



Jessie W. Flowers

November 28, 1922 - May 11, 2010

Jessie W. Flowers, 87, of New Castle, died Tuesday, May 11, 2010 at Heritage House of New Castle.

Jessie was born November 28, 1922, in Hegira, Kentucky, the son of the late Johnny and Vinnie (Garner) Flowers.

Jessie was drafted at the age of 21, during WWII. He was a selected volunteer for the U.S. Navy and served on the U.S.S. Lynx AK100 from February 1944 to January 1946. He moved from Burkesville, Kentucky to New Castle in 1948. He married Margie (Nation) Flowers on May 28, 1948 in Glasgow, Kentucky with Rev. McCorkle officiating the ceremony. He retired from Chrysler Corporation in March, 1979, after 30 years and 10 months of service. He was a member of the New Harvest Church and was an avid fisherman and gardener.

He is survived by his wife, Margie Flowers; a daughter, Beverly (husband: Terry) Davidson of New Castle; two sons, Steven (wife: Kathleen) Flowers of Mooreland and Larry Flowers of New Castle; eight grandchildren, Gary (wife: Angela) Davidson, Melissa (husband: Brad) Blackburn, Michael (wife: Susan) Flowers, David (wife: Brandi) Flowers, Derrick (wife: Michelle) Flowers, Doug Flowers, Shannon (husband: Cory) Dickerson and Christy (husband: Ryan) Ayers; 15 great-grandchildren, William and Casey Davidson, Beth, Matthew and Nathan Flowers, Isaac, Lucas, and Elijah Flowers, Peyton and Ava Flowers, Rachel, Rebecca and Allison Dickerson, and Lauren and Devin Ayers; a step-brother, Willie Earl (wife: Joyce) Sells of Bow, Kentucky and

several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter-in-law, Guyla Flowers; a sister, Malbie Shepard; a brother-in-law, Everett Shepard; a step-brother, Weldon Sells; a step-sister-in-law, Genevie Sells.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Friday, May 14, 2010 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with the Revs. Steve Disbro and Jerry Townsend officiating. Military honors will be conducted by a contingent from the American Legion and VFW. Burial will follow in Mooreland Cemetery.

Friends may call from 4 – 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com

Tribute Wall

JP

“ So sorry for your loss. Jessie was a wonderful person. We love you Margie, Your girl's at Heritage House.

Jeannette Pitts - May 17, 2010 at 06:09 PM

LJ

“ We wish your family well, and hope everyone will continue to keep their spirits high during this time. Best wishes from Brown's Oil Service

Lee & Josh - May 13, 2010 at 04:51 PM

WD

“ Steve , Sorry to hear about the passing of your father, I pray That God will give you strenth and comfort during this time. Wally

Wally Dilling - May 13, 2010 at 10:16 AM

VS

“ I had the privledge of taking care of Jessee at the Heritage House, he was a blessing to me. Thank you for allowing me that time to take care of him and to get to know him, I will miss him alot, I have grown very fond of him and his smile for me.

Valerie Shaneyfelt - May 13, 2010 at 09:15 AM

RW

“ Sorry to hear about the death of Mr. Flowers. I hadn't seen him in many years. My mother, Hazel Garner Crawley, was his first cousin. Her father, Mack Garner, and Vinnie Garner Flowers were brother and sister. May God comfort the family in this time of sorrow.

Randa Crawley Wright - May 13, 2010 at 12:09 AM