



John Patterson

July 12, 1941 - August 26, 2011

John T. Patterson age 70 passed away Aug. 26, 2011 at Regency Hosp. in Hattiesburg. A memorial service will be held Monday at 11:00 am at Franklin United Methodist Church. He was a veteran, having served in the 101st Airborne Division as a Military Policeman. He officiated High School Football for 32 years. He belonged to the MHSAA, Marvin E. Sainton Post #11 American Legion and the 101st Airborne Division Assn. He was as Mason in the John Henry Wooten Lodge #503, Laurel York Rite Bodies, Valley of Meridian Scottish Rites 32 and Hamasa Shriners. He worked in the oil industry for 35 years in equipment and rental sales. He was a member of the API Board. He was avid hunter and outdoorsman. He loved the New Orleans Saints and Le Richelieu in New Orleans. He was a member of Franklin United Methodist Church. He was preceded in death by his father J.T. Patterson, mother Carrie Patterson Flood, and brother R. Tom Patterson. He is survived by his wife Betty of Laurel, sons John Garrett Patterson and his wife Tracy of Navarre Beach, Fla. and Kyle Boyles and wife Trudy of Spartanburg, South Carolina, daughters Patricia Patterson of Laurel, Teena Keyes and husband Randy of Laurel, and Bridgett Holifield and husband Donnie of Laurel, sister Katherine P. Bethea and her husband Jr. and six grandchildren Nicklaus Keyes, Micah Patterson, Zack Boyles, Riley Holifield, Haley Boyles, T.J. DePriest and Dustin Holifield. Honorary pallbearers will be Jerry Broadway, Fred Holmes, Bill Davis, Frank Pavesic, Harvey Smallwood, Rich Fields, Frank Reese, Michael Jackson and members of the API Board.

Tribute Wall

RS

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I pray that you will find peace in your memories. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Gina Jo

Regina Spayde - August 29, 2011 at 07:13 PM

CD

“ We were so saddened to hear about John T. We are thinking of you during this time. May the Lord bless you and keep you and make your days brighter.

Charles Dillon - August 29, 2011 at 05:42 PM

RR

“ Miss Betty, John, Teena, and Bridgett > I am very sorry for your loss and you have my deepest sympathy. May God wrap his loving arms around you and hold you tight during this difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers

Richard Rose - August 29, 2011 at 02:14 PM

RW

“ Dear Family,
I am so sorry for your lost and I pray that God would grant you HIS peace and comfort during this time.
Randy

Randy Wall - August 29, 2011 at 11:10 AM

MB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of sorrow. He will be sadly missed, and will always be remembered and loved.

Malcolm and Dianne Bearb - August 29, 2011 at 10:19 AM

DE

“ *To the family -
Our Prayers are with you. We had a great HS class ('59) and John T
was always involved.
We are thinking of you all.
Darryl & Chris Evans*

Darryl Evans - August 28, 2011 at 04:38 PM

MM

“ *John Garrett, So sorry to hear about John T. I sure did think a lot of
him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Mitch McCarty - August 27, 2011 at 11:08 PM