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Franklin Wayne Mathis, 77, of Collierville, TN, passed away peacefully on Sunday, June 12, 2011. Mr. Mathis is survived by his wife of 36 years, Judy Mathis; son, David C. Mathis (Lisa), of Memphis, TN; and daughters, Nunda M. Morris (John), of Southaven, MS and Deidre M. Channing (Robert), of Searcy, AR; as well as five grandchildren and one great-grandson. He leaves a sister, Patricia McOwen, of Hernando, MS; and two brothers, Don Mathis, of Hernando, MS and Ron Mathis (Sharon), of Centennial, CO. He was predeceased by his first wife, Reba Watkins Mathis and parents, Ernest C. and Cathleen Peek Mathis. Mr. Mathis attended Freed-Hardeman College, then served in the U.S. Navy on the U.S.S. Buck (1954-1958), and retired from the Federal Aviation Administration in 2002 after 44 years of service. Mr. Mathis was a member of Park Avenue Church of Christ. Visitation for Mr. Mathis will be held from 5-7 pm. on Tuesday, June 14, 2011 at Memorial Park Funeral Home, with the funeral being held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 15, 2011, at the funeral home. The interment will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery. The family requests donations be sent to Agape Child and Family Services, the Mid-South Parkinson's Disease Foundation, or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.



Tribute Wall

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Carl Slate posted:

Dear Mathis Family, I wanted you to know that I always had such good memories of growing up with your family. I wished I could have stayed in touch more over the past several years. I will be thinking of all of you during this week and the weeks to c

June 16 at 9:20 AM



Linda Forrester Thompson posted:

My sympathy is with your family. Wayne was always a special person, as was all of the family. I have very fond memories of all of you and Ms Cathleen. Would like to see you, but I have a previous commitment. My thoughts will be with you. Linda W

June 14 at 12:12 PM



David Mathews posted:

Deidre, We love you and are praying for you.

June 14 at 10:09 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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