



## Jay Reeves Black

February 6, 1934 - February 21, 2013

Jay Reeves Black, Sr. died at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 21, in Gainesville, GA, due to complications from Alzheimer's Disease. He was predeceased by his father, Ulay Jay Black, his mother Ruth Kellett Black, and his brother Brian Black. He is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Elaine Kyle Black, his daughter, Judi (Bryan) Poindexter, his son, Jay R. Black, Jr. and two grandsons, Joshua and Jonathan Toruno. He is also survived by his sisters Kathleen Rice, Marion Hurley, and Nina (Lovick) Suddath and his brother Charles (Louise) Black, as well as many cousins, nephews, nieces and other extended family. He was born in Sumpter County, AL, on February 6, 1934. He graduated from Ft. Payne High School and went on to receive his Bachelor's Degree in Business from Auburn University. He served in the United States Army during the Korean War and later served in the U. S. Peace Corps in Bogota, Columbia. He retired in 1992 after 32 years of dedicated service with the Georgia Power Company. He was a member of the Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, and the United Methodist Church. He was an avid reader, loved fishing, working in his yard, watching Auburn Football, and above all else spending time with God and his family. Visitation will be held at the Wilson Funeral Home, 3801 Gault Avenue North, Ft. Payne, AL, 35967, on Sunday, February 24, 2013, at 12:00 p.m. Funeral services will follow at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Wounded Warrior Project.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Jay Reeves Black*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *I am sorry to hear about the passing of jay. he and I served together in Germany as signal corps instructors at their school in ansbach Germany. we visited each other several times and then loss contact. Kenneth king woodruff ,sc 864-476-2017*

**kenneth king** - April 18, 2015 at 04:29 PM



“ *Belinda Seamen has sent this Expressions of Sympathy card.*

**Belinda Seamen** - March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM