



Mr. Harold Darden, Georgia Associate State 4-H Leader Emeritus, passed away September 18, 2018, at the age of 98.

After serving in WW2, Mr. Darden returned to the United States and became a county 4-H agent in DeKalb County, later transferring to Carroll County. He was asked to join the state 4-H staff after the summer of 1955 and retired in 1975.

He leaves a strong legacy of service to Georgia 4-H and is recognized as one of the eighteen founders of Rock Eagle 4-H Center. Mr. Darden helped develop the camping program for Georgia 4-H, and he wrote the Citizenship Ceremony that has been used since 1959 at Georgia 4-H State Council.

In 2010, he was inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame, and in 2013 he was awarded the Georgia 4-H Lifetime Achievement Award.

We are thankful for Mr. Darden's dedication to Rock Eagle 4-H center and the statewide Georgia 4-H program.

<https://www.lordandstephens.com/notices/Harold-Darden>

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