



Mr. Robert Lewis Harris

December 30, 1940 - September 4, 2020

Mr. Robert Lewis Harris, 79, of Danielsville, GA passed away Friday, September 4, 2020, at the Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center in Athens, GA.

Mr. Harris was born in Carnesville, GA on December 30, 1940, son of the late Young T. Harris and the late Velma Coker Harris. He was a wire helper having retired from Westinghouse and ABB, was a member of the IBEW 2109, and was of the Baptist faith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Buddy Harris; and sisters, Joyce Clifford, Donnie Gunnells and Sandra Faye Harris.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Hester Dove Harris; daughters and son-in-law, Sheri Harris of Danielsville, GA and Judy and Wes Roberts of Danielsville, GA; grandchildren, Isham Whittington (Kaylee) and Keagan Whittington; great-grandchildren, Hudson Whittington, Axl Whittington and Arlo Whittington; sister, Gail Hardman of Danielsville, GA; and nephew, Shane Stewart of Danielsville, GA.

A memorial service for Mr. Harris will be held at a later date.

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

IS

“ *I cant believe it has been 5 years already. I miss you so much.*

I would give absolutely anything to be able to call you right now. To tell you that the kids are doing great. I wish thwy got the opportunity to get to know you better. To know how amazing and wise you are. I know that you loved them with everything that you possessed, and it is so hard for me to know that they won't have the opportunity to share the love for you that I do.

The world was a better place with you in it. My life was a better place with you in it.

I picture you up in Heaven, walking around with no pain. Talking to your brothers and your parents and fishing the days away. I picture you looking down on me and my family and I hope you are proud of me. I hope that I am making you happy. I cant help but to shed tears with these thoughts.

I love you Pa, and I know I will see you again one day. I cant wait to hear all of the new stories you have to tell. Until then, please keep and eye on the kids and me and protect us with the orra of love that radiates off of you.

Isham - September 04, 2025 at 11:45 PM

BW

“ *FROM WESTINGHOUSE AND ABB. BOB WEBB*

BOB WEBB - September 14, 2020 at 03:59 PM

BW

“ *BOB WEBB lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert Lewis Harris*



BOB WEBB - September 14, 2020 at 03:58 PM

RB

“ *So sorry for your loss Ms Hester. It's been a few years but I think of you often. Prayers for your family*



Rita Brown - September 10, 2020 at 07:01 PM

EN

“ *Hester and girls and family sorry to here of Lewis passing Praying the peace of God be with all I am here if you every need to talk .*

Elaine NIX - September 07, 2020 at 11:19 AM

JJ

“ *June Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert Lewis Harris*



June Jones - September 07, 2020 at 09:44 AM

MW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Lewis was a good man and a good friend. We enjoyed visiting with both of you and thank you so much for sharing your delicious peaches. Our granddaughter still talks about picking peaches and Hester giving her an ice cream. Sweet, kind, and giving describe both of you.

Mitchell and Pam Weaver - September 06, 2020 at 12:20 PM

RF

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for comfort and strength during this difficult time 🙏



Rhonda Fowler - September 05, 2020 at 10:55 PM

TS

“ TerryandJane Sexton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert Lewis Harris



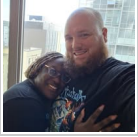
TerryandJane Sexton - September 05, 2020 at 09:26 PM

KK

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you Hester.



Karen Kirk - September 05, 2020 at 08:24 PM



“ He was not only my grandfather, but he was so much more. He was my mentor, my teacher, my guide,, my childhood business partner, my best friend.

He took an early retirement to help raise me and to groom me into the man I would later become. I spent all day with my grandfather up until the time that I started kindergarten. He taught me the life of a hard working man, a farmer, a handyman, and so much more. He made sure that I would never forget the simple life of a country boy.

My pa taught me how to fish and how to shoot a gun from a young age. He taught me how to utilize the land and the animals to take care of and provide for my family. He bought me my first go cart, my first 4 wheeler, my 2nd car.

I have so many fond memories of the time I spent with this incredible man. Memories of fishing down at my aunt's farm, memories of riding 4 wheelers through the woods, shooting guns together.

I remember when ho took his tractor and made a track in his garden for my brother and I to ride our go carts. I remember how we would ride for hours and come away orange from the dirt we kicked up.

I remember riding the tractor with him to tend the garden. I would sit between his leg and work the lift arm for the plow. We grew vegetables together to feed the family. We grew watermelons. We would sit on the side if the road and sell watermelons from his truck. I think we ate about as many as we sold.

I remember riding on the dirt roads in his old beat up white truck. The t-rex would chase us all the way back home.

I remember when he got me and my brother our first .22 rifles. We would shoot at leaves floating down the creek, we would go squirrel and rabbit hunting. We must have went through rens of thousands

of rounds.

*I remember long days of riding 4 wheelers through the woods.
Getting in trouble for driving too fast or running off and leaving him.
Sitting in the shade to drink a bottle of water or eat Vienna sausages
and potted meat.*

*Jump ahead a few years I remember the twinkle in his eye, the
pride he showed, the first time he saw his great-grandson, Axl.*

*These are but a few of the thousands of fond memories I hold deep
in my heart. Memories that will never fade.*

Isham Whittington - September 05, 2020 at 05:16 PM

GH

So touching. But that truly my brother and what he loved!

Gail Hardman - September 05, 2020 at 05:24 PM

CG

*So many things to say about Uncle Louie. He loved his family, life, the
land and his God.
Time spent with him showing me his Bible, the little Xs he would place
by the scripture he read is such a precious memory.
Watching the videos of the great grand babies, talking about his girls
and his grandsons left no doubt about his love for family.
He had an infectious laugh and sense of humor that would leave you in
a better mood when you left than when you got there.
I will miss him.*

Carol Gilmer - September 05, 2020 at 06:40 PM

HO

*Truly a great man and uncle..one of the best I have ever known, I will
always have great memories and so much admiration for him. Much
love and hugs to Hester, Sheri, Judy and the rest of the family.
Honey*

Honey - September 05, 2020 at 08:55 PM

KH

I am so sorry for your loss. I was a great pleasure to have known this great man. He was a good person and i thank him for the kindness that he showed me. May he rest in peace with his LORD!

Kathy harrison - September 06, 2020 at 02:46 PM