



John Butts

November 29, 1930 - January 11, 2011

age 80 of Gardendale, passed away Tuesday January 11, 2011. Mr. Butts retired from Piggy Wiggly Packaging Co. with 22 years of service. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran and served during the Korean War. He was a member and deacon of Pineywood Baptist Church. He loved Alabama football, fishing, hunting and playing music with his friends. He was preceded in death by his parents: John Wesley and Rosa Butts; brothers: Rueben, Albert, Hubert, Hobart; sister: Pauline Simmons. He is survived by his wife Hazel Thomas Butts of 54 years; sons: Michael Kieth Butts and Wesley Lamar Butts(Carolann); brother: Frank Butts(June) of Hanceville. He is also survived by three grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be held Thursday, January 13, 2011 from 5-8pm. Funeral services will be Friday January 14, 2011 at 11:00am at Gardendale Funeral Home with Pastor Harold Rhodes will be officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Memorial Gardens.

A special thanks to Family Comfort Hospice and staff and to Dr. Larry Wade and his staff for their special care. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Pineywood Baptist Church. You may share condolences and memories online.

Tribute Wall

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“ Hazel & Family: The Gardendale Historical Society members wish to extend our deepest sympathy to you and the family in the passing of John Wesley Butts, Jr., husband, father, brother and grandfather. God bless and may Mr. Butts rest in eternal peace.

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