



E. B. Harris

June 7, 1918 - January 8, 2012

E.B. Harris, age 93, of Mableton passed away in the morning of Sunday, January 8, 2012 at his home. He was born to Oscar and Mary Harris on June 7, 1918 in Harlan, Kentucky. After graduating from high school, E.B. worked as a telephone and telegraph groundman until joining the U.S. Army Air Force in 1942 at Fort Oglethorpe, GA. He served as an Aerial Gunner during WWII and obtained the rank of Staff Sergeant when he was honorably discharged in Scott Field, IL. During his service to our country, he received four bronze stars and an air medal. E.B. was a beloved member of the Church of Jesus Christ and Latter Day Saints and had served for 18 years at the Atlanta Temple. He was a long-time resident of Mableton since 1957 and had retired from CSX Railroad after 42 years of dedicated service. E.B. was an active family man: a husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and great-great-grandfather. He enjoyed spending time with everyone and knew how to be the life of the party. He will be missed. The family will receive friends Monday, January 9, 2012 from 6:00pm-8:00pm at Gene Davis-White Columns Chapel in Mableton. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 2012 at 1:00pm in the funeral home chapel with James Kelly and Phillip Kelly officiating. Interment will follow at Powder Springs Memorial Gardens in Powder Springs.

Comments



“ Kninnavax Awesome read. I just passed this onto a colleague who was doing a little research on that. He just bought me lunch because I found it for him! So let me rephrase: Thank you for lunch! 01/26/2012 Heather Strickland E.B. was a wonderful, kind, and generous man. Terry and I are thankful for the opportunity we had to know him. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family at this time. 01/09/2012 Tom Owen I have known EB for the last 22 years. He was a good friend and mentor. A quiet man but one you could learn from by his example. I will miss my good friend EB. Catherine you will be in our thoughts and prayers. 01/09/2012 Carlton and Lana Floyd To the Harris family, We send our heartfelt sympathy and pray God will comfort you as you part from your beloved family member. We first met E.B. and Catherine when we attended Marietta Ward and later in Smyrna Ward. It's been a long time, but we remember our Church friends. Katherine taught our children in Primary: Brian, Julie and Jennie-twins, Richard, and Rebecca Floyd. We split off to the Douglasville Branch when Rebecca was about 3 yr old. Remember the good times; be blessed by your eternal covenants. Sending our love and affection, Carlton and Lana Floyd 01/09/2012

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