



Mr. James Wesley Johnson Sr

October 29, 1929 - March 15, 2015

Beloved husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather, James Wesley Johnson, Sr., 85, of Lake View, Alabama passed away peacefully at home with family on March 15th, 2015. He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Peggy Johnson; children, Wanda Sue Johnson, Kay Maze, husband Greg, Jimmy Johnson, wife Lynn; grandchildren, Rebecca Olsen, husband John, Sarah Shoemaker, husband Kevin, Heather Johnson; and great-grandchildren, Ava, Christine and Ella. He is also survived by one sister and three brothers. Mr. Johnson was the son of James P. Johnson and Clevie C. Johnson. His life was filled with love from his devoted wife, Peggy, and his family. Wesley took the most pride in being "Paw Paw" to his three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren who he loved deeply.

Wesley was born in Vance, Alabama in 1929. After graduating from Brookwood High School in 1949 he worked for Pullman Standard in Bessemer, Alabama. He was a proud combat veteran in the U.S. Army from 1950 - 1952 where he served in the Korean War as a member of the 151st Field Artillery Battalion - 47th Division. He was a retired foreman from Celotex Corporation and co-owner of J&M Cabinet Shop. Wesley and Peggy enjoyed their retirement years in Orange Beach and Fairhope, Alabama where they were residents for 24 years.

Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 18th, 2015 at

McCalla Memorial Funeral Home with graveside service to follow at Johntown Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 12:30 - 2:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers you would honor the family by making a donation to The Alzheimer's Association.

Cemetery Details

Johntown Baptist Church Cemetery

5201 Vance Road
West Blocton, AL 35184

Tribute Wall

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with Sue, Peggy and all of the extended family in this period of sadness. I've known Sue and her Mom for many years and have met James a few times but never really in the rush got to know him I'm sorry to say. He shares a common name with me and I've joked with him about it. He was a man with an accomplished talent given a hammer, wood and a saw. May the family rest and have comfort in knowing his suffering and ill health is over and he now resides in a better place. He leaves behind a beautiful family who will always share many fond memories. I've witnessed in life how much he was loved.

Daniel Wesley Hearn

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“ *Gran and Family you are in our thoughts and prayers. We were so very sorry to hear of Paw's passing. We love you and want you to know our hearts go out to you with deepest sympathy. Love David and Teri Coan*

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