



## Mr. Butch Colding

April 23, 1944 - June 19, 2021

Butch Colding, 77, of Lithia, Florida, born in Rock Hill, South Carolina on April 23, 1944, entered into eternal rest on June 19, 2021. He was a Veteran of the United States Navy, and enjoyed woodcrafting and playing guitar. He is survived by wife, Linda Colding; children, Shelly (Mark) of Tampa, Amanda of Tampa, and Denise (Scott) of Valrico; grandchildren, Kasie (Aaron), Jacob, Victoria, Blair (David), Toby, Wyatt, and James (Carla); great-grandchildren, Ethan, Colton, Easton, Toby Jr., and Skyla; sister, Patricia; and many other family and friends. He was preceded in death by parents, Jake and Lula Colding; son, Darren Colding; brother, Jay Colding; and grandson, Aiden Colding. A funeral service will be held Saturday, June 26 at 11:00 A.M. at Dry Prairie Baptist Church, 40849 SR 62, Duette, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. Graveside committal to follow at Alafia Cemetery, Lithia. Expressions of condolence at [HopewellFuneral.com](http://HopewellFuneral.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Alafia Cemetery

222 Alafia Church Road  
Lithia, FL 33547

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Dry Prairie Baptist Church  
40849 State Road 62  
Duette, FL 34219

## Funeral Service

JUN **26**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Butch Colding



Hopewell Funeral Home - June 23, 2021 at 05:11 PM

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“ I am a distant relative of Butch. My sister, Ginger Colding Fortner, and I had many precious memories of the, ToneMaster Quartet area. Jake, Harry, Alvin, and sometime base singer Arlen Taylor. Those days hold a special place in my heart. Linda, may you find Jesus' peace close and His love unconditionally.

jimmy and Jane Saranko - June 25, 2021 at 12:01 PM

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*That goes back many years ago . Thanks!*

Linda T. Colding - June 26, 2021 at 06:35 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Butch Colding.



June 24, 2021 at 08:25 PM

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“ Butch and I were first cousins, our fathers being brothers. We visited Jake, Lula and family quite frequently, driving to Tampa from DeLand. When we moved to Tampa early 1958, I was soon involved in playing for several quartets in the area, the last being the Tone Masters, Jake's quartet. When my folks moved back to DeLand, I lived with Jake, Lula and family, along with Alvin Taylor. We kept house, cooked and traveled together to do singings. Butch played Bull Fiddle, and occasionally we would strap that bass on t he car for Butch to back me up. Later, we re-connected in Emporia, FL to dedicate a piano in my mother's memory. We arranged to go to Dry Prairie and did several singings with Alvin, Butch and our group, the Coldings. We have good memories of those times and were pleased when Butch and Linda married. We offer our support to Linda and the family and friends and ask for God's grace and peace in this time. There are several DVD's of those singings.

*Blessings and Prayers do richly abound, Jim and Susan Colding*

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Rev. Dr Jim Colding - June 24, 2021 at 04:22 PM

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*We all enjoyed the times y'all come to Dry Prairie for sing's*

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Linda T. Colding - June 26, 2021 at 06:42 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Butch Colding.*



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June 23, 2021 at 08:48 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Butch Colding.* ”



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June 23, 2021 at 08:37 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Butch Colding.* ”



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June 23, 2021 at 08:33 PM



“ *46 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



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