



William C. Cox

April 20, 1932 - April 2, 2023

William C. Cox, age 90, of Hueytown, Alabama, passed away on April 2, 2023. He is preceded in death by his parents, Luther and Hester Cox, daughter; Pamela McNair, and grandson; Evan Limbaugh, three sisters, and three brothers. He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Alice Cox, daughter; Belinda Limbaugh, brother; George Ronald (Annie) Cox, grand - children; Adam Rosser, Jessica Weldon, Scott Limbaugh, and Mark Limbaugh, five great - grandchildren, and one great - great grandson, and numerous nieces and nephews. William served in the U.S. Army for 22 years, and was a Vietnam Veteran, and retired as a Jefferson County Court Bailiff after 20 years of service. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, April 5, 2023 at 2:00 PM, at Valley Creek Cemetery in Hueytown.

Cemetery Details

Valley Creek Cemetery Hueytown

Previous Events

Graveside

APR 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

Valley Creek Cemetery
3253 Virginia Drive
Hueytown, AL 35023

Tribute Wall



“ I have known William and Alice for over 30 years. William was a good man who loved his family and country as he fought for the freedoms we all enjoy today. He had a heart for veterans and animals and donated to many charities. I will miss our conversations but I know you're in a better place. RIP

Susan Melton - April 05, 2023 at 11:21 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of William C. Cox.



April 05, 2023 at 08:28 AM

“ Uncle William was stationed at Fort Benning when I was teaching at Fort Benning Children’s Schools. I periodically got a ride with him to Birmingham on a weekend. I treasured that time alone with him. All other times I was competing with Pam, Belinda, Alice, my mother Claudell, and all his other nieces and nephews for his attention. During those drives he taught me things about driving that no one else had.

William spent a lot of time with my small children when we visited from D.C. Since their grandfathers were already deceased, his attention had a significant impact on them.

William was slow to say, “I love you”. I knew his love through his actions. He was always good to me. I knew that he loved me. Just to mess with him, I would hug him, say, “I love you Uncle William!” And wait in the silence, looking directly in his eyes until he would finally say, “I love you too!”

I have so many good and fun memories. As a child I remember playing in the huge waves at the Gulf because he would protect me and keep me safe. Then one day he showed up with a wife...Aunt Alice. I was so jealous. That was the end of my monopolizing his time. Ha!Ha!

Then when I was going through a divorce and needing help getting my house ready to sell, I asked Uncle William and Uncle Ronald to come to D.C. and help me paint the inside of my house. Can you imagine!!! The hall! But I didn’t realize how old they were. They came. Even painted a room with 20 ft ceiling.

Uncle William was a decorated war hero, having served in the Korean conflict and 2 or 3 tours in Viet Nam.

When he was in D.C. helping me paint we went to the newly installed Korean monument. He was such the ultimate soldier, he noticed an error in the way the soldiers were presented. Best I can recall it was something about the way they were carrying something. I admired him so much. I was very proud that he was my uncle.

He was very special to my mother, Claudell. She loved him very much. I always knew she trusted him and knew she could depend on him if she needed him. They were very close and similar in their

demonstration of love: not very verbal , but always there when needed.

William holds a very big place in my heart. I know that the Divine One is saying to him, "Well done, my good and faithful servant! Welcome home!"

Joan Howton Tufts - April 04, 2023 at 10:45 AM

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“ *My prayers goes out to all the family .He and the family was very nice and sweet people he will be missed Crystal Norwood Green*

Crystal Norwood Green - April 04, 2023 at 10:00 AM

LH

William was my Brother-in-law . He was the ultimant soldier proud , brave , loved his God & country. to me he was a hero . I remember he didn't say much about Vietnam but he did say that he had rather fight them on their own grounds than on our . I am proud to be his Sister-in-law . I will miss you William rip.

lanetta hubbard - April 04, 2023 at 12:58 PM

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“ *Operations Planning purchased the Sentiments o f Serenity Spray for the family of William C. Cox.*



Operations Planning - April 04, 2023 at 09:59 AM