



William Riley McDonald, Jr.

February 11, 1938 - September 3, 2013

Mr. William Riley "Billy" McDonald, Jr.

Funeral service for William Riley McDonald, Jr., age 75, of Decatur, will be Friday, September 6, 2013, 2:00 p.m. at Shelton Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Hugh Bohlin and Rev. Randy Berry officiating. The family will receive friends on Thursday, September 5, 2013, from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in East Lawrence Memorial Gardens.

Mr. McDonald, who died Tuesday, September 3, 2013, at Decatur Morgan Hospital, was born February 11, 1938, in Morgan County, to William Riley McDonald, Sr. and Myrtle Ann Sullivan McDonald.

He is survived by his loving wife, Ernestine Chenault McDonald of Decatur; two sons, Randy McDonald (Christina), and Billy Ray McDonald (Regina),

both of Decatur; two brothers, Johnny McDonald (Rosalie) of Vinemont, and Jimmy McDonald (Cathy) of Trinity; three sisters, Charlotte Busby of Decatur, Sandra Miller (Sonny) of Danville, and Susan Minor (Mike) of Hartselle; six grandchildren, Amy Holt (Bradley), Brooke Lipscomb (Jeff), Cristin Butler (Jeremy), Courtney Knobloch (Garrett), Cody McDonald, and Casey McDonald; seven great-grandchildren, Chloe, Brady, Chase, Cayden, Briley, William, and Carson; and three step-grandchildren, Bradley, Cody, and Kaitlin.

Pallbearers will be Bradley Holt, Jeff Lipscomb, Garrett Knobloch, Jeremy Butler, Audie Layton, and Larry Cosper. Honorary pallbearers will be the employees of McDonald Richard Construction Company.

Memorial donations may be made to Austinville First Baptist Church Building Fund.

Tribute Wall

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“ Ernestine, I was sorry to learn about Billy. I wanted to send a card but could not locate an address. I want you to know that I have been thinking about you and your family during this time....I know you have wonderful memories and that will help you more than anything. Love, Shirley Reid



Shirley Reid - September 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Tine: We are so sorry for your loss. You and Billy were true life-long companions and soul mates. We are so sorry we were unable to attend the service today or the visitation last night, but it is comforting to know you and the boys are not alone and have the love and support of your church as well as your faith and your family. We are truly grateful for the wonderful memories of the laughter we shared with you and Billy at the family reunions. We all believe there will be brighter days and times in the future and a great and wonderful family reunion - lots of laughter, no more pain and no more tears, thank God. With love and prayers for God's peace and comfort for you all, Kay, Pat/boys and family, Luke/Becky and family, Mack/Pam and family.



Kay Beasley and Patricia Bailey - September 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Susan, My heart is breaking for you and your family. Please know that I'm praying for all of you. Lynne Mills Covington Co FSA



Lynne Mills - September 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM