



Robert Marshall Head

July 14, 1921 - April 6, 2004

Robert M. "Dusty" Head, 82, died Tuesday April 6, 2004. He was a native of Thornburg, IA. He was a charter member of Sweethaven Baptist Church where he served as a trustee, a former member of the Churchland Masonic Lodge #276 & a Naval Veteran of World War II where he served aboard the U.S. Destroyers, U.S.S. Howard, U.S.S. Nields, U.S.S. Champlin & U.S.S. Manuel. He retired from the Norfolk Naval Shipyard, Shop 64 as a joiner. He is survived by his wife, Elsie Head & three children, Robert F. Head & wife, Barbara, John M. Head & wife Carol, Barbara Jean Bates & husband Lawrence; six grandchildren Angela Hagen, Julie Head, Christopher & Jonathan Bates, Lisa Packett & Joan Ferrell; five great grandchildren, Elizabeth Hagen, Holly & Jordan Parker, Sarah & Bryan Ferrell; a sister, Ruth Stremlow of Orlando, FL.; many nieces, nephews, & special friends, Fred & Janice Packett of LaPlata, MD. & Jack Atkinson of Portsmouth.

A funeral service will be held at 2 P.M. Friday in Loving Funeral Home, Churchland Chapel by the Rev. Cary Borkert with burial in Meadowbrook Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends in the funeral home Thursday from 7 to 8 pm. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or the Bon Secours Hospice program.

Tribute Wall



“ *To: John Head and family, With deepest sympathy to you and your family.*

Gary W. Brown##imported-begin##gary brown##imported-end##

April 09, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Elsie and family, I know what you have gone through and my heart goes out to you. Just know he is with God now and is at peace with no more pain. You are all in my prayers. Love,*

Joyce##imported-begin##Joyce##imported-end##

April 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *Elsie,*

We are sorry to hear about the passing of Dusty. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of sorrow.

Juanita & Laura Miniard Johnson##imported-begin##Juanita Miniard##imported-end##

April 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ To Barbara Bates, You have been in my thoughts and prayers, especially these past 3 days. We know we have to let them go, and want to let them go when their physical bodies have become too old and ill, it's just that we'll miss them SO much. Just hang on to that hope of eternal life with them in heaven, where our souls will have a new body to dwell in, one free of disease.##imported-begin##Jill Lowell##imported-end##

April 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Bob,
Just a note to let you know you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##David/Patricia Day##imported-end##

April 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Elsie --

I would like to express our deepest sympathy, from the Murphy families:

Sherry & Hal Trout, John & Sandi Murphy, Carol & Archie Lucas, and Maurice & Kitt Murphy.##imported-begin##Sherry Murphy Trout##imported-end##

April 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Mr. Bob Head,
I wanted to say that I am sorry to read that your father passed away.
I know that you have many years of fond memories to cherish.
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Monica Brinkley Mizelle
former Technology Teacher at Oscar Smith High School##imported-
begin##Monica Mizelle##imported-end##*

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