



Robert "Bob" Holcombe

November 9, 1961 - July 9, 2025

Robert "Bob" Holcombe, 63, of Anderson, South Carolina, passed away peacefully on July 9, 2025, after a courageous battle with ALS.

Bob was a devoted husband, father, and leader - known for his fierce determination, competitiveness, sense of humor, and deep love for his family.

Born on November 9, 1961, at Edwards Air Force Base, and raised in Greenville, South Carolina, Bob was a standout athlete in high school who went on to graduate from Clemson University in 1985. In 1990, he married Paula Crim Holcombe and together they raised two children, Hunter and Jennifer. Bob never missed a game, practice, or chance to coach and support his kids.

Over the course of 35 years with FedEx Ground, Bob worked his way up from a part time Hub Manager to Regional Vice President. His leadership helped drive major expansion across the Southern Region, earning him numerous awards and the deep respect of those he led.

Bob loved Clemson football, fishing, and collecting antique signs which he later auctioned off to raise \$10,000 for ALS awareness.

He is survived by his wife, Paula Holcombe; children, Hunter Holcombe

(Molly) and Jennifer Holcombe; and sister, Barbara Barnett.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Billy and Marcelle Holcombe.

A graveside service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 12, 2025, at Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Visitation will be held after the service at the cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made to Touched By ALS at www.touchedbyals.org.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard
Greer, SC 29651

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUL 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DO

“ *DEBBIE OWENSBY lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Holcombe*



DEBBIE OWENSBY - July 14, 2025 at 02:59 PM

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“ *Angie AshmoreKruise lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Holcombe*



Angie AshmoreKruise - July 11, 2025 at 04:47 PM



“ *Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Holcombe.*



July 11, 2025 at 11:57 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert "Bob" Holcombe.*

July 10, 2025 at 09:48 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Holcombe.*



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“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Holcombe.*



July 10, 2025 at 09:36 PM



“ *Our sincerest condolences to the Holcombe family. Bob was one of a kind and we have so many great memories of the times we spent with all of you when you were in Pittsburgh. We will be praying for peace and comfort for all of you.*



Janet and Ed Pacich

Janet and Ed - July 10, 2025 at 04:59 PM



“ *The Charlotte Girls purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Robert "Bob" Holcombe.*



The Charlotte Girls - July 10, 2025 at 01:33 PM

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“ Dear Paula, Jenn, Hunter & Molly, we are so sorry for your loss. Bob had such a wonderful presence and delightful sense of humor. We are carrying you all in our hearts at this time. With love, Maggie & Bruce Fisher

The Fishers - July 10, 2025 at 10:39 AM

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Dear Paula, so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We remember all the great times we had when the boys were playing baseball. Bob was always the life of the party. Great guy. Our condolences for you, Jennifer, Hunter and Molly. Jeff and Christine Minter

Christine Kelly - July 15, 2025 at 11:03 AM