



Mr. John Riley Johnson Sr.

November 29, 1936 - January 24, 2011

Johnson, Sr., John Riley 74, born 11/29/36 in Canebrake, W VA . On 1/24/11 he was absent from his body and present with the Lord, II Cor. 5: 6-8. John was a Christian and a Union man through and through. He served as a business agent for bakery and confectionary Union Local 361. Preceded in death by parents of Berwin, W VA, Riley Ezert and Pansy Etoil Hackney Johnson, sister Thelma Mae Howard, and brother Casey Dean Johnson. Survived by his wife of over 50 years Mary Ann Roberts Johnson, children, John Riley Johnson, Jr. ; Thor T. Johnson, Sr., wife Wendy; Kristy Lee Johnson Dubose, husband Adam; Grandchildren, Sara Rosemary Johnson Swartz, husband Dwayne; Adam Wade Dubose Jr.; Thor T Johnson, II,; Victoria Claire Hayes; Alina Jade Dubose; Slade Barrington Johnson; Great-Grandchild, EmmaRose Joy Swartz; brothers, Charles, wife Pat; Edison, wife Terri; and numerous nephews and nieces. Visitation Thur. Feb. 3, 6-8:00 p.m. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 County Rd. 39 S, Plant City. Services Fri. Feb 4, 3:00 p.m. at Funeral Home. Expressions of condolence www.hopewellfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

FEB 4. 3:00 PM (ET)

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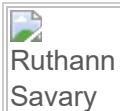
Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. John Riley Johnson Sr.



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Hey Sara & the rest of your family, I never met your grandfather. But I met you and your mom and maybe some of your other family members. But anyways to have such a loving granddaughter & great-granddaughter like Emma Rose I know he had to be a very loving and special person to all he met. My heart goes out to your family its very hard to lose our loved ones. But we really are just passing thru here and he is already Home. So one day we will see him and maybe him and our family that have gone Home before us will have us a BIG OLE DINNER ON THE GROUND waitin for us. And we know JESUS will be sittin at the head of that table with us. AND NO MORE GOODBYES EVER AGAIN. Love & prayers to you and your family, Mrs. Ruth Ann Savary



Ruthann Savary - February 05, 2011 at 01:34 AM

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“ John Johnson, or dad Johnson to me, was like my second dad growing up. His middle child, Thor and I grew up and were best friends. Thor is the only person I have ever called my best friend. We got into all kinds of mischief together. Dad (and Mom) Johnson, always welcomed me into their home. They were and always be family to me. They were never afraid to put us to work when I came over. Weather it was yard work or catching the pigs when they got out of their pen. I never minded, after all, they were family. As we grew up and started families of our own, and lots of time passes between talking or visiting, I know that I was always welcomed at their home. After all, we are family. My deepest condolences go out to Thor and his family, Johnny and his family, Kristy and her family, and of course my second mom, Mom Johnson. I love you all. As I am saddened by dad's passing there is the peace knowing that he has gone home to be with his, and our, Lord, Jesus Christ. Dad Johnson will be missed dearly and remembered warmly. You all are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of sadness. I am saddened that I cannot be there for you all and the services and I did not find out in time to get off of work. I will get out to see you as soon as I can.



My most sincere condolences and love to you all.

*Tony Jimenez
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Tony Jimenez - February 04, 2011 at 12:51 PM