



## John Scott Robertson

December 4, 1938 - March 22, 2025

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

John Scott “The Bull” Robertson, age 86, passed away peacefully on March 22, 2025, at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Oxford, Mississippi. A celebration of his life will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, March 31, 2025, at First United Methodist Church of Columbia. Visitation with the family will take place one hour prior to the service, beginning at 1:00 p.m.

Affectionately known as “The Bull” for his strong spirit and steadfast nature, Scott was a proud graduate of Columbia High School, Class of 1956. Following his graduation, he answered the call to serve his country and spent three honorable years in the U.S. Army, stationed in Germany. Upon returning home, he pursued his education with the same dedication, earning his bachelor’s degree from the University of Southern Mississippi.

Scott's legacy lives on in the hearts of his family: his daughters, Cathy Loftin of Mandeville, LA, and Carolyn Cooper (Ken) of Marietta, GA; his son, Jeffrey Robertson (Tracey) of Nuremberg, Germany; and his beloved grandchildren, Carley Robertson of Summerville, SC, Samuel Cooper of Marietta, GA, John Loftin of Mandeville, LA, Cooper Robertson of Columbus, MS, William Cooper of Atlanta, GA, Nicholas Loftin of Mandeville, LA, and Collin Robertson of Colorado Springs, CO. He is also lovingly remembered by numerous nieces,

nephews, extended family members, and dear friends whose lives he touched over the years.

He is preceded in death by his parents, P.O. and Ada Robertson; his first wife and mother of his children, Judy Singley Robertson; his second wife, Frances Simmons Robertson; his brothers, Harold, Howard, and Frank Robertson; and his son-in-law, Chip Loftin.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that donations be made in Scott's memory to the First United Methodist Church of Columbia or to the University of Southern Mississippi Foundation.

The staff at Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford is honored to serve the Robertson family during this time of remembrance.

Condolences may be expressed online on his Tribute wall at [www.colemanfuneralhomeox.com](http://www.colemanfuneralhomeox.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 31. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church - Columbia, MS  
411 Church Street  
Columbia, MS 39429

## Celebration of Life

MAR 31. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Simmons Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John Scott Robertson.*



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**The Simmons Family** - March 28, 2025 at 12:01 PM

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“ Saying goodbye to my last uncle and my daddy's youngest brother is very hard and unexpected this soon. Lately, our relationship consisted of phone calls. When I was little, I heard the stories of him hiding in the back seat when Daddy was taking my momma on a date, and later accounts of his many highschool escapades. (Seems he was ALWAYS up to some kind of mischief!) After he returned from his Army tour of Germany, he took me to a quarry for a day of swimming and to meet his beautiful and charming future wife Judy. She had recently been in the Miss Mississippi pageant where she had been selected Miss Congeniality. (I think that was one of their first dates.) They were married the day I graduated from high school in New Mexico, so unfortunately, I missed their wedding. Over the next years, after I was married, Scott visited us in a number of places where we lived. When my older son was born, he and Judy brought their 16 month old Cathy and 4 month old Jeff to meet our new baby in Weatherford, Texas. During subsequent years he stopped by to visit us in Alabama, Chicago, and New York. There are so many treasured memories from my early years when the highschool girls were wanting his attention to our talks in his last years. Growing up in an all boy household with 3 brothers, he seemed to love having 2 daughters and all nieces in the next generation, and from them all he enjoyed a lot of love and attention. He has left a void, and we all feel his absence profoundly. Words are inadequate.

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**Diane Murphy** - March 27, 2025 at 06:58 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Scott Robertson.



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March 26, 2025 at 08:08 PM