



Walter B. Speed

December 23, 1932 - August 30, 2015

Walter B. Speed, 82, of Ellisville, MS, passed away on Sunday, August 30, 2015, at his residence.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 3, 2015, at Memory Chapel with burial to follow at Hickory Grove Cemetery. Rev. Kenneth Morgan, Rev. Kevin Williamson, Rev. Norman Hartshorn, and Rev. Scott Davis will officiate. Visitation will be from 1:30 to 3:15 p.m.

Mr. Speed was a member of ROC Fellowship. Prior to retirement, he was employed at Masonite for 42 years. He also served in the U. S. Army during the Korean War.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 33 years, Alma Jeanette "Pete" Speed; daughter, Laurie Speed; parents, David Gomez and Annie Speed; and sister, Betty Jane Speed. Mr. Speed is survived by his wife of 24 years, Jane Speed of Ellisville; children, David Speed (Fran) of Soso, Mitchell Speed (Sarah) of Ellisville, and Robin Dykes (Eddie) of Wiggins; step-children, Charlotte Clemts (Sam) of Hattiesburg and Dewayne Browning (Cindy) of Gitano; and sisters Karleen Scott (Ray) of Laurel and Laura Bell Fields (H. F) of Grand Bay, AL. He is also survived by his grandchildren, Alan Speed (Lacie), April Henderson (Jeff), Jacob Dykes (Anny), Michelle Blancett (Heath), LeeAnne McDonald (Cody); step-grandchildren, Jessica Clemts, Adam Clemts (Kathrine), Jacob Clemts (Devon), Joshua Clemts (Abbey), Kimberly Hartfield (Dustin), Samantha Clemts, Cory Browning (Sarah), Amy Waters (Adam), Amber Bolton (Wayne), Kaylee Meadows, (Brandon), Ronnie

Cook (Shaun), and Eric Yelverton (Krisha), ten great-grandchildren, twenty-three step great-grandchildren, and three step great-great grandchildren. Pallbearers will be Alan Speed, Jacob Dykes, Jeff Henderson, Heath Blancett, Joshua Clemts, Jacob Clemts, Ronnie Williams, Tim Fields, and Edward Bynum. The family of Mr. Speed would like to express our heartfelt thanks to Kevin Long, Bonny Bounds, Lisa Graves, and Melinda Shedd with Forrest General Hospital Home Care and Hospice. To sign the guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Tribute Wall

DC

“ So very sad to hear about H. And even sadder that I didn't get a chance to visit with him and his wonderful wife Terry. Our memories go back many years, back to the time, H was working for JohnPerkins. We lived in Pasadena where John spent a lot of time with his friends. We were considered a real friend of both. My husband Kevin, was a Doctor that not only loved John and H and families but spent time in Mississippi volunteering his ability with his ministry. Kevin and I spent several weeks i Mississippi with the group including H and Terry but also H and Terry spent considerable time in our home where we developed a great love for them.

We lost contact during the years and I was shocked to hear of H 's ministry and his death here in Fresno. I have spent my last few months here inClovis at the Carmel Retirement Village. My son Ken lives here in Clovis. I would love to contact Terry and catch up a little on history if she is interested. My phone is 623 399 0012.

My love and
Condolences.
Donnie. Lake Chrspell

Donnie Lake Chrspell - May 15, 2023 at 12:42 PM

LS

“ So many great years growing up together and then a continued love and friendship in later years. We will all miss him and my thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Laura Lou Subel - September 03, 2015 at 04:14 PM

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“ *Uncle Walter B, you always brought a smile to my face and a piece of the past to my heart. I will always remember you men sitting in a circle on the side of the house. I'm sure y'all are sitting there now. Until we meet again, you will always be loved, Iris*

Iris Subel Davis - September 02, 2015 at 05:29 PM

PR

“ *Robin & Eddie I am sorry for your loss. I pray God will comfort you and your family during this sad time.*

Paul Rand - September 01, 2015 at 11:18 PM

CM

“ *sorry for your loss, will keep you in are prays.*

Charles McMillan - August 31, 2015 at 03:53 PM