

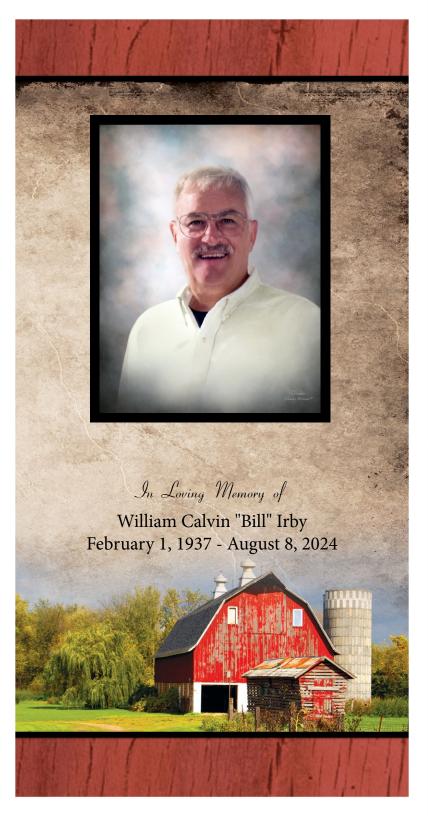
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For us to know that our burden of grief was shared by our family & friends.

~ Thank you



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Don't think of him as gone away his JOURNEY'S JUST BEGUN,
life holds so many facets this earth is only one.

Just think of him as resting from the sorrows and the tears thin a place of warmed the tears the sorrows are the sorrows and the tears the sorrows are the sorrows and the tears the sorrows are the sorrows are the sorrows and the tears the sorrows are the sorrows and the tears the sorrows are the sorro

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where there are no days and years.

Think how he must be wishing that we could know today how nothing but our sadness can really pass away.

And think of him as living In the Hearts of those he touched For nothing loved is ever lost - And he was loved so much.

- Ellen Brenneman

"Bill"

Funeral Service

3 o'clock in the afternoon Monday, August 12, 2024 Memorial Chapel of Berry Funeral Home

Officiating
Rev. Ray Austin

Interment
Elmhurst Cemetery

Pallbearers

Drew Irby, Alex Irby, Matthew Irby, Tyler Brown, George Lewis, Robert Williams

Contributions

American Heart Association American Cancer Society T.J. & Friends Foundation

> A Service of Berry Funeral Home Elberton, Georgia

William Calvin "Bill" Irby, 87, of Elberton passed away on Thursday August 8, 2024, at Elbert Memorial Hospital with his family by his side.

Bill was born in Athens, GA, on February 1, 1937, he was the son of the late Guy William Irby and Myrtle Grace Landrum Irby. Also proceeding him in death were his brother, Tommy Irby; and niece, Lori Irby.

He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Juliella "Julie" Curtis Irby, of the home; son, Dr. William Curtis Irby (Alicia) of Carrollton; daughter, Cathi Irby Jones (Dan) of Elberton; grandchildren: Brooke Jones of Elberton, Drew Irby (Sarah) of Baton Rouge, LA, Amanda Jones Brown (Tyler) of Macon, Alex Irby (Angel) of Newnan, and Matthew Irby (Lindsey) of Greenville, SC; great-granddaughters: Madeline, Morgan, and Ella Grace Irby of Baton Rouge, LA, Avery Algood of Elberton, and Carter Brown of Macon; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Bill graduated from Athens High School in 1955, and was a 1958 Graduate of Young Harris College. He was employed by Georgia Power Company and retired from their Royston office where he served as local manager. He helped organize and served as the first President of the Royston Downtown Development. He was a member of the Royston Rotary Club where he served as president and the Jaycees of Hartwell.

Upon his retirement, Bill and Julie enjoyed traveling with friends across the US and Canada. He was an avid outdoorsman who enjoyed hunting and fishing, as well as spending quality time with family and friends. His grandkids considered him not only their Papa, but their friend.