. Billy was the light and laughter for so many. He will be truly missed.*



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**Marian and the girls ( Dixie and Haleigh** - August 21, 2022 at 12:43 AM

DS

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. May the Lord comfort your family and give you strength in the days ahead. My husband RL, and Billy we're good friend and had some good times together. I will be praying for you all.*



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**Diane Stone** - August 21, 2022 at 12:39 AM

MR

“ *Lord have Mercy!!!! I'm so sorry to hear about Mr. Billy's passing. He was a fine man and I always enjoyed working with him. I'm praying for the family.*

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**Martin Rea** - August 21, 2022 at 12:31 AM

SR

“ *So Sorry For your loss. Mr Billy always had a smile.*

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**Sue Rowell** - August 21, 2022 at 12:20 AM

JC

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for the family



Janice Craven - August 20, 2022 at 11:40 PM

SR

“ Praying for his family I loved mr Billy .

Sue Rogers - August 20, 2022 at 11:30 PM

MH

“ SENDING PRAYERS AND LOVE FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY  
🙏 MR BILLY WILL BE MISSED, CHARLES AND MARSHA  
HUBBARD

Marsha Hubbard - August 20, 2022 at 11:25 PM

CZ

“ Lawanda, so sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family!!

Connie Zachary - August 20, 2022 at 10:54 PM

RC

“ He will be missed he was always a delight to our family you are in  
our thoughts and prayers

Rodney-Debra Carter - August 20, 2022 at 10:40 PM

GM

“ *Nickie and family, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your father. I pray that God will give you peace and comfort now and in the days ahead. God bless you all.*

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**Glenda Mims** - August 20, 2022 at 10:39 PM

TD

“ *Condolences to the family of a great man.*

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**Tony Douglas** - August 20, 2022 at 10:31 PM

CA

“ *Condolences and prayers 🙏 to the family he was a very good man that was always willing to give a helping hand. He will be truly missed*

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**Cynthia Alderman** - August 20, 2022 at 10:05 PM

CM

“ *Billy was a great friend to our family for many years. We all will miss him. Love and prayers.  
Carolyn Griffin McMillan*



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**Carolyn McMillan** - August 20, 2022 at 07:54 PM

BC

“ *Our hearts are very saddened!  
Years of good memories with special friends. Thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

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**Bill and Maxine Crosby** - August 20, 2022 at 04:31 PM