



William Merritt

August 8, 1922 - November 9, 2008

Heading: William A. Merritt (Veteran)

Dateline: Greer

William Alfred Merritt, 86, of Greer, died November 9, 2008 at his home.

A native of Anderson County, son of the late Ernest C. and Malree Merritt, he was a U.S. Navy veteran, a retired employee of Detroit Broach, and a member of Washington Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth Waddell Merritt of the home; a daughter, Bonnie Mussman of Greer; a son and daughter-in-law, William Scott and Joyce Merritt of Greer; a brother, Harold Merritt of Powdersville; and four grandchildren, Jamie McCay and her husband, Ryan, Jenna Mussman, Lauri Bradley, and Daniel Merritt.

Mr. Merritt was predeceased by three brothers, Paul Merritt, J.R. Merritt, and Keith Merritt and a sister, Louree Merritt.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Tuesday at Washington Baptist Church, conducted by Dr. Drew Hines and Rev. Joe Price. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Honorary escort will be the deacons and former deacons of Washington Baptist Church.

Visitation will be held 6:00-8:00 p.m. Monday at the Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home of his daughter, Bonnie Mussman.

Memorials may be made to Washington Baptist Church Building Fund, 3500 N. Highway 14, Greer, S.C. 29651.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Service

NOV 11. 3:00 PM (ET)

Washington Baptist Church
3500 North Highway14
Greer, SC 29651

Tribute Wall



“ Bonnie, Scott & Ruth,

Just wanted to let you know that I am thinking of you and praying for you. I know what you are going through because it has been a week today that I lost mom. I will always remember the drs. visits I took mom to at the Cancer Center and Bill would be there always smiling. He would always come to speak to mom. We know now that they are in Heaven and are cancer free and pain free. May God bless you all.##imported-begin##Ginger (Arms) Cook##imported-end##

November 12, 2008 at 03:53 PM



“ Scott and family ,I am sorry to hear of your father's passing, I will be praying for you all , may you find comfort though the Holy Spirit who is our comforter . Love and prayers Deloris Beck (Becker)##imported-begin##DELORIS BECK ##imported-end##

November 11, 2008 at 10:47 AM



“ Merritt Family,
We are so sorry to hear of your father's passing. We will also miss him very much. I loved seeing him on the tractor or in the garden, or just walking from house to house, and down in the field. He was such an inspiration to us, even when sick he would get up and go work in the garden. I hope we all have that will that he had. If there is anything I can do call.
William & Jenny##imported-begin##William & Jenny Watson##imported-end##

November 10, 2008 at 10:56 AM



“ Bonnie I was so sorry to read about your dad's death this morning on the internet from the Greenville Nrws. I'm Pat Settle and Pam Peterson Mother. I met you at Brynes when I went by to see Pat. Will remember your family in prayer at this time. God Bless All

Love,

Juanita Williams

Rock Hill, SC##imported-begin##Juanita Williams##imported-end##

November 10, 2008 at 10:38 AM



“ Bonnie,

All of us in the Social Studies department at BHS are thinking and praying for you and your family at this time. Please know that you can call on any of us at any time. We are here for you.

May Gods blessings be upon you and yours at this time of need.

In greates sympathy,

Pat Settle##imported-begin##Patricia Thorne Settle##imported-end##

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