



Royce Olin Humphries

August 12, 1945 - September 4, 2021

Mr. Royce Olin Humphries, age 76, passed away September 4, 2021. Graveside services were held Friday, September 10, 2021 at Eatonton Memorial Park Cemetery.

Olin was born to Royce Matthew and Eva McMullen August 12, 1945 in Baldwin County Georgia. He graduated from Putnam County High School in 1964. He worked at Enterprise Aluminum Company until it closed. Then he worked and retired from Rock Eagle 4H Center.

In 1982 he was introduced to turkey hunting. He made his first call for himself and then others wanted one. This was the beginning of Olin's Custom Calls. He met so many young and old turkey hunters and became friends with each. Olin was a member of Marshall Memorial Baptist Church. There he served as a deacon and on the building and grounds committee. He also led the music. He loved his church family and all that he came in contact with. His first love was Jesus Christ his Savior. He loved his family and was always there for them. He was preceded in death by his son Bryan Humphries and grandson Josh Humphries

Olin is survived by his wife Elaine Humphries, two sons Bill Humphries and Greg Humphries, as well as 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild

Cemetery Details

Eatonton Memorial Park

Godfrey Rd.
Eatonton, GA 31024

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 10. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP 10. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Williams Funeral Home - Eatonton created a Webcast in memory of Royce Olin Humphries*



Williams Funeral Home - Eatonton - September 10, 2021 at 03:01 PM

RE

“ *I worked with Olin at Rock Eagle for many years. He was a very good man, a talented craftsman and a good friend. My wife and I have several of his turkey calls personally signed by Olin. He even made a wing bone call for her, to honor her Native American heritage. Rick Espelage*

Rick Espelage - September 18, 2021 at 08:58 AM

DF

“ *Our prayers are with you Mrs. Humphries and your family. Donnis Franklin, Pastor Harmony Baptist.*

Donnis Franklin - September 10, 2021 at 12:40 PM



“ Mrs Elaine @ family, my prayers you are with you. GOD put very special person on earth & Olin was one of them. In 50 years Olin was a mentor of what a GODLY man should be. He was a man that you could go to for advice @ knew you would get great advice based on CHRIST. One of my dreams to have a voice like Olin. One of the most talented voices I have heard.. I thank you @ Olin for what you'll have done for God @ the many people that you have led to CHRIST. I will do my best to help if you @ family need me. GOD BLESS YOU1 Karl Hieber

Karl Hieber Jr. - September 09, 2021 at 10:03 PM

EC

“ Elaine, we are so sorry to hear about Olin. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Steve and Elaine Carnes



Elaine Carnes - September 09, 2021 at 02:42 PM

 Nettie Wolfe

“ My prayers for your family.



Nettie Wolfe - September 09, 2021 at 11:30 AM

TW

“ Elaine our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Mike and I loved Olin. I enjoyed singing with him at Marshall Memorial.

I can hear him singing in heaven. What a beautiful voice he had. We will

miss him. His memory will remain in our hearts. God bless you and your

family in the days to come. Mike and Tammy Welch

Tammy Welch - September 09, 2021 at 08:40 AM

WC

“ Elaine my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. Olin and I have been friends and hunted together since the early 80s and have made many memories together. It always amazed me in how he could take a piece of wood and turn it into a turkey call that sounded better than most turkeys in the woods. He made me several of them in which I will cherish forever. He will be missed.

Wayne Clifton - September 08, 2021 at 06:06 PM

DM

May I send you my prayers for your loss. Olin was a very giving person. I met him at the Oconee call makers show and will always remember how he taught me to use his small pocket call. It is a treasure. I also have his box calls and use them yearly. They are superior sounds. Diane Moore. Vermont

Diane Moore - November 06, 2021 at 02:18 PM