



William Kelly Spears

February 12, 1911 - March 2, 2005

William Kelly Spears, age 93 went to be with the Lord on Wednesday March 2, 2005. He was a native of GA a devoted member of Sweethaven Baptist Church in Portsmouth, serving as a Financial Advisor on the Church Board. He retired after 25 years of service from Norfolk Naval Shipyard then continued on to own his own contracting business. Mr. Spears was also a Marine Corps Veteran.

Mr. Spears is survived by his wife of 69 years Reba Lee Spears; a daughter Anne S. Bryan and her husband Charles R. Bryan; a son William M. Spears and his wife Janrae A. Spears; eight grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held at 10:00 AM Saturday in Sweethaven Baptist Church by Rev. Cary Borket, with burial in Greenlawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends in Loving Funeral Home, Churchland Chapel Friday from 7-8PM. In lieu of flower?s the family suggest memorial contributions to Sweethaven Baptist Church Missions Fund or to Hope Haven Children?s Home in VA Beach. The family would like to express their gratitude to the staff of Maryview Nursing Care Center, for the love, care and attention given to Mr. Spears and the family during his stay there.

Tribute Wall



“ DEATH IS AN ENEMY OF LIFE, BECAUSE WE HAVE A BUILT-IN DESIRE TO LIVE AND ENJOY LIFE WITH OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS FOREVER. THEREFORE, LOSING A LOVED ONE CAN BE DISTRESSING, SO IT IS IMPORTANT TO DRAW CLOSE TO GOD IN PRAYER, FOR THE BIBLE PROMISES THAT "HE HIMSELF WILL SUSTAIN YOU"-PSALM 55:22. AT THESE TIMES, WE NEED ENCOURAGEMENT AND HOPE SO THAT WE CAN COPE WITH OUR LOST. FOR THAT REASON, WE CAN BE ENCOURAGED BY REFLECTING ON THE PROMISES THAT GOD HAS GIVEN US THRU HIS WORD THE BIBLE, CONCERNING THE HOPE OF SEEING OUR LOVE ONES AGAIN. I HOPE THAT YOU FIND COMFORT IN READING THESE SCRIPTURES.

JOHN 11:11-44, JOHN 5:21,28,29, AND REVELATION 21:4.
MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOUR FAMILY.##imported-
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