



## Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr.

March 19, 1933 - August 19, 2024

Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr., born on March 19, 1933, passed away peacefully on August 19, 2024, at the age of 91. He dedicated his life to serving the community as the Minister of Peachtree Baptist Church, touching countless lives with his unwavering faith and compassion.

Robert was preceded in death by his beloved parents, Herman and Olga Lescelius, and his first wife, Delores Irene Lescelius; his second wife, Melda Elizabeth Lescelius. His legacy continues through his loving family: sons Robert Lescelius, Jr. (Nilsa) and Jonathan Lescelius; grandchildren Donald Sean Lescelius, Robert Christopher Lescelius, and Monica Renee Thompson; and great-grandchildren Deanna Rose Lescelius, Sofia Renee Lescelius, and Sean David Thompson.

Services to honor Dr. Lescelius will be held on Friday, August 23, 2024, at 2 o'clock in the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home with Dr. David Dickerson and Dr. Alan Gaddy officiating. Interment will follow at Westminster Memorial. The family will receive friends two hours prior to the service at the funeral home.

In this time of sorrow, may we find solace in the cherished memories of a man who devoted his life to faith, family, and community. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **23**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Parrott Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr.



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - August 23, 2024 at 02:34 PM

KG

*What a beautiful beautiful service!!!! To God be the Glory!! my tears are aflowing!! Doc and Dolly and all they taught me and the Unconditional love they gave me from the age of 9 on up,no matter my walk they pointed me Christward always with love and without judgement even when I was at My worst! Thank you for all the music and testimonys and the new resolve it gave me to get out some of my old doc sessions and hear them afresh! Much love to all our Georgia folk from the Michigan Goforths!!! ❤️*

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**Kim Goforth** - August 23, 2024 at 03:42 PM

R.

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*I first got to know Ole Doc at Peachtree Baptist Church. I got to know him even better while doing multiple repairs at his house, as well as numerous personal visits and phone calls. The dear Brother consistently had a great sense of humor - which goes a long way in personal relationships, as well as teaching and preaching.*

*Many times when I went to his house early in the morning I would find him in his study, discovering that he had been up all night reading, writing and studying 🌙. I really enjoyed digging through his library and then ending up in a conversation about various authors of his books.*

*At other times he would share stories of Yesteryears with me such as how he met Melda and her husband in a little mountain town in Pennsylvania. Apparently he met them while on visitation from the Church which he served at. IF...my memory serves me correctly, he was used by the Holy Spirit to lead Melda and her husband to saving faith in Jesus Christ.*

*He also shared the time that he sat across the desk having a conversation with John MacArthur of "Grace To You ministries (gty.org)" discussing "Lordship salvation".*

*I have several wonderful memories in my time getting to know Doc. We had many conversations of eternal value concerning the Word of God.*

*After writing my latest evangelistic gospel bulletin sometime in about February 2024 and giving him a copy to read, he told me a couple of weeks later that he like it and thought it was good. Frankly, I realize that I am no writer and no gifted expositor, nor was the bulletin edited, but knowing enough Biblical Truth to want to warn the lost and point them to real saving faith in Jesus Christ. It is a blessed thing to have a gifted expository teacher like Doc signing off on my labors - I'll remember these encouraging words from him until my work is over and called home to be with our Lord.*

*I can only imagine what Doc, Melda, and all the saints that have already run their race are going through now beholding the glory of the God who was, and is ,and is to come - the Almighty!*

*The redeemed will see Doc again soon enough, as well as the entire host of heaven and our glorious Lord Jesus Christ!*

*Lastly, During these last few months I made several attempts to talk with Doc by phone and in person, but he was not available due to his*

*circumstances. I was really hoping that we could talk again...and we will, and soon enough! Rest in eternal peace my dear brother, I'll see you soon...*

*Rick Buffington* □

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**R.Buffington** - September 10, 2024 at 03:42 PM

SW

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with ya'll during this difficult time.  
Love Susan and Ronnie Whatley*

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**Susan Whatley** - August 22, 2024 at 05:42 PM

RB

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Brother Rick Buffington   

Rick Brother - August 23, 2024 at 05:40 PM

PF

“ Pastor Charles Murdaugh and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr..



Pastor Charles Murdaugh and Family - August 22, 2024 at 03:38 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr..



August 22, 2024 at 12:45 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr..



August 22, 2024 at 09:32 AM

LF

“ *Lescelius Family purchased the Ocean Breeze S  
pray for the family of Dr. Robert H. Lescelius, Sr..*



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**Lescelius Family** - August 20, 2024 at 05:09 PM

LF

“ *Lescelius Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dr. Robert H.  
Lescelius, Sr..*

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**Lescelius Family** - August 20, 2024 at 05:09 PM