



Sanford J. Garner

June 27, 1935 - April 1, 2015

Sanford J. Garner, 79 passed away peacefully in his sleep to join his wife, Betty in heaven on Wednesday, April 1, 2015. He was a long time resident of Westover and was a retired Army veteran serving in Korea along with other overseas assignments. He is survived by, his daughter, Teresa Hardin, his son, Dale Garner (Ann), grandchildren, Rick Hardin (Mathew and Daniel), Jessica Barber (Riley and Mason), Lindsey Garner (Savannah) , Joesph Garner (Cadence and Braden) and Alyssa Henderson (Taylon, Hayden and Gage). He resided with his niece, Tammy McKinley (Jeff) and his great-grandchildren, Christopher and Hannah Garner. Graveside services will be 11:00 AM, Monday at Mars Hill Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Mars Hill Cemetery

2536 Ati Parkway
Hoover, AL

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ my daddy was a very unique man a man of very few words never shouted never lost his temper. i remember being a child and getting to ride in old blue, that was his truck, and he thought he had the best looking truck ever,to him it was, to the world it was just an old pick up truck with a hole in the floor board. the hole was one of my favorite things ,i would hop in the old blue and take off with my daddy,and stare at my hole and watch the road go by so fast. my daddy used to tell me that road could and would take me anywhere i wanted to go. one of my favorite trips with my daddy and old blue was to the feed store, they had the big boxes of candy like the stores would by, i always got to pick out the candy for me and my brother, dale. I can remember my mom working once we moved to bluff ridge, and my daddy was always at home, helping with homework, cooking supper, and making sure that we were taking care of. every year we went to Florida for vacation, my daddy loved the ocean, i can remember him going way out on the float, and my mom screaming, HONEY, GET BACK UP THIS WAY, YOUR GOING TO KILL YOURSELF, AND I CANT GET TO YOU TO SAVE YOU, he would always come back to shore with a smile on his face, knowing he had yet gotten away with doing something he loved to do. a lot of people thought my daddy never showed or expressed his feelings but to me he did, just in his on way, not like anyone else. I'm so thankful to my cousin TAMMY, picking up the pieces that was left after my mom passed in 2012, and giving my daddy what he needed and deserved most in life. a chance to live in peace, with no worries and no fear. and i know now that everything happens for a reason, because my daddy got to live out the last days of his life doing exactly what he loved, and doing it exactly where he loved. he shared his days with Tammy, CHRIS, AND HANNAH, JEFF, AND SARAH, enjoying the beach, the pool, and watching the waves come in and go out, something HE loved. regrets, i have many,something a lot of us don't think about until its to late.BUT, I'm going to find peace in knowing that my daddy was so loved and so taken care of.so goodbye daddy, i really did love you,and to TAMMY,and jeff there are no words to express the gratitude i have for you for doing this for my daddy.HE LOVED

TAMMY, AND AUNT BILL, and the rest and he did go rest high on that mountain, with great peace, and he's smiling down on us all today, at my moms side, whole once again, able to enjoy his kingdom that he earned.

Teresa Hardin - April 22, 2015 at 02:06 PM

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“ *Sara Lucas lit a candle in memory of Sanford J. Garner*



Sara Lucas - April 05, 2015 at 01:17 PM

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“ *Nora Lutz lit a candle in memory of Sanford J. Garner*



Nora Lutz - April 02, 2015 at 02:10 PM