



## Loomis G. "Red" Hester, Jr.

June 14, 1925 - October 17, 2010

L. G. (Red) Hester, Jr., 85, of Laurel, died Sunday, October 17, 2010 at Crossgates River Oaks Hospital in Brandon.

Funeral services will be held at 2 pm Wednesday, October 20, 2010 at Church of Christ in Laurel with burial in Sunset Gardens Cemetery. Rev. Les Ferguson, Jr. will officiate.

He was a retired mail carrier who worked for the U. S. Postal Service for 37 years, and a member of Church of Christ.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Julia Belle Jones Hester; second wife, Louise Carlisle Hester; and great granddaughter, Evelyn Rose Larry.

Survivors include one son, Douglas Lee Hester and wife, Mary Ellen of Brandon; three daughters, Rita Hester Stumph and husband John of Mt. Olive, Sarah Hester Carranza and husband Mercedes of Gulfport, and Sandra Hester Slade and husband Roger of Porter, TX; one step-son, Charles R. Carlisle, Sr. of Picayune; four step-daughters, Linda Sanderson of Florence, Debbie Anderson of Laurel, Becky Grayson of Ellisville and Charlotte Madison of Ellisville; nine grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; one brother, William (Bill) Hester of Laurel; and two sisters, Anne Sedlak of Springfield, Virginia and Mary Regan of Philadelphia, Penn.

Pallbearers will be Brian Stumph, Josh Perks, Jeremy Perks, J. J. Hendrix, Edward Carranza, and Rusty Jones.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the charity of your choice.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 8 pm Tuesday, October 19, 2010 at Memory

Chapel which is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Everyone At Bodyworks will miss Mr. Hester very much! He was such a great person we all loved when he was here visiting with us and showing us how many pull ups he could do. He will truly be missed by all. We were fotunate to get to know him. Our thoughts are with you and your family.*

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**Bodyworks Fitness Center** - October 21, 2010 at 09:58 AM

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“ *So sorry to hear about your loss, Doug & Sarah. You and your families are in my prayers.*  
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**Tracey Guy Rogers** - October 19, 2010 at 04:34 PM