



James F. Gilliland

May 12, 1936 - February 20, 2015

James F. Gilliland, 78, passed away on Friday, February 20, 2015. He was preceded in death by his parents, James and Mattie Gilliland of Billingsley, daughter Jamie Gilliland and son, Butch Sizemore of Bessemer, AL. Known to his friends and family as Rabbit, is survived by three daughters, Janis Watson (Frank), Debra Roy (Terry), Donna Jones; five sons, Alan Gilliland, Darryl Gilliland (Amanda), Barry Gilliland, Tyler Gilliland (Chelsea), Jerry Sizemore (Kay); one brother, Robert Gilliland (Hazel), one sister, Eileen Pearce (James); and a host of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. James' brother-in-law, Rev. Dale Waller will officiate funeral services at 6:00 PM, Friday, February 27, 2015 at McCalla Memorial Funeral Home. The burial will be 11:00 AM, Monday, March 2, 2015 at Alabama National Cemetery, Montevallo, AL. The family will receive friends on Friday from 5:00 PM to the service time.

Cemetery Details

Alabama National Cemetery

3133 Alabama 119
Montevallo, AL 35115

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

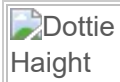
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Tribute Wall



“ Ouch...I just found this. I live in Washington State now, but I can promise you that you have never been far from me. I think of you often and kept thinking that someday we would see each other again. Dottie

Dottie Haight - July 05, 2015 at 09:41 AM

A blue square profile picture with the letters 'FU' in white.

“ Our condolences to the family. We were saddened to hear of James passing and are sorry we didn't make it to his service. Hoping to be present at the grave side to pay our last respects. I pray Gods wings wrap you in comfort at this time of sorrow.
Fuzzy and Crisco

Fuzzy - March 01, 2015 at 05:12 AM



“ A Devoted Heart Casket Insert was purchased for the family of James F. Gilliland.



February 26, 2015 at 06:38 PM