



Jack DeLay

November 10, 1921 - October 27, 2009

Jack Thomas DeLay, age 87, of Mableton, died Tuesday, October 27, 2009. A WWII Vet on USS Maryland he worked for General Motors for 33 years. He was a Deacon at Pebblebrook Baptist Church and Music Minister at Cary Park and Pebblebrook Baptist for over 40 years. A Mason of the Mableton Lodge he was also a member of Gideons International. Survivors include his wife, Kathaleen DeLay; daughters, Donna Marie DeLay of Mableton, Wanda D. and husband Dan J. Reynolds of Marietta; sister, Betty D. Smith of Spartanburg, SC, several nieces and nephews and a host of friends. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2:00pm at Gene Davis & White Columns Funeral Chapel in Mableton with Rev. Chris Woodall officiating. Burial will follow in Crestlawn Memorial Park. Family will receive friends on Thursday from 4:00 & 8:00pm. Donations can be made to Pebblebrook Baptist Church or Gideons International

Comments



“ Guestbook 11/19/2009 - Juanita Bright Privette I remember his wonderful smile. He encouraged this young Christian to sing and I have been singing ever since. His family was surely blessed to have such a wonderful man in their lives. I know you all will miss him especially during the upcoming holiday season. Blessings 11/03/2009 - Robert & Melisa Wood I will always remember Jack fondly. He sang at my sister's funeral and you never saw him when you didn't get a hug! He was one of my favorite people and I will truly miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with you Kathleen. 10/29/2009 - Denise Wood Seabolt I have never forgotten my Smiley! He may not be able to share his smiles with us here on earth, but I know he is with Jesus, probably helping to lead the choir, with that beautiful SMILE that he's known for! I can't wait to see him again. Love to all the family. 10/29/2009 - Sheila Grady Kendall So many good memories when I think of Jack. A great part of my childhood too. Just wanted you to know your in our thoughts and prayers. We love you all! Sheila 10/28/2009 - Don and Becky Hiett Donna, Thank you so much for contacting me about your Dad. Tell Wanda and your Mom that you all are in our Prayers. D&B 10/28/2009 - Eileen Champion Wilson I am going to miss that wonderful laugh and those great bit bear hugs. He was one of the sweetest people I very met. I bet he and my dad are shaking hands right now and daddy is showing him around heaven. Eileen Champion Wilson 10/28/2009 - Doug Aligood Another saint has gone home. A man whom I admired and learned a lot from during my few years working with Jack. I remember just a few short weeks after I went to Pebblebrook Baptist Church, he and his lovely wife, Kathleen and myself sang the song "What A Day That Will Be". He's now experiencing what he loved to sing about. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family as another soldier has made it home. Doug Aligood | |

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