



## Thomas Roper

March 27, 1952 - February 28, 2013

Mr. Thomas Roper of Palmetto passed away February 28, 2013. He is survived by his wife, Kathy Roper of Palmetto; sons, Tommy Roper of Ringold, GA; Rodney Roper and his wife Angie of Belleville, IL; mother, Nellie Roper of LaFayette, LA; sisters, Mary Lynn Esparza and her husband Ray of Phoenix, AZ; Bonnie Sue Tomlin and her husband Rick of LaFayette, LA; grandchildren, Patience, Brenna, Bobby, Jordyn, Layton, Jenna, Shyanne and Ashlyn and great grandson, J.J. Funeral services will be held Monday, March 4, 2013 at 10 o'clock in the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home with Dr. Jimmy Orr officiating. Interment will be held at Antioch East Baptist Church Cemetery in Greenville, AL at 3 o'clock CST. Those wishing may sign the online guestbook at [www.parrottfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrottfuneralhome.com). The Family will receive friends Monday from 9:00 A.M. until service time at Parrott Funeral Home and Crematory, Fairburn. 770-964-4800.

# Tribute Wall

SC

“ WE WERE SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT TOM. YOU GUYS WERE TRUE SOUL MATES, AND YOU WERE FOR SURE THE LOVE OF HIS LIFE, KATHY. HE ALWAYS ADORED YOU.

SUE AND JOHN CASEY - March 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BI

“ I posted an entry on Tom roper's page. Later when I went back it didn't show up as posted. I may have done something wrong. If you can locate it, I would like it posted. If not,that is okay.  
Billie Joiner

Billie - March 09, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Dear Kathy and Family,  
We are saddened by your loss.  
Tom was the best neighbor we have ever had in south Florida. We will always have the image of Tom knocking on our door one morning with gloves and tools in hand to help lay the 3 pallets of sod we got. We did not ask for help but that was Tom's way-always there to help.  
Our prayers are with you.

Jeanne and John Roscoe - March 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM

IJ

“ Im sorry to hear of your loss. rest assured that God will soon end all death and pain in the near future. We also look to the time when we will be able to see our lost loved ones agaian, right here on earth, under perfect conditions. May God continue to comfort the family in the many days to come.-Revelation 21:4, Acts 24:15, Isaiah 25:8.

I. Jeffries - March 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ So sorry for your loss. We will be praying for you.

the Dupree's - March 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Kathy,  
You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Tom was a very special friend and we will miss him.  
We love you.

Jerry and Rebecca Thompson - March 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Mr. Tom will be greatly missed! We all adored him, and will miss seeing him around the subdivision. If you need anything at all please call us. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Mark, Tammy, Casey, & Ryan Deal - March 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Dale and I are very saddened to hear about Tom's passing. We didn't know him very well, but he will be missed very much! Our thoughts and prayers go out to your family as you go through this difficult time. May God lift you up!

Becky Christ - March 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ Kathy, we love you and Tom. We miss Tom's personality and his faithfulness to our church. Someone said he was the only person they ever knew who lived while he was dying. So true. We are thinking of you.

Jimmy & Amanda Orr - March 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ We will truly miss Grandpa Tom. You welcomed us into your lives with open arms and have always been the most loving, accepting Grandpa a little boy could have. We will miss you but know that you are in Heaven watching your family and friends. To the whole family, we send love and prayers.

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**Traci and Bobby Hanson** - March 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ We are sending our love and prayers to all the family especially our family member Tommy Roper. We celebrate with you the Heavenly birthday of your dad. He is now in the presence of our Lord and Savior experiencing the most awesome time ever. You are in our hearts and we love you dearly and we know that Jesus is with you now and always.

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**Jerry and Tammy Hensley** - March 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Sending lots of love and prayers for your family.

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**Michael & Michelle Gibson** - March 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ Kathy,  
We are very sorry for your loss and will be praying for you and your family. We Love You.  
Andrew and Angie

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**Andrew and Angie Allison** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Kathy,

*My prayers are with you and your family. Remember, that Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal.*

*When death comes to one who has suffered, it is like releasing a caged bird; it frees them from their suffering to enter a life of peace in eternity with Jesus. Death may leave a void that no one can fill; but your love leaves memories that no one can steal. I pray that your memories will continually give you comfort.*

*May the peace of God be with you and your family.*

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**Brenda Bell** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Kathy! We're here for you.  
anything just let us know...?

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**James & Won Flowers** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Kathy I am so sorry that Tom is no longer with us. He was an awesome man but I know you already know that. I am praying for you and your family that God will forever hold you tight. Love you..

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**Raquel Miller** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ Dear Kathy and family,

*We are keeping you all close in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Mike and Shiela*

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**Shiela Ryan** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ *Our thoughts and Prayers are with you.*

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**David and Sharon Johnston** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *Kathy you are in my prayers. We will miss Tom so much. I'll think of him doing his "Winning Rook Dance". And how he loved to take food off from our plates. He loved to joke around. We love you!*

*William, Sara and Trey*

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**Sara Cochran** - February 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *Dear Cathy & Family, Your family is in our prayers. Tom was one of the finest Christian man I have ever known. He showed compassion and love to each person he came in contact. His desire to reach out and serve was allways present. I will miss him as a friend. And from now on, every old scratched Titlest golf ball I find, memories of Tom will make me smile. We love you!*

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**Erv & Sherry Carter** - February 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

WW

“ *dear Kathy and family: Ztom will be truly missed by his friend and church family at PBC. it was always good to see Tom on Wednesday night for choir practice. I will keep you Kathy and your family in my prayers. Keep all the good memories on your mind doring this time and know thay many others are with you. with love*

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**Warren ward** - February 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ Kathy,

*I am so sorry to hear about Tom. He was such a sweet and wonderful man. You all are in my prayers.*

*Sincerely,*

*Alicia Culver*

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**Alicia Culver** - February 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Kathy - Tom was one of the nicest people I have ever known. Mark enjoyed him so much as a Sunday School teacher, and he was always so interested in Mark's golf and life in general. We are praying for your comfort and strength during this difficult time. We love you - Kenneth, Lisa, Mark and Maggie Grace

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**Lisa Grace** - February 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Nell and Kathy and Mary and Bonnie and families of each of you; our love goes out to you at this time of sorrow, and as we grieve along with you, we summon from our memories the face of the mischievous little boy of a time long ago.

*Steve and Sheila Stephenson*

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**Steve and Sheila Stephenson** - February 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM