



## Mr. Willie Jean Avery

April 17, 2011

EVERY, Willie Jean, 77, of Plant City, Florida, beloved husband, father, and grandfather departed this life on April 17, 2011. He was a veteran of the United States Army, a member of Springhead Baptist Church, and owned Avery's Hardware and Plumbing Supply in Ruskin for 28 years. He is survived by wife of 53 years Deloris Avery; children Phyllis Ann Miller (Eddie) of Oakland, Florida, Diane Avery of Plant City, and James Allen Avery, of Keystone Heights, Florida; 5 grandchildren Eddie Miller, Jr., Christopher Miller, Cori Avery, Codi Avery, and Andrew Avery; and 3 great-grandchildren Peyton, Ava and Mason Miller. A Celebration of Life will be held on Thursday, April 21 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 SR 39 S, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. Interment to follow at Springhead Cemetery, Lakeland. Expressions of condolence at [www.hopewellfuneral.com](http://www.hopewellfuneral.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Springhead Cemetery

County Line Road  
Lakeland, FL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Hopewell Funeral Home  
6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Lois & Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all of yours.*

*Aunt Mary (Tidwell) & Family*

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**Peggy (Tidwell) Newberry** - April 23, 2011 at 01:23 PM

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“ *JIM, OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND FAMILY.*

*THE ESHELMAN FAMILY*

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**Daniel Eshelman** - April 19, 2011 at 12:05 PM

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“ *Our condolences for your loss. Jim, my family is praying for you and your family.*

*The Ottervanger Family*

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**Mark Ottervanger** - April 19, 2011 at 11:26 AM

JC

“ *Please accept our sincerest condolences on your loss. While we did not know Mr. Avery personally, he raised a fine son in Jim, and we are sure he will be greatly missed. Your family is in our prayers.*

*The Clark Family*

*Orange Park, FL*

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**Jeremy Clark** - April 19, 2011 at 08:47 AM

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“ *Our prayers are with your family during this difficult time.  
God Bless,  
Captain Ronnie Gann  
Clay County Sheriff's Office*

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**Ronnie Gann** - April 18, 2011 at 07:25 PM