



Palmer James Hawkins

January 1, 1939 - December 20, 2010

Heading: Palmer J. Hawkins (Veteran)

Dateline: Greer

Palmer James Hawkins, 71, of 1519 Memorial Drive Ext., died December 20, 2010 at McCall Hospice House.

A native of Taylors, son of the late Maxie Palmer and Lucy Owens Hawkins, he was a U.S. Marine veteran of the Korean War, a retired employee of Sloan Asphalt, and attended Fellowship Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his wife, Wanda Hodges Hawkins of the home; a daughter, Tara Leigh Carter of Greenville; a son, Craig Alan Hawkins of Greer; a brother, Rudolph M. Hawkins of Taylors; and two grandchildren, Kyle Carter and Kelli Anne Carter.

A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m. Thursday at Fellowship Presbyterian Church, conducted by Pastor Marty Martin.

Visitation will be held after the service at the church.

Burial will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Fellowship Presbyterian Church Building Fund or Mercy Ministries, 1105 Old Spartanburg Road, Greer, SC 29650.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Previous Events

Service

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Fellowship Presbyterian Church
1105 Old Spartanburg Road
Greer, SC

Visitation

DEC **23**. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *To the Hawkins family:
Today when I read Palmer's obituary in the newspaper it carried me back to our youth when we were growing up on the Southern Bleachery Mill Village.
Although it has been over 55 years since I saw Palmer I still have many fond memories of the time spent together.
What a joy to retrace our time together.
You certainly have my deepest sympathy and may God bless each of you.##imported-begin##Jim Wilson##imported-end##*

December 22, 2010 at 08:11 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss. Will be praying for your family.
A piano student of "Mrs. Hawkins" from many years ago.
Lynn Campbell##imported-begin##Lynn Campbell##imported-end##*

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“ *It is sad to know that Palmer has passed on from this life. He will be missed We will remember him for his happy chuckle, his ability for carving animals from wood and his hobby of using the Ham radio to talk to his neighbors and friends. He loved his family. He was meek, mild and quite but was gifted with good work ethics in order to provide for his family.##imported-begin##Rita and Carl Bird##imported-end##*

December 21, 2010 at 05:42 PM



“ *I am so sorry. I am praying for you all.*##imported-begin##Rhonda Bird##imported-end##

December 21, 2010 at 12:36 PM