



## Richard E. McBride

July 17, 1921 - November 14, 2010

Richard E. McBride, 89, of Laurel, died Sunday, November 14, 2010, at his residence.

Funeral services will be held at 2 pm Wednesday, November 17, 2010 at Memory Chapel with burial in Matthews Cemetery. Rev. John Reid will officiate.

He retired from Watson Realty in Jacksonville, Florida. He served in the U. S. Army Air Corp. during World War II. He graduated as Navigator, was commissioned as Bombardier, was a First Lieutenant and also a navigation instructor in Tucson, Arizona. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal, Bismark Archipelago Campaign Award and Member Fallen Sparrows. He completed 40 missions in combat, volunteered overseas, and was an assistant operations manager in Hickam Field.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Cleo M. Holmes; father, Clarence McBride; and sister, Audrey Hardeman.

Survivors include wife, Beth Harrelson McBride of Laurel; daughter, Michele M. Maron and husband David of Jacksonville, FL; grandchildren, Richard Maron, Micah Maron, Breeanna Maron, and Nikki Maron Perry and husband Jon; step-children, Stacy Graham and husband Mickey, and Blain Graham and wife Carol; and step grandchildren, Caleb Graham, Kara Graham, Tori Graham, John Graham, and Jamie Graham.

Pallbearers will be Rayford Graham, Ronnie Jones, Micah Maron, Ricky

Jones, Bart Gavin and Marvin Jones.

In lieu of flowers the family request that memorials be made to Friends of Children Hospital (Blair Batson), Department of Pediatrics, 2500 North State Street, Jackson, MS 39216.

Visitation will be held from 11 am until service time on Wednesday, November 17, at Memory Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

RI

“ *My Uncle, a war hero and a special person Rest in Peace, Richard Bogart, Rick Bogart.*

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**Rickbogart** - June 01, 2024 at 05:20 PM

GK

“ *May God Bless You and your family*

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**Gwin King** - November 18, 2010 at 12:22 AM

CH

“ *Mrs. Beth, We were so sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Richard. May God comfort you during these difficult times and you will be in our daily prayers. Love and miss you! Tim, Cara, Garrett & Gavin Huber*

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**Cara Huber** - November 17, 2010 at 10:22 AM

MB

“ *My prayers are with you. God Bless*

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**Mike Bryant** - November 16, 2010 at 08:00 PM

SH

“ *Dear Beth and Family:  
All the Hansels send their deepest sympathy. You will be in our prayers today and in the days to come. We stand ready to be helpful if and when we can.  
Love, Steve and family*

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**steve hansel** - November 16, 2010 at 02:23 PM