



Paul Leroy Tucker

December 22, 1922 - January 23, 2009

Mr. Paul LeRoy Tucker, Sr, of Rainbow City, Al. formerly of Fort Payne went home Friday at his residence surrounded by his family. Mr. Tucker was born in Dekalb Co. Al. on Dec. 22, 1922 son of the late Rev. H.B. Tucker and Mattie Jewel Mince Tucker. He was preceded in death by a grandson, Maury Vann Smith. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving as a Chief Petty Officer, having served his country from 1942 until 1952 on active duty in the U.S. Coast Guard and U.S. Navy during WW II and the Korean War. He was honorably discharged in 1981 from the US Naval Reserve. Mr. Tucker had worked for Sears & Roebuck Co. and was retired from the Civil Service, Panama City, Fl. He was a member of the 12th. Street Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, leader of the Royal Ambassadors and basketball coach. In 1986, he was a member of the First Baptist Church, Fort Payne and attended the Baracca Sunday School Class. He was also a former member of the St. Andrews Baptist Church, Panama City, Fl. He was very active in community activities, including the Campers on Missions, Alhambra Shriners, Chattanooga, Tn., Fort Payne Masonic Lodge, # 437 F & AM, order of the Eastern Star, Grand Chapter of Alabama, Ft. Payne 414 (Worthy Patron). Funeral services will be 1:00 PM Monday from the Wilson Funeral Home Chapel, Fort Payne, with Dr. Troy Morrison officiating. Eulogy by Capt. Paul Tucker, Jr. Burial will be at 3 PM Monday from the Rainbow Memorial Gardens, Gadsden with Masonic Graveside Rites. Fort Payne Masonic Lodge will serve as pallbearers. The family will receive friends from 11 AM Monday

until the funeral hour at Wilson Funeral Home, Fort Payne. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Dorotha (Dot) Burrows Tucker. Son; Capt. Paul Tucker and daughter in law, Anita Tucker. Daughter, Ann Tucker Smith and son in law, Randy Smith. Granddaughters, Britany Clair Smith and Ashley Elise Tucker. Brothers, Wilford Tucker, Rev. Max (Gaynell) Tucker and Rex (Sue) Tucker. The family request no flowers but Contributions be made to 13th. Place Youth & Family Service, 405 12th. Street, Gadsden, Al. 35901 or the Shrines's Transportation Bus Unit % Robert Stoner, 1221 Co. Rd. # 88 Fort Payne, Al. 35967

Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Leroy Tucker*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Ann T. Smith lit a candle in memory of Paul Leroy Tucker*



Ann T. Smith - December 14, 2014 at 01:18 PM



“ *Two years ago tomorrow, Jan 23rd, you left us to live in heaven. We miss you here but will join you one day! I love and miss you! Your daughter*

Ann - January 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Happy Birthday, Dad!*

Ann - December 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *I miss you so much Pop! I LOVE YOU! Your Sunshine*

Brit - October 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *I miss you Dad! I love you Your daughter, Ann*

Ann - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ So sorry to hear of Mr. Tucker's death! He was a wonderful person! Our thoughts and prayers are with you!

Waylon and Carol Miller - March 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ My deepest sympathies in Paul's passing. He was a special person, as are you. I'll keep you in my prayers. All my love,

Tamera Bearden - February 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ Mrs. Tucker, Leroy, Ann and families, I am so sorry for the loss of your husband, Father, grandfather. I know without a doubt that the Lord will carry your heart in his hands. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Glenda(White)Mayo - January 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ Ann, Randy & Family Our love, thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of sadness.

Stanley & Joan Clayton - January 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ Dear Dot, Ann, LeRoy and family, You are in our thoughts and prayers during this time of loss. We just want you to know that we certainly feel your grief. God will sustain and give you the comfort you need during the days ahead. Lovingly, Roger and Shelia Tudor

Shelia Tudor - January 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *Paul will be greatly missed. My time serving with him in lodge will always be very special.* ”

Brant and Susan Craig - January 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ *Thinking of you and keeping you in our hearts and prayers. With love and sympathy, Elizabeth, Michael and Jennifer Browning* ”

Elizabeth Browning - January 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM