



## Fitzhugh D. Powers

July 9, 1928 - July 19, 2007

Heading: Fitzhugh D. Powers (Veteran)

Dateline: Startex

Fitzhugh Dave Powers, 79, of 100 Quinn Road, died July 19, 2007 at his residence.

A native of Spartanburg County, son of the late Frank and Erah Davis Powers, he was a retired Constable for Startex Mills and Spartanburg County Sheriffs office after 27 years of service. Mr. Powers was an assistant Fire Chief of Startex Fire Department and former employee of Cotton Owen's Racing Enterprises. He was a member of Startex United Methodist Church and a U.S. Army Korean Conflict Veteran. For a man to have been a great husband, father, papa, son and brother to have taken care of his own, to have loved his community and had the quiet respect of neighbors and friends that was a life led well, led with honor.

Surviving are his wife of 55 years, Pauline Guy Powers of the home; a son and wife, Frankie and Gena Powers of Lyman; two sisters, Calla Ruth Powers and Louise Powers both of Startex and two grandsons, Jordan Powers and Elliott Powers.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Sunday at Wood Mortuary conducted by Rev. Elizabeth Thompson, Dr. William Pate, Jr., and Sheriff Chuck Wright. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Honorary escort will be the grandsons, nephews and Startex and Duncan Fire Departments.

Active pallbearers will be the members of Startex and Duncan Fire Departments and Spartanburg County Sheriff's Office, Captain Neil Erch, Sergeant Barry Pridgeon, Chief Barry Gross, Captain Joel Lynn, Chief Barry Davis and Captain Barry Ward.

Visitation will be held 6:00-9:00 p.m. Saturday at Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

Memorials may be made to Startex United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 130, Startex, SC 29377.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL

300 West Poinsett Street

Greer, SC 29650

(864) 877-3351

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Pauline, Frankie & Family*

*We are so sorry for your loss. You know how much we all loved Fitzhugh. We keep you in our hearts and remember you in our prayers as you take it day-by-day.*

*We will always remember our trip to Dicks Creek last October. We love you so much.##imported-begin##Loretta,Cathy,Irene,Peggy,Greg,Lori,Lisa##imported-end##*

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July 29, 2007 at 05:55 PM



“ *Pauline and Family,*

*We just heard of the news today and apologize for not being there. We just wanted to let you all know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. Fitzhugh was a wonderful man and lived a good life full of giving and kindness. If you ever need anything don't hesitate to call. God Bless You All!!!##imported-begin##Kitchens Family##imported-end##*

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“ *Fitzhugh will be missed. My prayers and thoughts go to the community in which Fitzhugh served.##imported-begin##Barry Mallek##imported-end##*

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“ *Pauline and Frankie I am so sorry for your loss. Fitzhugh was a wonderful man and he will be missed. My thoughts and prayers will be with you. I am sorry I couldn't be there my husband is on oxygen and we couldn't make the trip. Know that if I was there I would hug you both tight.*

*love Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie Bryson Baker##imported-end##*

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