



Rudolph Chambliss

OCT 10, 1949 - SEP 11, 2022



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Rudolph Chambliss, 72, formerly of Chattanooga, passed away Sunday, September 11, 2022, in an Augusta, Georgia hospital. He was born October 14, 1949, to Clinton Chambliss and Love Lockett in Roberta, Georgia. At an early age Rudolph and family relocated to Chattanooga Tennessee. He lived his early teens in the Riverside Drive area in East Chattanooga, attending Roland Hays Middle School then later graduating in 1969 from Central High School. While at Central High, Mr. Chambliss was the captain of the basketball team for three years. After graduating, he entered the United States Navy from December 16, 1969-December 15, 1975. He held the position as an Aviation Mechanic for 4 years. After an honorable discharge from the U.S. Navy, he married his high school sweetheart, Ruby Justice, on May 17, 1972. They celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on May 17, 2022. From this union two children were born, a son, Carlos Chambliss and a daughter, Stephanie Chambliss. Rudolph was employed by Dupont for 4 years then transferred to Aiken, South Carolina where he was a fire fighter for Savannah Riverside/Westinghouse for 28 years rising through the rank of Lt., Capitan, and Fire Instructor for the Fire Department. In addition to loving his family, he loved gardening, landscaping, and genealogy. He passed his love of basketball to his children and grandchildren. Rudolph will forever be remembered as a loving and caring son, brother, husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. Rudolph was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Clinton Chambliss and Samuel Chambliss. Survivors include his wife of 50 years, Ruby Chambliss; son, Carlos Chambliss; daughter, Stephanie Chambliss; a host of grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; brothers, Clarence Chambliss and Carl Chambliss; sisters, Shirley Townsend and Charlene Chambliss; several nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives and friends. We will forever love and cherish your memory. Minister Randolph Higginbotham will be the eulogist.



Events

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Lie-In-State

 **Sunday**, September 18, 2022

 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET

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3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411



Service

 **Sunday**, September 18, 2022

 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM ET


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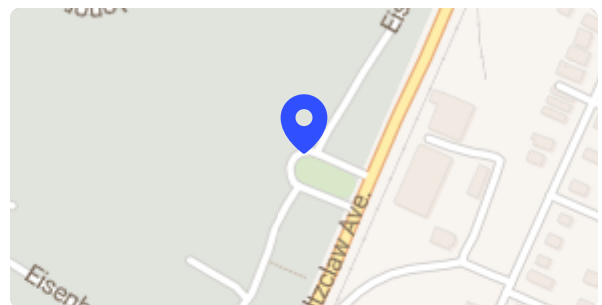


Burial


 **Monday**, September 19, 2022

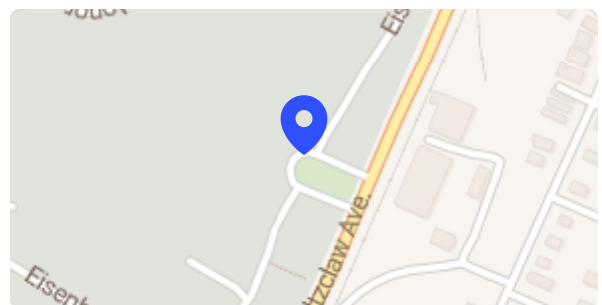
 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM ET

 **Chattanooga National Cemetery**
1200 Bailey Ave, Chattanooga TN 37404



Cemetery Details

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ST

Shirley Townsend posted:

Rudolph, my brother, I can't believe that you are no longer on this earth with me. You have gone to your heavily home where the streets are gold and paved with milk and honey. You will truly be Missed. Bro, I have not processed this as of this time.

September 20 at 4:25 AM

HC

Howard & Linda Cincinnati Oh sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Chambliss family.



September 18 at 11:43 AM

NT

Natasha Thomas posted:

My prayers and condolences for the Chambliss Family! May the peace of God continue to be with you and comfort you now and forever. 🙏❤️🙏

September 18 at 10:05 AM



Laverne Lee lit a candle in honor of Rudolph.

My prayers and condolence go out to Ruby and the Chambliss family I am praying for God to give you strength that passes all understanding And know that he has a shoulder to lean on at all times may God bless the family



September 17 at 9:12 AM

ST

Shirley Townsend September 20 at 4:29 AM

Thank you

NC

Nicole Brighthop-Carpenter posted:

My sincere condolences to the family. Sending love and prayers.

September 16 at 2:54 AM



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Lera Richmond lit a candle in honor of Rudolph.

Sharon, maY the Peace of God be with you and your family 🙏

September 15 at 8:06 PM



ST Shirley Townsend September 20 at 4:27 AM
Thank you my friend ❤️

LR Lera Richmond September 16 at 7:03 AM
Shirley, May the Peace of God be with you and your family 🙏❤️



Linda Benning lit a candle in honor of Rudolph.

My condolences to the family .

September 15 at 10:45 AM



ST Shirley Townsend September 20 at 4:28 AM
Thank you!!!



Lisa Driggers lit a candle in honor of Rudolph.

September 15 at 8:44 AM



Winifred Careathers lit a candle in honor of Rudolph.

September 14 at 4:08 PM



ST Shirley Townsend September 20 at 4:28 AM
Thank you!!



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rudolph by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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