



John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr.

June 23, 1961 - December 1, 2023

John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr., of Lynchburg, passed away on Friday, December 1. He was 62 years old. Born on June 23, 1961, in Lincoln County to John Robert Pirtle, Sr. and Ida Simmons Whitt, Bobby lived his life as a Moore County farmer who enjoyed feeding cattle and spending hours on his tractors, bush hogs, and bulldozers on his Simmons Hollow farm. He frequently participated in truck pulling and was very active in the southern, middle Tennessee truck pulling circuit with longtime friends who became family. He spoke to them and many friends daily. According to his family, Bobby loved spending time on the farm, at truck pulls, and with his family with whom he shared a special bond. He especially loved taking one or several of his six grandchildren for tractor rides. "He was the best dad any kid could ask for and adored both them and his grandchildren," they said. "He also treated his friends like family and would always come if any of them called for help." He is preceded in death by his father.

In addition to his mother, Bobby is survived by his wife, Pam Pirtle, as well as his two sons, Zach Pirtle, and B.J. Jennings; and his daughters Brandy (Eric) Brandon, and Ashlee (Ron) Cunningham. He also leaves behind six grandchildren: Hayden Carter, Bryson Carter, Hudson Brandon, Raegan Jennings, Braxton Jennings, and Jake Cunningham. In addition, he is also survived by his brothers, Michael Baker, and Ashley (Diana) Roland, and his sister, Patsy (Terry) Kennemer, as well as many beloved nieces and nephews. Visitation with the family will be held at the Lynchburg Funeral Home, located

at 1630 Fayetteville Highway, on Tuesday, December 5 from 5-8 p.m. Funeral service will follow on Wednesday, December 6 beginning at 11 a.m. Mike Awalt will deliver the eulogy and the burial will follow at Booneville Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Lynchburg Funeral Home
1630 Fayetteville Hwy
Lynchburg, TN 37352
ph: (931) 759-4444
lynchburgfuneralhome@yahoo.com

Funeral Service

DEC 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

Lynchburg Funeral Hom
1630 Fayetteville Hwy
Lynchburg, TN 37352
(931) 759-4444

Burial

DEC 6 (CT)

Booneville Cemetery

Tribute Wall

BD

“ Sympathy to Pam and all the family in your loss of Bobby. The service was a nice tribute to him. Keeping all of you in my prayers for comfort and healing in the hard days ahead for you. Betty Domal



Betty Domal - December 06, 2023 at 05:38 PM

MP

“ So sorry for your loss. May God comfort you all during this difficult time. God Bless you all, Mary, Teresa Partin, & Billy McGehee



Mary Partin - December 06, 2023 at 01:39 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..



December 05, 2023 at 07:44 PM



“ Garden Accent Stone - "Our Family Chain Is Broken" was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..



December 05, 2023 at 05:39 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*



December 05, 2023 at 01:29 PM



“ *Nat & Dawn Walker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*

Nat & Dawn Walker - December 05, 2023 at 01:10 PM



“ *Nat & Dawn Walker purchased the Strength & So lace Spray for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*



Nat & Dawn Walker - December 05, 2023 at 01:10 PM



“ *Sending our Prayers to the Pirtle Family. He was a big supporter of Ham sales and boston butt sales at our church Chrystal Ridge Community Church. He will surely be missed. The Eslick, Burton and Street Family*

Debbie Street - December 05, 2023 at 08:24 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*



December 04, 2023 at 08:50 PM



“ *Stacy, Bret, Kristie, Holly and Drew planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*

Stacy, Bret, Kristie, Holly and Drew - December 04, 2023 at 08:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*



December 04, 2023 at 08:45 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*



December 04, 2023 at 01:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Robert "Bobby" Pirtle Jr..*



December 04, 2023 at 07:29 AM



“ *Deborah Hopper lit a candle in memory of John Pirtle*



Deborah Hopper - December 03, 2023 at 10:55 PM



“ *Bobby and I rode the school bus together- I saw him about a month ago at the co-op! Prayers for all!*

Tabby Burton Thrasher

Tabby Thrasher - December 03, 2023 at 05:47 PM



“ *Many years of tractor pull talks, my friend. Oh, how I will miss you! Troy Watt..Petersburg*



Candy Watt - December 03, 2023 at 02:57 PM

LM

“ I have known Bobby over 46 years and he was a great friend and a person that would drop whatever he was doing to help anyone. He supported me in my job and helped me several times putting out demonstrations for the farmers in Moore County. He will be missed in Moore County.

Larry Moorehead - December 03, 2023 at 02:10 PM

BJ

“ Barkley Pam Jennings lit a candle in memory of John Pirtle



Barkley and Pam Jennings - December 03, 2023 at 02:06 PM

VE

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Praying for each of you.



Vickie Emmons - December 03, 2023 at 09:49 AM

BB

“ So Very sorry Evelyn for your Loss. Prayers for you all.



Brenda J Burns - December 02, 2023 at 08:12 PM

BH

“ Condolences and prayers to the John Robert(Bobby) Pirtle family and friends. He was a co- worker and friend. May Bobby rest in peace!🕊️

Bobby Henderson - December 02, 2023 at 07:47 PM



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December 02, 2023 at 05:39 PM

PH

“ Thinking of you all at this sad time. Sending prayers 🙏🙏



Pamela Hensley - December 02, 2023 at 05:07 PM

FH

“ Frances Henderson lit a candle in memory of John Pirtle



Frances Henderson - December 02, 2023 at 04:44 PM