



## Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts

December 16, 1934 - May 19, 2026

Funeral services for Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts, 91, of Carthage, Texas, will be held Tuesday, May 26, 2026, at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Allen Tilley, Rev. James McRight, and Rev. Jeff Armstrong officiating. Burial with military honors will follow at Restland Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be held from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. prior to the service at the funeral home.

Mr. Roberts was born December 16, 1934, in Prairie Lea and passed away peacefully on May 19, 2026, at his home in Carthage. Cole was one of three children born to Leona Isabella Cole and Luther Henry Roberts. He was raised and educated in Robstown, graduating with the Robstown High School Class of 1953.

Cole married his grade school sweetheart, Mary Ellen Nixon, in 1954. Together they shared 40 years of marriage and raised four children. He proudly served his country in the United States Air Force from 1955 until his honorable discharge in 1975. Following his military career, he worked for Amoco Production Company for 17 years.

In 1995, Cole married June Hooker, and together they shared almost 31 wonderful years filled with love, laughter, and cherished memories. He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Julia Townsend; a daughter, Risa Ellen Adair; and two grandsons, Spc. Lee Adair and Nathan Roberts.

Mr. Roberts is survived by his loving wife, June Roberts of Carthage; sons, Randy Roberts and wife Rebecca of Carthage, Rick Roberts and wife Toni of

Carthage, and Russ Roberts and wife Sherryl of Tulsa; brother, Dick Roberts and wife Paula of Cookstown, Oklahoma; along with numerous nieces, nephews, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, neighbors, and friends who will cherish his memory.

# Cemetery Details

## Restland Memorial Park Cemetery

2107 State Hwy 149  
Carthage, TX

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home  
307 West Wellington Street  
P.O. Box 188  
Carthage, TX 75633  
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## Funeral Service

MAY **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel  
307 W Wellington St.  
Carthage, Tx

# Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts



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Hawthorn Funeral Home - May 25 at 05:08 PM



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts

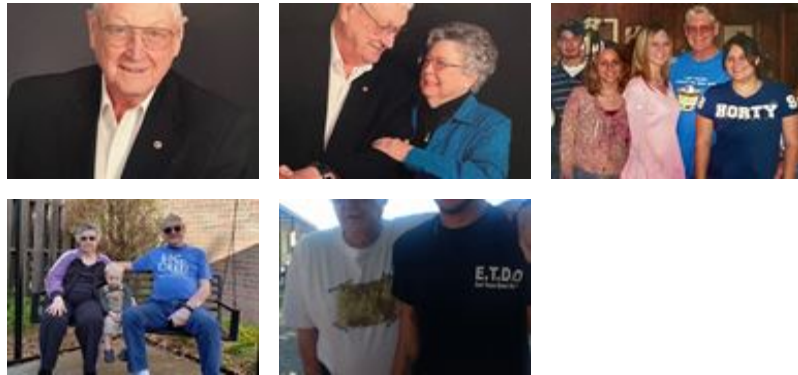


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Hawthorn Funeral Home - May 22 at 06:31 PM



“ 93 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hawthorn Funeral Home - May 25 at 04:54 PM



“ Zach & Emily, and Mitchell & Ashlie purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts.



Zach & Emily, and Mitchell & Ashlie - May 25 at 01:58 PM



“ Zach & Emily, and Mitchell & Ashlie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts.

Zach & Emily, and Mitchell & Ashlie - May 25 at 01:58 PM

KM

“ Kathryn M. purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts.



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Kathryn M. - May 23 at 11:30 AM

JL

“ Jerry & Laura, Don & Julie, Jack & Linda purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts.



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Jerry & Laura, Don & Julie, Jack & Linda - May 22 at 06:17 PM

JL

“ Jerry & Laura, Don & Julie, Jack & Linda planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts.

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Jerry & Laura, Don & Julie, Jack & Linda - May 22 at 06:17 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts.



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May 22 at 03:13 PM

RR

“ My dad was one of the most spiritual leaders that I know. He was obedient to the Word and his faith was the strongest I’ve ever seen. Even in his last day he said, “Not my will God, but yours”. I have spent many times visiting him from Oklahoma and not day passed the we didn’t speak about our faith. Many times as we were leaving a restaurant after Sunday service, we had to go back and find dad. There he was taking an opportunity to share Jesus with someone at the restaurant. I’ve got some big shoes to fill. I will surely miss him.  
Russell Roberts

Russell Roberts - May 21 at 05:51 PM

CR

Your Father was a faithful man in marriage n his faith. His love of family was truly seen n felt by me. You may not understand that he never lost heart even during times that he had no control of. I'm a witness to his goodness. He wrote me a heart felt letter that I will cherish the rest of my days He loved where he thought love was lost.  
To me , visiting him reassured the two of us. Our hearts have never changed from the beginning of our union as family. That's the blessing I take with me to continue this life. He's being with Our Lord now with a humble heart n a peacefulness only he will feel .  
His life was a spiritual blessing to all that knew him.  
Rest in Peace and Thank you for being a girls favorite Father in law. ❤️

Cindy Roberts - May 22 at 01:25 PM

CR

My children are my blessing n they were a gift to Cole and Mary Roberts. God is holding all of us in his hands and always has. 🙏

Cindy Roberts - May 23 at 01:15 AM

JB

*Cole was a dear friend. I always looked forward to our short chats every Sunday before Sunday School. No matter how bad he felt he always had a smile on his face and a hug for me. He and June had a very special way of touching the lives of so many people. Rest in peace dear friend.*

*Judy Beaty*

**Judy Beaty** - May 24 at 09:57 PM

BB

“*Cole was an amazing Christian man. I knew them at First Baptist Church in Carthage in the choir, Sunday School Class ,visiting on the phone, traveling on choir trip, and senior adult activities. He and June have touched my life.*

**Brenda Beasley** - May 20 at 10:08 PM

BB

“*Brenda Beasley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Quinnan Cole Roberts*



**Brenda Beasley** - May 20 at 10:07 PM

KH

“*Mr.Robert's was a true Christian gentleman.He was so witty and funny!! He was one of my patients at the doctors office.My sincere condolences to Randy - Rebecca and his entire family!*



**Kim Henigan** - May 20 at 07:28 PM

RR

*Thank you, Kim*

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**Rebecca Roberts** - May 20 at 07:45 PM

SG

*A truly great man! I will miss my friend!*

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**Steve Godwin** - May 20 at 11:44 PM

DR

*I called him Brother and I will still be his brother for the eternity we will share. Not only was he my brother, but he was also my best friend, protector, confidant and my hero. We literally shared 86 years talking , laughing, playing, planning and sometimes disagreeing. It already seems somewhat frightening to realize our earthly time is over and I must await our eternal reunion. One of his greatest joys was to talk about Jesus and it's thrilling to realize he can now talk WITH Jesus. Can't say enough about how his June and ALL his family gathered around him, behind him and supported him through his difficult times. My special person Paula and all our family looked up to him loved him and will greatly miss him.  
Dickie, Paula and family*

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**Dick & Paula Roberts** - May 21 at 02:16 PM