

Garland Hobbs
May 20, 1918 - November 9, 2010

Garland Smith Hobbs, age 92, of Mableton, died Tuesday, November 9, 2010. Garland was born on May 20, 1918 in Haralson County to John and Minerva Hobbs. The seventh of eight children (six boys and two girls) he married the former Connie Boggs in April 1940 and they moved to Atlanta where he worked for Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company as retread plant manager and later salesman where he spent most of his career. He achieved recognitions as top salesman in the southeast for two years and in the United States for one year. Garland served as an officer in the Woodlawn Presbyterian Church in the Grove Park community of Atlanta where the couple raised three children before moving to Cobb County in 1962. A member of the First Baptist Church in Mableton, Garland was an avid fisherman, golfer and gardener. He and Connie traveled extensively throughout the United States with friends via motor home. He lost his first wife to cancer in 1990 and later married the former Marie Cole of Mableton. Garland is survived by his wife, Marie Garner Cole Hobbs; children, Jerry and Gayle Hobbs, Judy and Bill Osborne, Carol and Danny Hope, three grandchildren, Todd and Jana Hobbs, Holli Hobbs, Carrie and Adam Stead; great-grandchildren, Carter Hobbs, Parker Hobbs, Hayden Brackett and Cohen Stead. His grandson, Timothy Brackett preceded him in death.

## **Comments**



66 Bill & Pearline Burdette KJerry, Last night, Mark told me about the passing of your dad. Please accept our condolences on your loss. My family always enjoyed our time spent with your parents - the fishing trips to Port St. Joe and the camping trip we made with them and the Twilleys out west. That was so long ago now. I guess if there is a "Presnell's Fish Camp" in heaven, Garland Hobbs and Jim Twilley are on the water there right now fishing for those spot trout and fussing over which caught the largest! Bill & Pearline Burdette 11/10/2010 Jerry Hobbs Test 11/10/2010 Charles and Debbie Butler We are truly sorry to hear about the passing of Mr. Hobbs. Our thoughts are with the all the family and especially Jerry and Gayle and Danny and Carol. In Deepest Sympathy, Charlie and Debbie Butler 11/09/2010 Dennis and Lecia Hobbs We will miss this wonderful man. We know he is now with his maker and he at peace. 11/09/2010 | | |

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