



Charles Skelton

October 10, 1950 - March 16, 2026

Charles Grady Skelton, 75 of Arab passed away Monday, March 16, 2026, at his residence. He was born October 10, 1950, the son of William Grady Skelton and Bobbie Jean Hardin Skelton. He was a graduate of Fairview High School, Class of 1969 and had retired from Redstone Arsenal as a custodian. He was a member of Old Brashier's Chapel Church. He was an enthusiastic supporter of Alabama football and would sometimes contact the girls to discuss plays that occurred during the game. He enjoyed traveling to the Smokie Mountains and going to Dollywood. He had a strong appreciation for outdoor activities, with a particular interest in gardening and cultivating his own vegetables. One of his favorite pastimes was hopping in the car and driving along winding country roads, soaking in the sights and feeling the peaceful charm of the countryside. Whether it was the gentle breeze through the open window or the sunlight dancing across fields, he cherished these moments of quiet exploration.

One of the fondest childhood memories of the girls was their dad reading the Bible every day. Attending church faithfully Sunday mornings and evenings, as well as Wednesday night Bible Study. He taught them Gods word and the difference between right and wrong. Daddy's little girls have confidence in knowing that he has received that Heavenly mansion that he told them about so many times.

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life". John 3:16

"In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you". John 14:2

He is survived by his daughters: Lisa Miller, Carolyn (Mark) Nix and Lori Skelton; grandchildren: Cynthia Ferguson (Daniel Webster), Kyle Ferguson (Ashley), Austin Skelton, Kameron Upton, Bridget Bochy and Noah Miller; great grandchild: Aella; brother: Thomas (Chasity) Jordan; nephew: Landon Jordan; mother of his children: Janice Bennett. He was preceded in death by his father: Grady Skelton, mother: Bobbie Jean (Sam) Jordan.

Funeral Service was 1:00 p.m. Friday, March 20, 2026, at Gober Funeral Chapel with Brother Junior Plunkett officiating. The burial was in New Canaan Cemetery, Arab, Gober Funeral Chapel directing.

Visitation was 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Friday at Gober Funeral Chapel.

Pallbearers: Mark Nix, Noah Miller, Thomas Jordan, Landon Jordan, Kyle Ferguson and Daniel Webster.

Cemetery Details

New Canaan Cemetery

965 County Road 1845
Arab, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 20. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Gober Funeral Chapel
1331 Guntersville Road
Arab, AL 35016
(256) 586-8111
goberfuneralhome@otelco.net

Funeral Service

MAR 20. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gober Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles Skelton*



Gober Funeral Chapel - March 19 at 06:40 PM

RI

“ *Rick-n-Ball-Restoration purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Charles Skelton.*



Rick-n-Ball-Restoration - March 19 at 04:09 PM

CS

“ *children of Glenn Skelton & Vera Skelton purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Charles Skelton.*



children of Glenn Skelton & Vera Skelton - March 19 at 11:33 AM

CS

“ children of Glenn Skelton & Vera Skelton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles Skelton.

children of Glenn Skelton & Vera Skelton - March 19 at 11:33 AM

YF

“ Your Eaton Family purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Charles Skelton.



Your Eaton Family - March 19 at 10:47 AM