



Charles Estes Brown

August 26, 1926 - January 6, 2014

Funeral services for Charles Estes Brown, 87, of Nances Creek will be Friday, January 10, 2014 at 2 p.m. at Thompson Funeral Home with the Rev. Garry Brown officiating. Burial with military honors will follow at Nances Creek Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home one hour prior to services. Mr. Brown, affectionately known as Charlie Brown, died Monday, January 6, 2014 at his home surrounded by his three caring daughters, Faye "Susie" Roberts (Randall) of Jacksonville, Sandra Harper of Nances Creek and Carolyn Peddy of Villa Rica, Georgia. Mr. Brown was also survived by six grandchildren, Robin Roberts (Gina) of Jacksonville, Kelly Roberts of Jacksonville, Jon Harper of Clarksville, Tennessee, Steven Harper (Magen) of Oxford, Mikki Lucas (Joshua) of Villa Rica, Georgia, and Cynthia Ellis (Chris) of Douglasville, Georgia. As well as ten great-grandchildren, Mallory and Torre Roberts, Sean and Kaylee Roberts, Noah and Katie Harper, Gabriel and Tristen Lucas, and Logan and Jonathan Ellis. Pallbearers will be Kenneth Williamson, Lamar Harbin, Robin Roberts, Steven Harper, Joshua Lucas and Chris Ellis. Honorary pallbearers will be his nieces and nephews. Mr. Brown was a member of Nances Creek Baptist Church where he earned the nickname "Teddy Bear" for his ever lasting hugs and never ending pocket of chewing gum. He served in the U.S.Navy during WWII and retired from Anniston Army Depot. During his retirement he rebuilt alternators and starters for the community and was always there to lend a helping hand. Mr. Brown was preceded in death by his loving wife of 67 years, Maggie Odelle Brown,

by his parents, Dave and Bertha Brown and by two brothers and six sisters.

Tribute Wall

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“ Remembering when my mom and dad would load us kids up and take us from Gadsden to Piedmont to visit Uncle Charles and Aunt Odell. Uncle Charles always made us feel welcome and was always smiling. Those trips are very good memories. My sisters and I got to see Uncle Charles most recently at my cousin, James Farmer's, Funeral. It is sad that sometimes that is the only time relatives meet up. But I was so happy to see Uncle Charles, and I could tell he was happy to see us "Brown" girls. He seemed to be a happy man. His family sure had taken excellent care of him. He was a well loved man! I am so proud of my uncle's service to this country. There are not many WWII veterans left. They are truly a very special generation. My sincere Sympathy to his Children, Grandchildren and family. God Bless Rest in Peace Uncle Charles

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