



## MAX HAROLD "COWBOY" TEMPLIN

August 2, 2024

Max Harold "Cowboy" Templin, 78 years old, passed away at home Friday, August 2, 2024 with his wife by his bedside. Born August 7, 1945, he was the only child of the late Harold and Christine (McCorkle) Templin. After graduating Bessemer High School in 1963, Max attended Samford University (Howard College) before serving six years in the Alabama National Guard. He worked for U.S. Steel, both in Ensley & Fairfield, before retiring with 42 1/2 years service.

Max and Jan were married in 1971 and were blessed to have two sons. Max was a wonderful husband and devoted Dad who loved God, his family, the Atlanta Braves, and Alabama football! RTR He was friendly and outgoing, never met a stranger, was always ready to strike up a conversation and, if you talked with him long enough, you realized he had another love in his life... music!! He could talk endlessly about almost any genre of music, answering any questions you might have.

Max was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents, and many other family members. He is survived by his wife, Janice (Bridgman), son Mickey Shane Templin, son Christopher Matthew Templin and his wife Stacie (Hullett), their son, Mason Reid, aka "Lil BudBud", the best sidekick grandson a PopPop could have, along with numerous other precious family members and friends both in Alabama and Mississippi.

The family would like to thank Max's doctors at St. Vincent's Hospital and the Amedisys Home Health hospice group for the care they provided during his illness. A special thank you is given to Margaret Battle for loving him like family and taking such good care of him every day.

Visitation will be Wednesday, August 7th from 10:00 a.m until 11:00 a.m. at People's Chapel Funeral Home on Brooklane Drive in Hueytown The funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home with burial following at Valhalla Cemetery in Birmingham (Midfield).

# Tribute Wall

JT

“ *JANICE--thank you for the call today to let me know MAX had passed away-I am so sorry i did not get the message in time to be there--great memories of our time in the ala national guard and more memories of our time in the BHAM RECORD COLLECTORS--we had so much fun playing the old records-especially the 45 on the turntables and swapping our records and sharing our collection with each other. GO rest high on that mountain MAX- your work on earth is done-GODS blessings to the family--till we meet again to play some oldies old buddy--your buddy and friend forever--JB THRASHER--  
Death leaves a heartache no one can heal--but LOVE leaves a memory no one can steal----*

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**JB THRASHER** - August 16, 2024 at 09:10 PM

JG

“ *This just breaks my heart. Max knew something about everything. We always talked about the beach and the music.*



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**Janice Greer** - August 12, 2024 at 01:21 PM

LW

“ As one of the younger cousins on the Templin side, I always looked up to Max, Terry, Glenda, and Larry. I remember Sunday dinners at our Great grandparents home and good times had by all. I like to think that some day soon in heaven Aunt Chris, Uncle Harold and my mom will sit around a table together and eat hot chocolate chip cookies just out of the oven and laugh about antics from early life! We were blessed to call him cousin. I know he will be sorely missed here on earth, but we will meet again! Love and prayers.  
Linda and Andy and family

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Linda Walton - August 07, 2024 at 03:51 PM

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“ Terry . Beverly & Deidra Templin planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of MAX HAROLD "COWBOY" TEMPLIN.

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Terry . Beverly & Deidra Templin - August 06, 2024 at 03:50 PM

TT

“ Terry . Beverly & Deidra Templin purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of MAX HAROLD "COWBOY" TEMPLIN.



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Terry . Beverly & Deidra Templin - August 06, 2024 at 03:50 PM

JE

“ *John and Sarah Elam lit a candle in memory  
of MAX TEMPLIN* ”



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**John and Sarah Elam** - August 06, 2024 at 01:17 PM