



## Bobby Lee Matthews

August 3, 2023

Bobby Lee Matthews, born in Portsmouth, VA died on Thursday, August 3, 2023 in his home surrounded by his loving family. He is survived by his wife Josephine “Jo”, children Deborah Robins (Steve), Barbara Reid (Scott), Keith Matthews (Bonnie), Catherine Kushner (Bob), step-children Dutch Taylor, Sharon Bloemer (Gary), Joy Taylor (Keith), and Pamela “Cookie” Livingston (Lee), with 19 grandchildren and 34 great grandchildren.

Bob worked at Newport News Shipbuilding as a Design Engineer. He retired in 1992 after 43 years of service. He was a Mason and Past Master at Churchland Lodge #276 and South Hill Lodge #297. He was also a member of the Twin Rivers Lodge #338 and Widow’s Son Lodge #150. He was a Past District Deputy Grand Master of district 28 as well as a District Instructor of Work. He was a dedicated father and loving husband. He enjoyed woodworking and building things for others with his hands. He enjoyed golfing and fishing after his retirement and loved to cook.

Visitation will be held at Loving Funeral Home in Portsmouth, VA on Saturday, August 5 from 4-5pm and the funeral service will take place at Loving Funeral Home on Sunday August 6 at 2pm.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Jo, I am so sorry for the loss of Bob. I have some special memories of visiting your house and the pizza Bob made. I will always remember the special times. I am praying and thinking about you and the family. I love you.



Becky Woolard - August 13, 2023 at 01:47 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Bobby Lee Matthews.



August 05, 2023 at 08:35 AM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bobby Lee Matthews.



August 04, 2023 at 11:52 PM