



Melvin Spivey

August 16, 1922 - September 17, 2011

Bluefield, WV- Melvin David Spivey, 89, of Brierwood Lane, Bluefield, WV, went to be with the Lord on Saturday September 17, 2011 at Bluefield Regional Medical Center. Born August, 16, 1922 in Coalwood, WV, he was a son of the late Clinton Spivey and Erma Sturgill Spivey. Mr. Spivey had been a lifelong resident of McDowell and Mercer Counties. He was a 1941 graduate of Big Creek High School and was a U.S. Navy veteran, having served in World War II in the Atlantic, Pacific, and the Mediterranean. He was a retired coal miner and was a lifelong member of the U.M.W.A. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by four sisters, Monnie Barnett, Ruth Price, Pearl Love and Doris Wood; and one brother, Mervin Spivey. Survivors include his wife, Kathleen Bailey Spivey of the home; one daughter, June Spivey Linkous and her husband John of War, WV; one son, Jerry Spivey and wife Sandra of Bluefield; three grandchildren, Jerri Lynn Green of Bluefield, Kristy Spivey-Mitchell of Mesa, AZ and Katie Linkous of War, WV; one sister, Dorothy Spivey Hefner of Newport News, VA; one brother, Fred Spivey of Burlington, NC; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday September 20, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. from the Mercer Funeral Home Chapel. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Tuesday from 1:00 p.m. until the service hour. Burial will follow at Grandview Memory Gardens in Bluefield, VA where family members and friends will serve as pallbearers. Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting www.MercerFuneralHome.com Mercer

Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Melvin David Spivey.

Tribute Wall



“ *Melvin Spivey*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *My Deepest Sympathy goes out to you. Know you are not alone, God is with you each step of the way and know you are in my prayers. He was special and I just loved him*

Judy McGuire Muncy - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM



“ *Aunt Kat, Jerry, June and family, so sorry to hear about Uncle Melvin. I have fond memories of him when I would come in the summer and spend two weeks with you. You are in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless, Love Vunita*

Vunita - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM



“ *We are so sorry to here of your father's passing. We have missed you all when you moved. Everyone enjoyed playing in the field. Also fishing at spivey hold. Everyone still talks about Melvin& Kathleen about moving back. God Bless, Love and miss you. Connie Whitt Carr*

The Whitt family of War, WV - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM



“ *My condolences to sweet family whom I remember from my younger days in Centerville near War...*

Anita (Justice) - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

PW

“ Kathleen, June and family: Even though I have not seen you guys in a very long time I will always remember how inviting you all were when I was younger. We have also had a loss recently and I am still broken over it but the lord has helped me in ways no one else could. I will continue to pray for you because I know Melvin will be missed deeply. I love you. Pam

Pam (Smith) Wooldridge - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

TR

“ My sincere condolences to the family and friends. Thank you for your service to our country Melvin!!! God be with you all.

Tim Riffe - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

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Tim Riffe - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

RC

“ So sorry for your lost, the family is in our thoughts and prays

Romie and Joyce Coe - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

RM

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Randall and Missy McGuire - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

MP

“ Thank you for all of the wonderful memories, Uncle Melvin. Every time I look at the front porch at the old home place, I can see us sitting there eating the peanut butter right out of the jar. I love you and we will eat peanut butter in heaven together...Love you always.

Michele Trent Pettiford - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

TA

“ I am so sorry for your loss! My heart goes out to each and everyone of you as the days ahead will be difficult. May God give you peace and comfort in your time of need. God Bless you all.

Tammy - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

TT

“ Aunt Kathleen, June, Jerry and Families, I'm very sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed sitting on the porch and talking to Uncle Melvin at the Bailey Reunions. Love you all!

Tina Trent - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

OT

“ Aunt Kat, June, Jerry and Families, We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you all. We will always have precious memories of Melvin at the old homeplace and the Bailey Reunions. Love you all!

Ott and Faye Trent - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

MR

“ All my love and thoughts are with Aunt Kathleen, June, Johnny and the entire family. Good bye, Uncle Melvin, I love you.

Michael Reaser - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

KR

“ Dear Kathleen, June, Jerry and family, Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you. Uncle Melvin was so much a part of my childhood and youth and I have very fond memories of him. Love to all, Kay & Buddy

Kay & Buddy Reaser - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM

PU

“ It was such a privilege to have known Mr. Spivey. He and his precious wife Kathleene were always some faces i looked forward to seeing every wed night before preaching time at The Maples. Several months ago i had the privelege of leading Melvin to the Lord in the sinners prayer. With tears in his eyes he accepted Christ as his Lord and Saviour. What a blessing just to have met BRO Spivey but to also share Christ to him made it all the more sweet! Our church (Bible Baptist) has the family in prayers and thoughts. "These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God. I John 5:13

Pastor Steve Umberger - March 07, 2014 at 04:20 PM