



Wyatt S Steve Hester

September 30, 1924 - February 13, 2016

Wyatt S. "Steve" Hester, age 91 of Arab died Saturday – February 13, 2016 at Shepherds Cove, Hospice of Marshall County in Albertville, Al. He was born on September 30, 1924 the son of Mack Cager Hester & Clara Lee Overton Hester in St. Clair County Alabama. He and his wife who preceded him in death on July 10, 2013, Lassie Lee Pendergrass Hester had called Arab home since 1962. He retired from the Redstone Arsenal in 1982. Mr. Hester served in the U.S. Army in WWII. He was a devoted member of the Arab Masonic Lodge 663 for more than 61 years, was a Past Worshipful Master and had served as Past Secretary for 30 years. He was also a member of The Amanda King Chapter 472 order of the Eastern Stars, Scottish Rite Valley of Huntsville 32nd degree KCCH and Cahaba Shrine Temple in Huntsville, Al. He was a member of Gilliam Springs Baptist Church.

He is survived by his son: Grady Hester (Teresa); daughters: Ann Jones (Steve), Martha Pritchard (Bruce) and Sarah Braswell; 11 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter and son-in-law Stephanie & David Thompson, four brothers and four sisters.

Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday – February 16, 2016 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel with Brother Jamey Pruitt officiating. Burial will be in Diamond Cemetery in Warrenton area. Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, directing.

Pallbearers will be members of The Arab Masonic Lodge 663.

Visitation will be 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – February 15, 2016 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Diamond Cemetery (Marshall County)

Warrenton Road
Guntersville, AL 35976

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel
1340 North Main Street
Arab, AL 35016
(256) 586-4100

Service

FEB **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

EK

“ I regret that I was unable to attend the funeral of Steve. I have fond memories of him and enjoyed visiting he and his family. The Lenora Morris Family were saddened by the passing of Steve.

May God bless his family with peace and comfort them at this difficult time.

Elizabeth Morris McCutcheon Kellett

Elizabeth Kellett - February 18, 2016 at 04:34 PM

HS

“ My prayers are with all the family today. I have fond memories of Uncle Steve & Aunt Lassie from my childhood years and now they are together again in heaven. May the peace of Christ be with all of you.

Hilda C. Scheffler

Hilda C. Scheffler - February 16, 2016 at 09:26 AM

GM

“ So deeply sorry for your loss. Just wanted to share the first time I met Mr. Hester and Lassie was in Gary Beam's Sunday School Class at GSBC .He would always share his poetry with me, he was a very gifted in many ways. I know he's with Lassie now and I pray for your peace at this time.

Georgeann Massey

Georgeann Massey - February 15, 2016 at 04:29 PM

AF

“ A.G. And Becky Faulkner purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Wyatt S Steve Hester.



A.G. And Becky Faulkner - February 15, 2016 at 11:30 AM



“ 39 files added to the album Life Tributes



Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel - February 14, 2016 at 05:31 PM

DC

“ Darlene Pocus Cassady lit a candle in memory of Wyatt S Steve Hester



Darlene Pocus Cassady - February 13, 2016 at 11:02 PM

 Janet
Morris

“ *I am sorry for the grief this loss has caused for those who were closest to him. I don't think I remember being around Uncle Steve when I didn't laugh or smile. He always had something funny, entertaining or interesting to say. I know the world is a lot duller now that he's gone, but anyone who met him will forever carry some of his brightness & joy in themselves.*

Janet Morris - February 13, 2016 at 07:43 PM