



Probus Micheal Perkins

April 24, 1948 - September 21, 2025

REFLECTION

Probus Michael “Scott” Perkins was born on April 24, 1948, in Lexington, NC to his dear and loving mother, Ida Mae Perkins Love. He was educated in the Lexington City public school system and is a proud member of the Dunbar High School class of 1966. He was a star football player all four years and served as captain of the football team. He was inducted into the Dunbar High School Hall of Fame. Scott attended Livingstone College in Salisbury, NC where he continued playing football for four years as a defensive back and cornerback. He was captain of his Livingstone College football team. In the Fall of 1968, Scott crossed the burning sands of Omega Psi Phi, Fraternity, Inc., Lambda Psi Chapter. Scott is a proud graduate of the Livingstone College class of 1970. That same year, he was drafted to the NFL’s San Francisco 49ers. He soon signed with the ACFL Roanoke Buckskins. Scott was inducted into the Livingstone College Hall of Fame in 2006. Scott began his career in banking but found his calling in law enforcement in 1976 when he was accepted without hesitation into the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Scott was

a skilled investigator as a Special Agent in the FBI earning numerous awards, accolades and recognition. He retired after 35 years of stellar service. After enjoying

retirement for a moment, he taught school in the Charlotte Mecklenburg school system.

Soon, his law enforcement expertise led him to become a supervisor in the security

department of the NBA. He thoroughly enjoyed attending many NBA games and NBA

All-Star weekends.

However, Scott's most favored recreational activity (outside of football, of course) was

golf. As soon as the temperature hit anything above 45 0 , Scott was on the range or the

course. One day, his daughter called him when he was golfing. She said, "Daddy, it's

raining down there!" He calmly replied, "It never rains on the golf course." He played

golf courses up and down the East Coast and played in many golf tournaments where

his teams placed and won many awards.

There are so many wonderful memories we will cherish about Scott- his impeccable

style of dress and grooming from head to toe... his subtle yet hilarious quick-wit that

always included a touch of wisdom... his love of his alma mater, Livingstone College.

But what we will remember the most is Scott's love for his family and friends. If anyone

needed anything, Scott would do everything in his power to make sure their

needs were

met. Inside that strong, cool exterior was the biggest heart. He never thought twice

about being there for those whom he loved.

Scott was preceded in death by his mother, Ida Mae Perkins Love, and his son, Maury

O. Holt. Scott leaves to cherish his life and live his legacy- his devoted and loving wife,

Louise, his children, Dr. Kelvin (Monique), Kenneth (Brandi), Charles (Erica), Kimberly

(John), and Probus (Marian); grandchildren Kelimae, Kaleb, Mercedes, Jaida, Charles,

Jr., Nevaeh, Mekhi, Kenneth, Jr., McKenzie, John, and Joshua; loyal and loving cousins

Kim "Fuji" and Merci; brother-in-law Julius; four amazing great grandchildren, and a host

of relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Lexington City Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church
210 Village Dr
Lexington, NC 27292-6067
(336) 249-1532

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall

CM

“ Praying for comfort and strength during this difficult time in your lives.



Cindy Miller - October 04, 2025 at 07:55 PM

 John Edwards

“ My deepest sympathy to the family.

John M. Edwards

John Edwards - October 03, 2025 at 12:31 PM

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“ WARREN H ARRINGTON JR CLASS 1970 lit a candle in memory of Probus Micheal Perkins



WARREN H ARRINGTON JR CLASS 1970 - October 03, 2025 at 11:13 AM

JR

“ My sincere condolences to the family.

Janice Redd - October 02, 2025 at 08:37 PM

WW

“ William West lit a candle in memory of Probus Micheal Perkins



William West - September 30, 2025 at 02:39 PM

CO

“ Criminal Clerk's Office. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Probus Micheal Perkins.



Criminal Clerk's Office. - September 30, 2025 at 09:39 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Probus Micheal Perkins.



September 29, 2025 at 09:21 PM

LF

“ Linda C Fuller lit a candle in memory of Probus Perkins



Linda C Fuller - September 28, 2025 at 10:47 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Probus Micheal Perkins.*



September 27, 2025 at 02:51 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Probus Micheal Perkins.

Sam Alston - September 27, 2025 at 02:51 PM