



## Robert J. Sorrells

June 25, 1934 - May 20, 2017

ROBERT JOHN SORRELLS, 82, of Chiefland, Florida passed away on May 20, 2017

Robert was born in Webster, N.C. on June 25, 1934 to the late John and Pauline Sorrells. He moved to the Chiefland area in 1992, coming from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He enjoyed fishing and gardening.

Robert is survived by his brothers, Joseph Sorrells of Tifton, GA and Leroy Sorrells of Jacksonville, FL, and his brother-in-law, C.R. Webb of Chiefland, FL.

Graveside funeral services for Robert will be held at Hardeetown Methodist Cemetery on Saturday, May 27, 2017 at 10:00 am.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home, Chiefland, Florida, 352-493-0050 and Cross City, Florida, 352-498-5400. Please sign our online guest book at [rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com](http://rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hardeetown Cemetery

NW 64th Terrace  
Chiefland, FL 32626

# Previous Events

## Service

MAY 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert J. Sorrells*

October 08, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Robert J. Sorrells*

January 30, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *Dear Uncle Bobby,*

*My heart is broken by your loss. I'm so glad that Howard and I were there when you took your last breathe. My days feel empty without you here. We cherished our time together. Howard will miss his buddy watching Nascar and Swamp People. I adore you and you were more like a dad than an Uncle to me. The memories and stories you told me about growing up with mom were priceless and I will cherish them forever. You left a big hole in my heart and life. You know I loved you with all my heart. Give hugs to my loves in heaven!*

*Gone Fishin'*

*Adoringly Paula and Howard and Boo Boo*

PAULA Tarver - May 25, 2017 at 09:38 PM

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“ You were always such a great Uncle to us. You treated us like we were your kids. Letting us drive that FIREBIRD, throwing parties at your house. Watching out for us. Teaching us /our kids to fish and love the outdoors. Mom loved you so much and you were a great brother to her. You loved her children and grandchildren and we loved you. So glad Preston got to meet you. Sad you are gone but relieved you are no longer in pain. Your place in now beside Eddy. I'm sure she is tickled. We love you Uncle Bobby. Love Rhonda, Dave , Kadie, Tyler Geralyn and Preston

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**Rhonda Blossom** - May 25, 2017 at 09:17 PM

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“*Murph and I knew Robert as a dear neighbor for many years. We knew his wife briefly before she died and knew she was Catholic as we are. We did a lot of music and Robert had some of our recordings which he told us he loved a lot. My husband has not been well but he tries to keep a little studio going and still teaches some. After Robert sold his home and moved to Meryl's home, we did not see as much of him as he stopped having his flea market trips where he sold lots of nice things including his wonderful plants and flowers. We always had a good talking relationship and felt a kinship with him closer than some neighbors but Robert was a very private person and we always respected that. We didn't see a lot of him the past few years but we will always love his memory. His instant smile and loving ways we always received no matter how tired or bad he felt and we know that was a lot of the time. I think he was pretty happy with his living at Meryls and the other people there always seemed to be happy as well. She was always a very loving and kind lady.*

*We are praying for his soul and we extend our deepest sympathy to his family which we did not know but we hope to all be together one day with the Lord in Heaven. May God bless our Robert, grant him eternal rest and may perpetual light shine upon him.*

*He will always live in our hearts. As we are in our 80's and not 100% it is not sure we can make it on Saturday but we will try. God's blessings on all!!*

*Ralph and Marilyn Murphy*

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**Marilyn and Ralph Murphy** - May 25, 2017 at 06:08 PM