



Anthony Durham, Jr.

December 14, 1931 - December 14, 2014

Anthony Durham, Jr., 83 of Flintstone, went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Sunday, December 14, 2014. He was born in DeKalb County, Alabama to the late, Anthony & Tennie Durham, Sr., but had lived in the North Georgia area for most of his life and was of the Baptist faith. He was an Army Veteran who served during the Korean War and was awarded the Purple Heart for his contribution to our country. He was the Owner & Operator of Friendly Village Motors in Rossville for more than 30 years and was a loving and devoted husband, father and grandfather who will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He was also preceded in death by his brother, Louia Durham and two sisters, Lorene Gothard and Esther Troxtell.

Survivors include his loving wife of more than 63 years, Frances Durham of Flintstone, GA; three sons & daughters-in-law, Tony & Connie Durham of Chickamauga, GA, Gary & Cathy Durham of Rossville, GA and Scott & Donna Durham of Rock Springs, GA; two brothers & sisters-in-law, James & Lois Durham of Rossville, GA and Roy & Mary Durham of DeKalb County, AL; two sisters & brother-in-law, Alice McCurdy of DeKalb County, AL and Sara & Charles McClain of Summerville, GA; 9 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, December 17, 2014 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Bro. Larry Haynes officiating. Burial will be held

at 3:30 p.m. EST/2:30 p.m. CST in the Mountain Home Cemetery in DeKalb County, Alabama. The family will receive friends after 5 p.m. Monday, all day Tuesday and prior to the service on Wednesday at the funeral home. Online guest book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Tribute Wall

BF

“ I WILL MISS YOU OLD FRIEND I REMEMBER THE FIRST TIME I MET TONY HE WAS BUILDING CLYDES OFFICE THAT WAS A LONG TIME AGO PRAYERS GUYS

BENNY STATON - NEW PORT RICHEY, FL - FRIEND - December 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ Our hearts are heavy to hear of Tony's passing. Everett and I both thought the world of him. He will be sadly missed by everyone. We are happy to have known him and to have been a customer. With our deepest sympathy,
Everett and Brenda Neale

EVERETT AND BRENDA NEALE - chattanooga, TN - friend and customer - December 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ Uncle red i will miss you so much,you were a great uncle to me. Our prayers and thoughts are with ya,ll love you too aunt pug , if you need anything please let me know love you all. Call me some time 706 694 8678. Love darrell

darrell teems - cohutta, GA - nephew - December 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ Tony his son has been my best friend for 43 years. Mr. Durham is a man I have always respected and admired. What a legacy for one man to leave.

Vernon Cole - Ringgold, GA - His son Tony is my best friend - December 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *Leave a condolence or a memory.*

glenda wheeler - Flintstone , GA - business - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

S/

“ *I just talked with Anthony. At our shop on thursday. He seemed like he was in good spirits. always smiling praying for the family. me and my husband will miss him he was a wonderful person.*

Steve, and Glenda Wheeler - Flintstone, GA - business /Friend - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ *I love you Mr and Mrs Durham. You have always treated me as your own. Your kindness has always been great comfort to me. Mrs Durham I pray great comfort for you. I am mighty thankful for your love for your family. I love you Kay Helton Provonsha*

kay Heltob Provonsha - chattanooga, TN - daughter in law - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ My Uncle Red will be sorely missed by all those whose life he touched, especially his family. My prayers go out to his immediate family. I know the boys will have to be strong to help Pug (Francis). Uncle Red was a caring dedicated christian family man and a decorated hero from the Korean War. We often shared stories through the years about our military experiences in the U.S. Army and about morale values. I rejoice in knowing he is with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and I will see him again as will all those who have received salvation. I will not be in attendance for the memorial but wish to express my heart felt sympathy to all concerned.

Ray Douglas Teems - Saint Augustine, FL - Nephew - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Tony, my thoughts are with you at this sad time. I am so sorry for your loss.

Carll Cole - Chattanooga, TN - friend - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Tony was a great friend to our family. A true gentleman. He will be missed.

Ruby and Verl Carr and Family - Lafayette, GA - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ We love you Anthony and will always miss your bright smile and extraordinary personality! You were Truly ONE OF A KIND.

Deborah & Johnny Byrd - Flintstone, GA - My Friend - December 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ We love and miss y'all. Sorry we couldn't be there but know y'all are in our prayers.

Steve Hackney - San Tan Valley, AZ - grandson - December 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ You will be missed you was a good friend. I remember as a kid coming to the car lot and washing cars.

andy burk - rossville, GA - friend - December 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM