



## Charles Richard Glaze

October 26, 1925 - January 19, 2017

Mr. Charles Richard Glaze of Gardendale went home to be with the Lord on Thursday, January 19, 2017. He was born in Winfield, AL October 26, 1925. He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles and Vera Glaze, and brothers, Bill and Ivan Lloyd. Survivors include his loving wife of 71 years, Eva Bolden Glaze; two daughters, Carol Glaze Misconis (Lenn) and Vickie Glaze Shanahan (Bill); grandchildren, Jill Chambers Robinson (Marc), Jay Chambers (Dawn), Bryan Shanahan (Michele), Paige Shanahan Martinez (Steve); eight great-grandchildren; two brothers, Danny Glaze (Gisele) of Hoover and Robert Glaze (Suzie) of Tampa, FL; and many nieces and nephews. Mr. Glaze attended Mortimer Jordan High School. He was recruited to play football with Wake Forest College but could not because he was drafted into the US Army where he gladly served his country. He served in the Philippines under General William Gill of the 32nd Red Arrow Division putting an end to the famous "Villa Verde Trail". Boys who were there will not talk about it because no one believed them. After returning home in 1948, Mr. Glaze served in the Birmingham Fire Department for 14 years and at the same time studied at UAB. With his knowledge of architecture and building he started his own company, "Gardendale Developing Company". He built the first medical center in Gardendale along with many beautiful homes and businesses throughout Jefferson County. He took pride in his work and was known throughout as a man of honesty and integrity. Mr. Glaze was a longtime member of Gardendale First Baptist Church serving as a Deacon as well as

on other committees. He was a dedicated man to family, God, and community. We will all meet him again in Heaven, thank you, Lord Jesus. Visitation will be Monday, January 23, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. with the service to follow at 11:30 a.m. at The New Gardendale Funeral Home. Burial will be at Moncrief Cemetery in Gardendale.

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 23. 10:00 AM (CT)

Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home  
2214 Decatur Highway  
Gardendale, AL 35071  
(205) 631-8810  
gardendalefuneralhome2@gmail.com

# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Charles Richard Glaze.*



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“ *Dear Eva, Carol, and Vickie,*

*Thanks so much for all the fond family memories through the years. We will always remember Charles and Eva for your sweetness and pleasant personalities.*

*We are sorry we'll be unable to make the service but will try to see you before my radiation starts.*

*Love, Jim and Donnese Glaze*

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**Jim Glaze** - January 22, 2017 at 01:05 PM