



## Joseph Wayne Cox

December 15, 1931 - June 8, 2017

Services for Joseph Wayne Cox, 85, of Piedmont will be Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. at Thompson Funeral Home with the Rev. Earl Bedwell, the Rev. Bob Staggs, and John Alred officiating. Burial with military honors will follow at Piedmont Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends two hours prior to the service. Mr. Cox passed away Thursday, June 08, 2017 at his home. Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Velma Cox; children, Vada McGatha (Terry) of Piedmont, Sid Cox of Alexandria, and Joyce Bedwell (Earl) of Piedmont; seven grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and one sister, Frances Giddens (Bill) of Saks. Pallbearers will be Johnny McGatha, Jeremy McGatha, Kyler Cox, Dalton Bedwell, Charlie Anderson, and Sid Cox. Honorary Pallbearers will be Heath Cox and Jo Jo Cox. Mr. Cox was a lifelong resident of Calhoun County. He loved fishing and spending time with his family. He was preceded in death by his son, Joseph Marvin "Joey" Cox.