



John Harrison Quarles Sr.

May 1, 1920 - January 15, 2018

John Harrison Quarles, Sr., age 97, of Chickamauga, passed away on Monday, January 15, 2018. He was born to the late Henry Felton and Rhoda Ann Quarles in Murray Co., GA, lived most of his life in Chickamauga, spent many years in Tampa and West Palm Beach, FL and was a member of Anchor of Hope Baptist Church. John was a member in Good Standing, for 68 yrs., of the Free and Accepted Masons, Fidelity Lodge # 558. He retired in 1985 from Vulcan Stone Drill after more than 30 yrs. John was a loving father, grandfather, brother, and friend, who will be greatly missed.

He was also preceded in death by his loving wife, Sarah Nell Quarles, son, Johnny Quarles, Jr., sisters, Rachel Scoggins, Desma Templeton, and Grethel Sitton, and brother, Emmett Quarles.

John is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Glenda & Terry Smith, daughter-in-law, Rebecca Quarles, sisters, Catherine Wright, Geraldine Pettit and Frances Faith, grandchildren, John H. Quarles, III, Thomas Quarles, Joshua Smith and Andrew Smith, 5 great grandchildren and several nieces & nephews.

The funeral service will be held at 3:00 pm on Friday, January 19, 2018 in the funeral home chapel, with Pastor Brian Haney officiating. Interment will follow in Lakewood Memory Gardens-South. The family will receive friends from

4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Thursday and from 12:00 pm until the service on Friday. Online guest book www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Cemetery Details

Lakewood Memory Gardens South

325 Greens Lake Road
Rossville, GA 30741
(706) 866-7777

Tribute Wall

LG

“ *Linda Bacon Grant lit a candle in memory of John Harrison Quarles Sr.*



Linda Bacon Grant - January 19, 2018 at 09:07 PM

LC

RIP John. As a former employee of Vulcan Iron Works Inc., John was a dear friend. Loved his great smile and kindness. I did have a good phone conversation with him several years back. My condolences to John's family. Cherish the Memories/

Linda Bacon Grant/Former Co-Worker - January 19, 2018 at 09:22 PM

BW

“ *Benny Ware lit a candle in memory of John Harrison Quarles Sr.*



Benny Ware - January 19, 2018 at 10:11 AM



“ *I can remember growing up and coming to his house when it was time to kill the pigs and we would all stand around frying up pig skins to make crackling and smoking the hams. I really miss those days and wish I could be there for your service but health won't permit it. I love and miss you very much. At least I got a chance to talk to you when I came back to Tennessee. Diane Long Zink*

Diane Zink - January 17, 2018 at 08:05 PM

CR

“ *My sincere condolences go out to the family of Mr. Quarles. I have known Mr. Quarles since I was in grammar school. It seems like he always had a kind word, a joke, or a pat on the back just when I needed it most. He was a hero to me as a kid and also as an adult. Andy Griffith and Jerry Clowers could have used some of Mr. Quarles "country quotes" in their comedy routines. He had a zillion "country sayings" and all were educational and uplifting. God Bless Him....He will be missed.*

Carmon Eldon Rogers 1/17/18

Carmon Eldon Rogers - January 17, 2018 at 10:14 AM

RS

“ *Rita Stanfield lit a candle in memory of John Harrison Quarles Sr.*



Rita Stanfield - January 16, 2018 at 04:42 PM

RS

*you will be missed by all of us,i loved seeing your smiling face. so glad i got to meet you and spend time with you. RIP my friend, till we meet again.
Rita*

Rita Stanfield - January 16, 2018 at 04:45 PM

DE

Fondly remember those Adkins family reunions where all the grown ups would sit around remembering by gone days. You always had a wonderfully dry sense of humor that kept us laughing. I can envision you, Sarah, your beloved son Johnny and my dear husband Carl having a grand ole' time in heaven. Until we all meet again... Doris Adkins Ellis

Doris Ellis - January 18, 2018 at 09:14 AM