



William "Bill" Martin

June 29, 1932 - July 31, 2008

Mr. William J. "Bill" Martin, age 76 of Gardendale, went to be with our Lord on July 31, 2008. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War. He worked with the Jefferson County Board of Education and retired from AmSouth Bank as an electrician. He was an active member of Gardendale's First Baptist Church and Camp David. He was preceded in death by his wife Estelle Martin; daughter, Denise Herring and by his granddaughter Nicole. He is survived by his loving wife of 34 years, Ila Martin; sons, Darry Martin (Donna), and Paul Wren; daughters, Sandra Seifert, Karen Townsend (Randy), Sheila Hartline and Debra Johnson (Marc); 15 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren; sister, Carolyn Doremus and numerous family and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday August 2, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. from the chapel of Gardendale Funeral Home with Rev. Leon Zalenski officiating. Burial will follow at Moncrief Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday evening from 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home. Arrangements are by Gardendale's only locally owned and operated funeral home, Gardendale Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I will miss Uncle William so much and am so glad that Alexa got to meet him. You are in our prayers and thoughts please let us know if we can do anything.* ”

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