



## Ralph Battle

March 14, 1925 - June 13, 2020

Battle, Ralph, age 95, of Columbiana, passed away on June 13, 2020. There will be a graveside service on Tuesday, June 16, at 11:00 a.m. at Pinelawn Gardens. Bolton Funeral Home is directing.

Ralph was born in Six Mile, Al. on March 14, 1925. He was raised in Montevallo Al. and worked as a butcher. He served with the US Navy on the USS Ranger in World War II. He married Anne Dinkins on July 16, 1949 and moved to Columbiana, Al. He worked at Hayes Aircraft Corporation from 1951 until he retired in 1990. After retirement he and his wife enjoyed traveling to Pensacola to fish. After the passing of his wife, whom he was married to for 48 years, he volunteered his time with Columbiana's Meals on Wheels program. He logged 10,800 hours as a volunteer.

He is preceded in death by his wife: Anne Dinkins Battle; his daughter: Deborah Battle Anderson; his grandson: Joseph Shane Goodwin; his parents: Louis and Beatrice Battle; his sisters: Vera Lewis Strickland and Elizabeth Ann Dunnaway; and his brothers: James, Ed, Russell, Henry (PD) and Jack Battle. Mr. Battle is survived by his 4 daughters: Darlene Battle Carlisle, Jane Battle Potter (Dale), Jill Battle Kelley (Clegg), and Judy Battle Cantrell; son in law: Johnny Anderson; one brother: John Mosley Battle. He is also survived by 11 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. The family would like to acknowledge Bill Nichols State Veterans Home and to thank them for the wonderful and loving care that he received for the last 20 months. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Meals on

Wheels/Senior Center in Columbiana or the Alzheimer Foundation.  
Please sign online condolences at [www.boltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.boltonfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Pinelawn Gardens

207 Hwy 47 South  
Columbiana, AL 35051

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUN 16. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Darlene, Jane, Jill and Judy,  
I remember your Daddy when we lived next door to y'all on Myrtle  
Street- he was always kind, smiling and soft spoken. I know you all  
took good care of him!  
Love, Lisa McLeroy Davis*

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**lisa davis** - June 16, 2020 at 09:09 AM

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“ *I am saddened by the passing of such a kind man. Judy...to you and  
all of your sisters , I hope you find peace in your memories. To  
Jordan, Jessica and Madison and your families, I whisper a prayer  
for you tonight.  
Love,  
Lynn*

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**Aunt Lynn** - June 15, 2020 at 11:18 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the  
family of Ralph Battle.*



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June 15, 2020 at 12:46 PM

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“ I am so sorry to learn of Ralph's passing, he lived a good and long life. We were neighbors on Philips Circle for several years, I remember him as a loving father to his "girls". He and Anne were special neighbors. Sending prayers and comfort to his family during this time.

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**Martha Patterson (Jane)** - June 15, 2020 at 12:09 PM