



James Garner

February 12, 1932 - July 25, 2008

James Richard Garner, 76, of Parkin, Arkansas died Friday, July 25, 2008. He was born on February 12, 1932. He grew up in Earle, Arkansas and spent his summers with his Uncle Robert Munn's family on their farm on the Cross County/St. Francis County line. He graduated from Earle High School where he played football for the Earle Bulldogs and was a member of the Earle Bulldog State Championship Team. He served in the United States Army during the Korean War receiving an honorable discharged with the rank of Sergeant. He sold construction equipment for both John Deere and Case for over 30 years. After retiring from Potter Equipment Company in Harrison, Arkansas, he returned to his lifetime passion of farming. He was baptized in the Baptist Church and accepted Jesus Christ as his lord and savior. He was predeceased in death by his parents, James Steve and Lottie M. Garner of West Memphis, Arkansas and his sister, Mary Helen Garner of Hurst, Texas. Survivors include his daughter, Janet L. Garner of Little Rock, Arkansas and his son, Jim H. Garner and his wife, Dania of Little Rock, Arkansas. His four granddaughters, Jett, Greylin, Reagan and Audrey Garner. A sister, Jewel Curtis of Dallas, Texas and his first wife, Bobbye Hydrick Garner Floyd of Little Rock, Arkansas, two nieces, one nephew, his many cousins and friends. Visitation is Tuesday, July 29, 2008 from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. at Kernodle Funeral Home in Wynne. Graveside service is 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, July 30, 2008 at Cogbill Cemetery in Wynne with the Rev. Johnny Green officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Cancer

Society, Arkansas Children's Hospital and the East Central Arkansas Regional Library in Wynne, Arkansas or just help someone in need in memory of our father. The family would like to thank Dr. Jake Cathey, Thomas Munn, James Cathey, all our father's friends, our friends and family who provided us with their prayers, comfort and support during our father's illness. Arrangements are by Kernodle Funeral Home. An on-line guest book is available at www.kernodleh.com

Tribute Wall

TR

“ *Jim, and Jan, I always had the greatest respect for your dad. I am deeply sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*
Todd

Todd & Sheris Richardson - July 29, 2008 at 10:24 PM

SG

“ *My condolences go out to you and your family. God Bless!*
Shirley Garner-Lindsey Grandaugter of Josiah Levi Garner

Shirley Garner-Lindsey - July 29, 2008 at 02:20 PM

PB

“ *With heartfelt condolences at the loss of your father. You are in our hearts and prayers.*
Pete and Leslie Biagioni

Pete and Leslie Biagioni - July 29, 2008 at 10:54 AM

JR

“ *I am so sorry to hear that one of my cousin's has decesed. I am the son of Hester Beatrice Garner {Rush} the daughter of JOE and Alice Massey [Garner]. Joe was a brother to Steve and Willie Garner. My condolences are with you. May God Bless You All*
JIM & Wanda Rush

Jim Rush - July 27, 2008 at 01:36 PM

CM

“ *the family of john garner, son of joe& alice garner. send are deepest sympathies to u and the family. he was jons first cousin i think*

cynthia garner mahoney - July 27, 2008 at 01:19 PM

DB

“ *Jim and Jan, I was shocked to read tat Richard had passed away.
He was a good person and I liked him alot. . So sorry Diann*

Diann Richardson Brumback - July 26, 2008 at 01:18 PM