



David Pete Roland

May 4, 1943 - September 11, 2025

David "Pete" Roland, 82, of Slocumb, Alabama passed away Thursday, September 11, 2025, at his home surrounded by his family. Pete was born May 4, 1943, in Houston County, Alabama to the late Thomas Roland and Bonnie Smith Roland.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Thomas Roland, Bonnie Roland Walden, and Alto Walden; one sister Annette Edmonson; one brother Jimmy Walden.

He is survived by his wife, Pat Roland; one son, Charles Roland; one daughter Susan Watson (Tony); two brothers Tommy Roland (Judy) and Johnny Walden sister-in-law, Libby Walden; one grandson, Dave Delk (Brittany); two great-grandchildren, Briella and Livie; extended family Leo and Brenda Trejo, Chloe, Leo, Romelia, Miry (Jose), Guadalupe (Zella), as well as many other family members and friends.

Pete worked at Rex Lumber Company, in Graceville, Florida, for over 35 years and was recognized by Timber Processing Magazine for his contribution to the company as a saw filer. He also worked at Henry Arnold Ford, in Graceville, where he met and made many friends over the years. He really enjoyed race cars, drag racing, and the time he spent at Rocket Speedway. Pete also played the rhythm guitar and was a part of the Family Gospel Band with Tommy, Johnny, Jimmy, and Libby. He was a faithful member of Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church.

Funeral service will be 11:00 A.M. (CDT), Monday, September 15, 2025, at

Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church, 23444 East County Road 4, Slocomb, Alabama, with Rev. Addis Hubbard, Rev. Larry Newton and Rev. Craig Bailey officiating. The family will receive friends Monday, 10:00 A.M. until time for the service. Burial will follow in the church cemetery with James & Lipford Funeral Home, Graceville, Florida directing.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **15**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church
23444 East County Road 4
Slocomb, AL

Funeral Service

SEP **15**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Interment

SEP **15** (CT)

Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery
23444 East County Road 4
Slocomb, AL

Tribute Wall



“ *Our deepest condolences. We're thankful he's no longer suffering and resting in peace. Please know that you all in in our thoughts and prayers.*

Dan & Kim Key

Kim Key - September 12, 2025 at 02:45 PM