



## James Elvin Cummings

August 11, 1914 - July 13, 2011

James Elvin Cummings, 96, of Laurel, died Wednesday, July 13, 2011 at his home. Funeral services will be at 2:30 pm Saturday, July 16, at Memory Chapel with burial to follow in Corinth Cemetery in Jones County. James was also known as “Paw” and “Old Man”. He was a World War II veteran and received countless awards including the bronze star. Prior to retirement, he was a truck driver. Survivors include his wife of 68 years, Virgie Cummings and five children, Ken Cummings (Karen), Bill Cummings (Celeste), Sue Martin (Don), Don Cummings (Carol), and Joan Pitts (Edward). He was also survived by eleven grandchildren, twenty-four great grandchildren, and two great great grandchildren. Pallbearers include Don Martin, Edward Pitts, Jeffery Parish, Shane Martin, Todd Martin, and Will Edwards. Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 pm Friday, July 15, at Memory Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements. To view and sign the family guest book, visit [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com).

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ Paw,  
You were my hero. I will always carry your memory around with me  
in my heart and mind. You were loved and will continue to be loved  
by us all. I know that God is surely to make an angel out of you! You  
were the greatest, Paw!  
Love, Melissa, Mirabella, and Ven

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**Melissa Cummings** - July 14, 2011 at 03:28 PM

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“ James Elvin Cummings

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**Larry Cummings** - July 14, 2011 at 02:02 PM