

Emmett Robert Furrow

June 8, 1939 – September 7, 2003

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Mr. Emmett Robert Furrow, 64 of Winston-Salem, NC passed away Sunday, Sep. 7, 2003, at his home following an extended illness.

He was born June 8, 1939, in Raleigh County, WV to Garvey Albert and Nona Bennett Furrow.

Mr. Furrow served in the West Virginia National Guard from 1955 to 1962 and the U.S. Army from 1964 to 1966. He was actively involved as commissioner with the Old Hickory Council of Boy Scouts and was a devout Christian.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Dorothy Lindsay, and two brothers, Dewy and John Furrow.

Surviving are his wife Peggy Furrow of the home; two sons, Emmett R. Furrow Jr. of Nashville, TN, and Paul J. Furrow of Winston-Salem; two daughters, Valerie Cioce and husband, Brian of Advance and Alyson Young and husband, Jon of Winston-Salem; six grandchildren, Amanda Johnson, Jessica Walton, Elizabeth and Joshua Young, Vince Cioce and Benjamin Young, a great-grandson, Caleb Johnson; a brother, Franklin Furrow of Richmond, VA; two sisters, Thelma Johnson of True, WV, and Leona Tyler and Husband Harry, of Tignall, GA; and two sisters-in-law, Margaret Furrow of Marie, WV, and Eloise Furrow of Hinton.

A Funeral service was conducted 2 p.m. Wednesday, Sep. 10th, and Jonestown Baptist Church by Rev. Tim Gross and Chaplin Fred Moretz officiating. Burial followed in Peace Haven Baptist Church Cemetery in Yadkinville.

The family received friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday Sep. 9th at Hayworth Miller Silas Creek Chapel. Memorials may be made to Hospice and Palliative Care Center 1100-C S. Stratford Road, Winston Salem, NC 27103.

He will be missed by all who knew and loved him.