



Donald Hendrick

February 20, 1930 - July 21, 2009

Bluefield, WV- Donald W. Hendrick passed peacefully on Tuesday, July 21st, 2009 at his home in Bluefield, West Virginia. Don was 79 years old. He was the son of the late Joseph Richard Hendrick and Audrey Bass Hendrick. Don served in the US Army during the Korean War where he was stationed at the Pentagon. Don worked at US Steel in Gary until his retirement. He was a member of First Christian Church in Bluefield and served as Youth Director for a number of years, as well as being active in the Choir. Don loved singing and sang with several church choirs throughout the years, he was especially fond of Gospel music. Don loved to cook and has catered many events in the area. He remained active after retirement and worked on several projects with the EDC in Welch. He loved to decorate for Christmas and the folks who dropped by his house to see his decorations will remember his many beautiful Christmas trees. He has generously helped many people in his life. Those left to cherish his memory are many. He will be especially missed by his daughter Beverly Calhoun of Anna Maria, FL; son, Kevin and his wife, Rayette of Roanoke and their children, Carrie Hendrick of Ashville, NC and John-Mark Hendrick of Roanoke; one sister, Dorothy Bell Hendrick Williams of Hopewell, VA; granddaughters Amy Hendrick and Brittany Hendrick of Roanoke; great granddaughters Alexis and Kyra, extended family Ananias Coleman, Harry Watts and his wife Karen. His son John preceded Don in death and was the father of Amy and Brittany. The family will receive friends at Mercer Funeral Home on Saturday July 25, 2009 from 4:00 until 5:00 p.m. A memorial service

to celebrate Don's life will follow at 5:00 p.m. in the Mercer Funeral Home Chapel. Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages may do so by visiting www.mercerfuneralhome.com Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Donald W. Hendrick.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Hendrick*

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“ *I was deeply saddened when I read the Telegraph from my home in Ohio tonight and read of Don's passing. He was my mother (Vangie's) first cousin, and I remember talking with him at her visitation. Even though he seldom saw me he always recognized me as his Aunt Nettie's granddaughter, reminding me how important "family" is.*

Susan Lance Troutner - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM



“ *Uncle Don was always there for the whole family. We can never thank Harry and Coleman enough for all thier care and help when Don became ill. Surely Don has joined the heavenly choir. He will be missed.*

Niece Pat in Oklahoma - March 07, 2014 at 04:21 PM