



## Rev. J. D. Golden

June 15, 1929 - November 5, 2022

Reverend J. D. Golden of Letcher, Alabama passed away on November 5, 2022, at the age of 93. He was born June 15, 1929 to parents Oscar and Frances Golden. He is survived by his wife of 71 years, Vera, son Jim (Lynn) of Cleveland, TN, grandchildren Jonathan (Ashley) of Cleveland, TN and Mary-Sophia Golden of Clarksville, TN, sisters Tina Hollowell (Bud) of Springfield, MO, and Jean Washburn (Ed) of Letcher, AL. He was predeceased by his parents, son Joseph Dwight, and siblings Grace, Marlin, Owel, and Pearl.

He was a veteran of the United States Army, serving both in World War II and the Korean Conflict. He was a glider man, paratrooper, and an expert marksman.

He was a minister in the Church of God for 65 years. He served his church in various capacities including pastor, state overseer over four states, and director of cross-cultural ministries. He retired from active ministry, though would preach anytime he was given the opportunity, in December 2000 as pastor of the Scottsboro Church of God. He was an excellent preacher who combined both wit and wisdom to communicate the Gospel to many.

He enjoyed watching old westerns, a good game of golf, and slaughtering his family at mini-golf. The man could putt. But, most of all he enjoyed studying

the Bible and was always able to glean a nugget of truth and a different way of looking at things that would bless those he shared them with.

Visitation will be held at the Scottsboro Funeral Home, 1502 County Park Road,  
Scottsboro, AL 35769 on Saturday, November 12, 2022, at 11:00 am until 1:00pm CST. The Celebration of Life Service will immediately follow the visitation. Graveside service will be held at Cedar Hill Cemetery, Scottsboro, AL.

# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Hill Cemetery

210 South Cedar Hill Drive  
Scottsboro, AL 35768  
(256) 609-8166

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 12. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (cst)

Scottsboro Funeral Home  
1502 County Park Road  
Scottsboro, AL 35769  
(256) 574-3965  
scottsbороfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<https://www.scottsbороfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

NOV 12. 1:00 PM (cst)

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# Tribute Wall

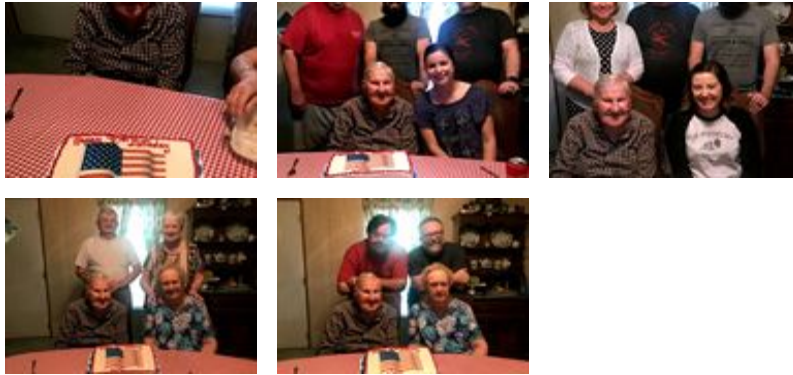


“ *Rev. J. D. Golden*

October 05, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *105 files added to the album LifeTributes*



**Scottsboro Funeral Home and Pinehaven Memorial Gardens** - November 11, 2022 at 04:52 PM



“ *Karen Kane & Mary Pat Reilly purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Rev. J. D. Golden.*



**Karen Kane & Mary Pat Reilly** - November 11, 2022 at 02:43 PM

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“ *Some people come into our lives and are a fleeting memory J.D was not one of those. He will always have a lasting impression on me as a kind man of Our Lord who lead by example. And I loved the way he made me laugh. .*

Will Rogers - November 11, 2022 at 10:39 AM

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“ *Will Rogers purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rev. J. D. Golden.*



Will Rogers - November 11, 2022 at 10:36 AM

SF

“ *Sean & Shyrel O'Neal & CA/NV COG family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Rev. J. D. Golden.*



Sean & Shyrel O'Neal & CA/NV COG family - November 09, 2022 at 11:53 AM

BF

“ *Bud & Tina Hollowell and Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Rev. J. D. Golden.*



Bud & Tina Hollowell and Family - November 09, 2022 at 09:55 AM

PS

“ David and I shared wonderful memories with Brother Golden and Vera when we were all in Cleveland. Vera, I am so sorry to hear of his passing. I have thought of you often and wondered how you guys were doing. Love you and will be praying for you and your family.

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**Phyllis Sustar** - November 09, 2022 at 09:42 AM