



William Perry

January 14, 1921 - May 6, 2005

William Jackson Perry went to be with the Lord May 6, 2005 in Tyler. Services were held at Ashcy Funeral Home Chapel in Benton, Arkansas on Tuesday, May 10, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. Burial followed in Rosemont Cemetery in Benton. Local Visitation in Tyler was held at Stewart Family Funeral Home on Sunday, May 8, 2005 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. and at Ashby Funeral Home in Benton from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday, May 9, 2005 William was born outside Murfreesboro, Tenn., on March 14, 1921 to J. Y. and Lula Perry. He was a foreman for Alcoa in Benton, Ark., for 30 and a former veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps where he was shot down and was a World War II POW in Europe. He was a lifetime member of Optimist International. He will always be remembered as a loving father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. He was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Evelyn Perry; two brothers, James and Joe Perry; one sister, Arbelia Collins. He is survived by his three children, Ann Austen and her husband, Mike, David Perry and wife, Tracey, all of Little Rock, Ark., Dale Perry and his wife, Mitzi of Tyler; two sisters, Lillie Isbel and Polly Cooper of Bay, Ark.; and two sisters-in-law, Elizabeth Reeder of Benton, Ark., and Jean Perry of Bakersfield, Calif.; four grandchildren, Jennifer Livingston, Aaron Perry, Brittany Perry, and Beverly Robison; two great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. Memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, 75701 or First Methodist Church, 200 N. Market Street, Benton, Ark., 72015.

Tribute Wall



“ *rest in peace will* ”

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