



## Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers

August 10, 2016

Robert Lee Hiers "R.L.", 95, of Dover, Florida born in Jennings, Florida entered into eternal rest on August 10, 2016. He was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Mary Ellaner Hiers. R.L. was a veteran serving in the United States Army during WWII. After the war he came back to Dover and went into the grocery business. He was co-owner of Ideal Grocery for many years and then manager of Dover Bi-Lo. He was a longtime member and served as Deacon of First Baptist Church Dover. He loved his family and his church. The family would like to thank the following individuals for the love and care shown to R.L., Dr. Max Rattes, Dr. Christopher Berchelmann, the staff at Whispering Willow A.L.F., and LifePath Hospice Purple Team. He is survived by daughter Judy Smith (Dr. James); 3 grandchildren, LeAnne Peacock (Wallace), Lacinda Prestwood (Jack), and Dr. Jeff Smith (Bekki); 8 great-grandchildren, Justin Peacock (Amy), Tara Adkins (Kyle), Kendelle Jimenez (Josh), Ty Prestwood, Jordan Prestwood, Jazmen Smith, Joktan Smith, and Joshua Smith; and 4 great-great-grandchildren, Wyatt Adkins, Addy Joy Adkins, Lyla Jimenez, and Avery Peacock. The family will receive friends Monday, August 15 from 6-8:00 P.M. at First Baptist Church Dover, 3223 Gallagher Rd., Dover, where a Celebration of Life will be held on Tuesday, August 16 at 11:00 A.M. at the church with Dr. James Smith, Dr. Jeff Smith, and Reverend Rolla Utley officiating. Committal to follow at Dover Cemetery. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com)



# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Dover  
3223 N. Gallagher Road  
Dover, FL

## Celebration of Life

AUG **16**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Dover  
3223 N. Gallagher Road  
Dover, FL

# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers



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**Hopewell Funeral Home** - August 13, 2016 at 08:43 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers.



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August 15, 2016 at 05:27 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers.



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August 15, 2016 at 09:20 AM



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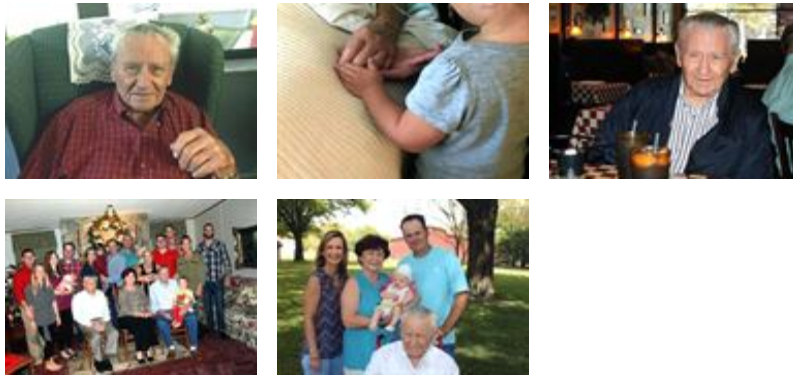


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August 15, 2016 at 08:03 AM



“ *92 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Hopewell Funeral Home** - August 13, 2016 at 08:40 PM



“ *Don, Betty, Henrietta, Karen and Anna purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers.*



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**Don, Betty, Henrietta, Karen and Anna** - August 13, 2016 at 03:23 PM

MP

“ *Melissa, Amanda, Seth and PJ purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers.*



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**Melissa, Amanda, Seth and PJ** - August 12, 2016 at 09:26 PM

PD

“ *Peggy Damron lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert Lee "R.L." Hiers*



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**Peggy Damron** - August 11, 2016 at 08:26 PM

DJ

“ *I'm sorry for your loss. May God comfort you all.*  
*Dara Jent*



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**Dara Jent** - August 11, 2016 at 07:07 PM

BW

“ *Ms. Judy I am so sorry to hear of your fathers passing. I Pray for peace for your whole family. God has another Angel hopefully soon we can all fill his Garden. God Bless You and your family, (Brenda Word Gunter)*



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**Brenda Gunther Word** - August 11, 2016 at 06:34 PM