

JIMMY CLAUDE COWART, SR.



Jimmy Claude Cowart, Sr., 78, of Hilliard, passed away Monday, March 20, 2023. He was born January 5, 1945 in Folkston, Georgia, to the late Claude Mack Cowart and Beulah Allen Cowart. He proudly served his country in the US Navy. Jimmy attended the Church of God. He retired from the United States Postal Service after 33 years of service. His favorite pastime was spending time with his grandchildren.

In addition to his parents; he is preceded in death by a sister Barbara Ann Chesser; three sisters-in-law Faye Harris-McLaurin, Mary Alice Manning and Janice Harris; five brothers-in-law Elmo Harris, Mitchell Harris, Caroll “Hoppy” Manning, W.A. Hodges and Kenny Smith; and seven nephews Elton Harris, Jr., Burnette Harris, Shawn Harris, Danny Chesser, Neal Chesser, Ronnie Chesser and Steve Chesser.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Beatrice Cowart; four children Tammy Cowart, Tina (Bill) Carroll, Jimmy Cowart, Jr. and Latasha (Arliss) Carter; two sisters Zona Jeanette Hodges and Betty Sue Smith; two brothers-in-law Elton Harris and Grant Chesser; three sisters-in-law Maxine (Johnny) Everly, Debbie (Dean) Woehrle and Caroline Harris; three granddaughters Sara Carter, Ansley Carter and Rylie Carroll; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family received friends Wednesday, March 22 at Shepard-Roberson Funeral Home. The funeral service was held Thursday, March 23 at Folkston Church of God with Bishop Rob Gillis officiating. Burial followed at Bethlehem Cemetery in Nahunta, Georgia.

Condolences may be expressed at: www.shepardrobersonfh.com. Arrangements by Shepard-Roberson Funeral Home, Folkston.