



## Mr. Joseph H Crutchfield

March 16, 1927 - December 4, 2016

Joseph H. Crutchfield, 89, of Medart, Florida, passed away in his home on Sunday, December 4, 2016. He was born in Bonifay, Florida on March 16, 1927, to Huey and Bonnie V. Crutchfield.

Joe worked as a heavy equipment operator for the State of Florida for 30 years. After retiring from the State, he found his true calling working for the Leon and Wakulla County Sheriff Offices. Joe really enjoyed his years with law enforcement, and felt it was in this capacity that he was able to touch the lives of many in a positive way. Joe was a member of the Panacea First Baptist Church; he enjoyed fishing, gardening, his time volunteering with the Sheriff's Posse and spending time with his many friends and loved ones. Joe never met a stranger, and could cut-a-rug with the best of them.

Joseph is survived by his wife of 63 years, Anna Belle Crutchfield, his son, Danny J. Crutchfield, daughter-in-law, Lisa A. Crutchfield, brother, TJ Crutchfield, and many beloved nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Eldon and Dewey, and his sister Flossie Huggins.

Visitation is 1:00 until 2:00 PM, Thursday, December 8, 2016, at Abbey Funeral Home, with the funeral service beginning at 2:00 PM. Interment will follow at Tallahassee Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Big Bend Hospice. Online condolences may be expressed at [www.ab](http://www.ab)

beyfh.com.

# Cemetery Details

## Tallahassee Memory Gardens

4037 North Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 562-1518  
<https://www.abbeyfh.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 8. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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4037 North Monroe Street  
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[abbeyfh@comcast.net](mailto:abbeyfh@comcast.net)

## Service

DEC 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Gwen Robinson purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Mr. Joseph H Crutchfield.*



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**Gwen Robinson** - December 07, 2016 at 06:13 PM

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“ *With deepest sympathy for your loss Annabelle.*

*I will never forget the tour he gave my mother (Bernice Chapman) and I (Anita) of the special "little house out back". Such a wonderful sense of humor.*

*With fond regards,,, Anita Hellens*

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**Anita Hellens** - December 07, 2016 at 12:13 PM

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“ *What a beloved friend...Mr. Joe! When we first visited Lake Ellen Baptist Church, I will never forget my first greeting. Yes, it was Mr. Joe, planting one of his huge kisses on a stranger. He won my heart. He loved greeting people, and us ladies sometimes would seek him out just to get our usual greeting. To Mrs. Anna Belle and Danny, we all loved Joe dearly. We will pray God's comfort for you and your family.*

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**Ron & Nancy Isham** - December 06, 2016 at 10:31 AM

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“ I have so many fond memories of Uncle H. My last memory of him is when he did the drawing at the family reunion for his mom's(my grandmother's) old singer sewing machine. My brother David won it and we traveled to Tallahassee to pick it up. We were able to spend some time in his home with him and Aunt Annie Belle. When we got home my brother gave me the sewing machine. It is a heirloom that I will always treasure. Uncle H always reminded me so much of Dad :)

Uncle H, make sure you tell dad hello for us and y'all save me a seat at the feet of Jesus. It won't be long till we have a grand family reunion again. Love ya bunches.

Your niece,  
Barbara Crutchfield Reeves  
Elton Crutchfield's daughter

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**Barbara Crutchfield Reeves** - December 05, 2016 at 05:37 PM

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“ So glad to have known Joe, he was special in so many ways.  
Prayers to Anna Bell and family.

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**bill andrews** - December 05, 2016 at 01:39 PM