

A Tribute to George
By: Crystal Court-Hillis

In the hollow silence of grief's embrace,
We gather to remember a life full of grace.

George, a beacon of warmth and light,
His laughter would echo through the night.

Family at heart, his love knew no end,
A devoted husband, father, brother, uncle and friend.

With humor that could mend the deepest pain,
In his presence, joy would reign.

He'd extend his hand to those in need,
A testament to his selfless creed.

No task too small, no favor too grand,
George would be there, always being a helping hand.

In memories he lives on, vibrants bright,
A constellation of love, on the darkest night.

Though our hearts are heavy, our spirits are low,
George's legacy of kindness will continue to grow.

So let us all cherish the laughter, memories, love, and tears,
And hold them close through the years.

George, in our hearts will forever stay,
He will be waiting on us, but until then
He will gently be guiding our way.



Honoring Life's Memory Of



George Michael Hubanks

1947 - 2025

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George Michael Hubanks was born on September 17, 1947, in Hollis, Oklahoma, to James Henry and Della Margarite (Hollomon) Hubanks. One of five children, George was deeply rooted in Harmon County and never strayed far from the place he proudly called home.

After graduating from Hollis High School, George married the love of his life, Velma “Joyce” Wood, on November 2, 1964, in Wellington, Texas. Together, they built a beautiful life and raised three wonderful children: Michael, Patrick, and Delene.

A tireless worker and community fixture, George owned and operated George’s in Hollis, serving up some of the best fried chicken around alongside Joyce. He had a strong work ethic, but he was just as committed to enjoying life—especially if it involved fishing, hunting, or good-natured rough housing on the basketball court in a backyard game with his children.

George had a passion for motorcycles and classic cars, especially his black 1955 Chevy. He was always in attendance whenever he got word of a car show. He was known for his quick wit, constant humor, and signature “dad jokes.” George was always chasing his next adrenaline rush—like the time he took to the skies with a friend, and the moment his feet touched the ground, he was already itching to go back up.

If you knew George, you likely experienced his unmatched generosity. He could do just about anything he set his mind to, and his deep love for family and community was always evident. His warmth and laughter left a lasting mark on everyone fortunate enough to know him. George passed away on Tuesday, July 29, 2025, with 77 years full of laughter and love.

Those who preceded George include his parents; son, Michael Hubanks; brothers, Charles Terry Hubanks, and wife Barbara, and James Barry Hubanks; sister, Margaret McAlpine, and baby sister JoAnne Hubanks; and nephews, Scott McAlpine, Larry McAlpine, Butch McAlpine, and Kevin Nation. Those left to honor his memory include his wife, Joyce; children, Patrick Hubanks, and Delene Hubanks; daughter-in-law Debra Moore; sister, Judith Nation; nieces, Heather Lynn Hubanks, Sherry Douvry, and Lisa Daluz; nephew, Ross McAlpine; 5 grandchildren, Mason Hubanks, Tessa Hubanks, Conner Hubanks, Mackenzie Kelley, and Justin Henderson; and a host of other nieces, nephews and dear friends and family.

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Entered into Life:
September 17, 1947

Entered into Rest:
July 29, 2025

Funeral Service

10:00 AM
Wednesday, August 6, 2025
First Baptist Church
Hollis, Oklahoma

Officiating

Logan Reimer

Interment

Fairmount Cemetery
Hollis, Oklahoma
Harmon County

Pallbearers

Jonathan Hillis ~ Mason Hubanks
Richard Gonzales ~ Justin Henderson
Johnny Skaats ~ Timothy Oliver

Honorary Pallbearers

Mark Wood ~ Preston Wood
Robert Martinez ~ Kenneth Wood