



Travis Theron Voss

April 22, 1924 - February 22, 2012

Funeral service for Rev. Travis Theron Voss, age 87, of Decatur, will be Sunday, February 26, 2012, 2:00 p.m. at Central Park Baptist Church with Rev. Phil Waldrep and Joshua Voss officiating and Shelton Funeral Home directing. The family will receive friends on Saturday, February 25, 2012, from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home and for one hour prior to service at the church. Interment will be in Roselawn Cemetery with Rev. Dr. Jackie Kay officiating. Rev. Voss, who died Wednesday, February 22, 2012, at his residence, was born April 22, 1924, in Lawrence County, to Robert F. Voss and Lillie Tingle Voss. He was preceded in death by his parents, infant sister, Rose Marie Voss, and two brothers, SSGT Robert Venice Voss and Avis Uriah Voss. Rev. Voss was retired from Redstone Arsenal and a retired Baptist minister, having served in Lawrence, Morgan, and Limestone Counties. He was a veteran of WWII, serving in the Ardennes Rhineland Central Europe with the 276th Combat Engineer Battalion. He is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Opal Shankle Voss of Decatur; three sons, Theron Ray Voss (Janet) of Decatur, Charles Allen Voss (Judy) of Decatur, and Mark Anthony Voss (Jodi) of Apopka, FL; two brothers, Rev. Wayne Voss of Trinity, and Jackie Voss of Waterford, MI; three sisters, Bernice Cross of Decatur, Lillie Dean Cook of Waterford, MI, and Cora Fry of Ypsilanti, MI; seven grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. Pallbearers will be grandsons. Honorary pallbearers will be area Baptist ministers. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests memorial

donations be made to the music ministry of Central Park Baptist Church or Hospice of the Valley.