



Donald Somers

July 10, 1931 - January 26, 2021

Donald Glen Somers, 89, passed away on Tuesday, January 26, 2021. A Graveside service for the family will be conducted at 2 PM on Friday, January 29, 2021 in Cooperville Baptist Church Cemetery with Rev. Larry Glover officiating.

The family will receive friends at Williams Funeral Home from 6 PM – 8 PM on Thursday, January 28, 2021.

Mr. Somers was a native of Kalamazoo, MI and was the son of the late Edgar Glen and Evelyn Bosley Somers. He is preceded in death by his wife, Arlie Roberson Somers. He served in the United States Air Force for 22 years retiring as a Senior Master Sergeant. He then made his home in Gordon and worked with Concorde Fabrics and served as Chief of the Cooper Volunteer Fire Department. He attended Freedom Church.

He is survived by his daughter, Lynn Somers; sons, Raymond Somers (Joanie) both of Gordon, Ricky Allen Somers (Debbie), and Steve Somers (Deloris) both of Milledgeville; sister, Mary Champlin; brother, Harold Somers, both of Michigan; 5 grandchildren, and 7 great grandchildren.

Flowers accepted and for those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to Baldwin County Fire Rescue, 312 Allen Memorial Drive, Milledgeville,

GA 31061.

Cemetery Details

Cooperville Baptist Church Cemetery

100 Coopers Church Rd SW
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville
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Tribute Wall



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Somers



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - January 28, 2021 at 01:49 PM

BL

All of us Minter girls and our mom and dad always thought so much of your family. Our love and prayers are with you in this difficult time. 'May the Lord bless and keep each of you. , In Jesus ' name we pray, '

beverly minter livingston - January 29, 2021 at 12:38 PM

PW

Your family has always been a blessing to our community and our church. It was an honor to know your mother and father. Such a hard working and dedicated family to serving others. There's a saying that the apple doesn't fall far from the tree meaning the children will be like the parents and even though it's not always the case, in this family, it proved true. Prayers for all of you as you continue what your mother and father began with the ultimate goal of Heaven 🙏🕊️💕.

Pam Weaver - January 30, 2021 at 06:37 AM

BG

“ I have known Mr Somers for many years and my prayers go out to his family. He was a very kind man and always seemed to have a smile for everyone. I am sorry for his families loss but know that he has an even bigger smile on his face up in Heaven. Betty Greth



Betty Greth - February 02, 2021 at 10:16 AM

AH

“ To Mr. Donald's family,
I am so sorry for your loss. I have many fond memories of him throughout the years that he was with my Nana. Always nice, thoughtful, and caring. Prayers for you all during this time. Amir Harrison

Amie Harrison - January 31, 2021 at 08:11 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Service



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - January 29, 2021 at 04:13 PM

SC

“ Donald was one of my favorite uncles. His house was always open for out of town relatives. My family has many great memories of family reunions and birthday parties. All those who knew Donald respected and loved him. He never stopped caring for his parents, he was always there to keep them well and safe. He and Arlie raised four caring kids, that show just as much compassion and love for others as he displayed.

In the toughest times, our faith is tested most. I pray that the family will come out of this with an even stronger faith and hope in the power of God.

Much love,

Your cousin, Sherry

Sherry Champlin - January 29, 2021 at 01:06 PM

JB

“ I grew up on the same road as Don and his family and didn't live far from there after I ventured out on my own. I rode the school bus with his kids and worked with him at Concord Fabrics for 19 years. Don was caring, considerate, and always greeted you with a smile, handshake, or hug. He will be missed. My deepest sympathy to all of his family.



Jill Bridges - January 29, 2021 at 12:54 PM

DR

“ We are so sorry of Mr. Somers passing. He has always been a special man in our lives and in our community. He proudly served our nation as a young man and we honor him and we thank him for it. Had a lot of good memories of him and Mrs. Arlie when they first moved to Coopers, never to know he would be in our future, as a friend to my Mom. His life has told his story of his love to his family, friends , community, God and more. When he sat behind us at church I could hear him softly singing that I will always remember. May the Lord be with you all you will be in our prayers. Denise and Eddie Renfroe

Denise and Eddie Renfroe - January 29, 2021 at 09:36 AM

TC

“ Mr. Don was such a sweet man. He was always special to our family. So sorry for your loss Lynn, Raymond, Ricky, Steven and grandchildren. We will be praying for y'all.
Prayers, hugs and love from Joey, Tonya, Austin and Kristen Cole
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Tonya Cole - January 28, 2021 at 04:29 PM

IG

“ I will always have fond memories of time that I spent with Chief Don , especially all the times that we turned station 4 into a hunted house at Halloween . Baldwin county has lost a great citizen, the Somers family has lost a great man and I have lost a friend!

Inman Garner - January 28, 2021 at 04:09 PM

RC

“ RIP Mr. Somers.

Randy Cox - January 28, 2021 at 03:12 PM



“ Sorry to hear about Mr Don . He was one of the sweetest men I knew. Every Saturday night him and Ms Grace came to the Opry house. From Randy and Linda Kitchens our prayers are with you.

Linda Kitchens - January 28, 2021 at 03:08 PM



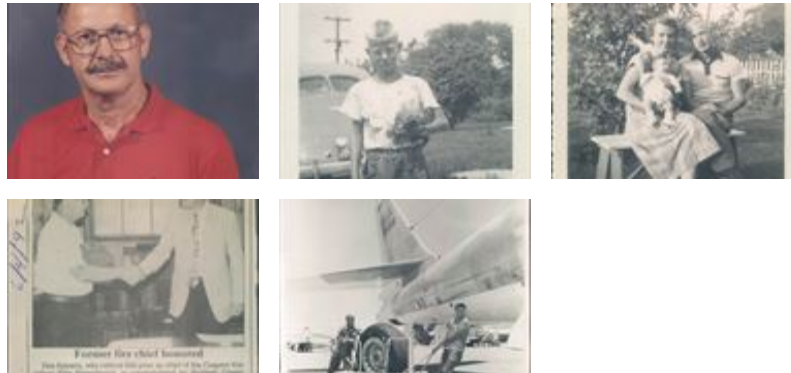
“ So sorry to hear of Mr. Don's passing. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.



Tina Harrison - January 28, 2021 at 02:55 PM



“ 33 files added to the album Life Tributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - January 28, 2021 at 01:25 PM

RL

“ You are going to be missed by all prayers for all the family at this time



Ronny Loggins - January 28, 2021 at 11:45 AM

LP

“ I will always remember him. He was fun to be around.. I'm grateful I knew him.

Loraine Powers - January 28, 2021 at 10:47 AM

JW

“ I met Mr. Donald when his Father was at the nursing home. It was always a pleasure to talk with him and listen to stories. May wonderful memories provide your family with comfort. ❤️



Jennifer Williamson - January 28, 2021 at 09:35 AM

AP

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Don's passing. I worked with him at Concord, and he was such a wonderful person. He was always smiling and was an absolute pleasure to be around. We ran into each other every once in a while over the years, and I was always glad to see him. He will be missed!

Ann Portwood - January 28, 2021 at 08:18 AM

PD

“ *Patsy Myrick Dalton lit a candle in memory of Donald Somers*



Patsy Myrick Dalton - January 28, 2021 at 08:08 AM

LM

“ *Our prayers are with you. Friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.*



Luther Minor - January 28, 2021 at 06:32 AM

RB

“ *Randy Barlow lit a candle in memory of Donald Somers*



Randy Barlow - January 27, 2021 at 09:40 PM

JP

“ *RIP Uncle Donald. You were and always will be loved. I miss you.*

Janice Parker - January 27, 2021 at 08:41 PM

JT

“ I’m very proud to have called him my Uncle Donald. He was a wonderful, kind and loving man. My love and condolences to my Georgia family.

Jean Thut - January 27, 2021 at 07:52 PM

SH

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers sent family. A good community servant.

Sammy Hall - January 27, 2021 at 06:14 PM

MN

“ So very sorry to learn of Don’s death. Prayers & hugs, Marion Nelson

marion nelson - January 27, 2021 at 04:40 PM

RM

“ Lynn, Steve, Raymond, Ricky, May God bless y'all in the loss of your Father. Please look to God for comfort. Our prayers are with your family. Tony & Rosa McCant

Rosa McCant - January 27, 2021 at 03:00 PM



“ Vivian K Barker sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Somers



Vivian K Barker - January 27, 2021 at 02:49 PM