



Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb

July 18, 1936 - April 19, 2024

Robert Kenneth Ivan Cobb "Bobby" aka "Rojo" finished the ride and went home to be with his Lord and Savior Friday, April 19, 2024. Robert was born July 18, 1936, in Ringgold, Georgia. He joined the United States Air Force in 1953 and was deployed to Seoul, Korea where he was wounded in combat. He continued his military career until 1962 as a member of the Air Proving Ground Command at Eglin AFB working as an airplane prop mechanic/engineer and part of a group of airmen that laid the foundation for what is now called NASA.

After serving in the Air Force, Robert used his engineering skills in his 56-year career becoming one of the most prestigious motorcycle mechanics working for Harley Davidson and becoming a lifelong Technical Advisor to the Harley-Davidson Motor Company. Robert was a member of the Nuggets Motorcycle Club. After retirement, Robert continued to share his mechanic expertise by servicing and building motorcycles for his select family and friends.

Robert loved life and loved his moments with family and friends. Robert was a member of Delray Baptist Church.

Robert is preceded in death by his parents, Wallis and Johnnie Cobb; brothers, Jim, Lee, and Arthur Cobb; daughters, Pat and Brenda Cobb, and his great-grandson Jaxon Williams.

Robert is survived by his loving wife of 38 years Hazel Hughes Cobb; daughters, Pamela (Mike) Patton of Dayton, TN and Jamie (Carrie) Hughes of Chattanooga, TN; sons, Bobby Cobb Jr and Ted Cobb from California;

grandchildren, Mandy Patton, Richard (Natalia) Williams, Cori (Tony) Arena, Chris (Megan) Williams, Chandler Sharp and 9 great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in memory of Robert's great-grandson Jaxon Cole Williams.

The family will receive friends from 4:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Monday at Delray Baptist Church. A celebration of life will be held at 6:00 p.m., Monday, April 29, 2024 at Delray Baptist Church. Interment will be in the Chattanooga National Cemetery on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. with a motorcycle procession meeting at Delray Baptist Church at 9:30 a.m. Online guest book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements entrusted to Wilson Funeral Homes ~ Wallis-Stewart Chapel, Ringgold, Georgia.

Cemetery Details

Chattanooga National Cemetery

Holtzclaw Ave.
Chattanooga, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 29. 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Delray Baptist Church
784 Steele Road
Rossville, GA 30741

Celebration of Life

APR 29. 6:00 PM (ET)

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784 Steele Road
Rossville, GA 30741

Graveside Service

APR 30. 10:30 AM (ET)

Chattanooga National Cemetery
Holtzclaw Ave.
Chattanooga, TN

Tribute Wall



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb.



April 28, 2024 at 08:21 PM



“ St. Jude Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb.

St. Jude Family - April 28, 2024 at 08:21 PM



“ Nuggets Mc So.Calif. purchased the Vivid Recollections for the family of Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb.



Nuggets Mc So.Calif. - April 26, 2024 at 04:20 PM



“ Your friends at Coast 2 Coast purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb.



Your friends at Coast 2 Coast - April 26, 2024 at 03:05 PM

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“ Your friends at Coast 2 Coast planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb.

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RC

“ RHA Chattanooga purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Robert "Bobby" Kenneth Ivan Cobb.



RHA Chattanooga - April 26, 2024 at 09:25 AM

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RHA Chattanooga - April 26, 2024 at 09:25 AM

MC

“ Praying for comfort to Hazel and family

Marty Caylor - April 26, 2024 at 05:27 AM

PS

“ RIP Uncle Bob, I will always remember you and will never forget how much you contributed and helped with the running of Steel H-D. The Steel family all send their sincere condolences to Hazel, Pam, Jamie and family. I hope to catch you on the other side mate before too long. Love you, Phil.

Phil Steel - April 25, 2024 at 07:16 PM

OC

Rojo taught me so much when we worked at Fullerton Harley together. Funny ,and great to work with with. RIP

Owner Gary Cochell - March 20, 2025 at 07:42 PM

GK

I enjoyed working with both Bobby & Jim at Laidlaw's, and Fullerton HD. Great guys, and always fun to be around. RIP

Gordon Kateley - May 08, 2025 at 07:27 PM