

Kenneth Larkin "Buck" Harvey

June 21, 1921 – February 26, 1997

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KENNETH L. HARVEY

Kenneth Larkin "Buck" Harvey, 75, of Nimitz, died 12:53 a. m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, 1997 in a Hinton hospital following a long illness.

Born June 21, 1921, in Hinton, he was the son of the late Sanford A. and Rebecca Richmond Harvey.

Mr. Harvey had lived most of his life in Summers County and at ended the Riverview Chapel, Hinton.

He was retired as Chief Warrant Officer Four from the U. S. Army and was a World War II veteran, serving during the Vietnam and Korea Conflict. He was the First Master Diver in the U. S. Army.

Mr. Harvey was a member of the Hinton High School Football Hall of Fame, member of the 1937 State Champion Football Team, after high school he played in the Orange Bowl as a member of the U. S. Army Team and had fought professionally in Madison Square Garden.

He was a former Summers County Deputy Sheriff and Chief of the Hinton Police Department and had worked as chief of security for Valley Camp Coal Co.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Dorothy Lee Hedrick Harvey; five sisters, Mildred Coleman, Ruby Burdette, Juanita Lemmon, Frances McAfee and Jean Simmons; two brothers, Robert L. and Andrew "Buck" Harvey Jr.

Survivors include his wife, Louise Bennett Harvey; two daughters, Rebecca H. Casto of Inverness, Fla. and Jenny Lee Harvey of Hinton; several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Friday at Ronald Meadows Funeral Parlors Chapel in Hinton with Harry Pilkington and Pastor Andrew McClung officiating. Burial followed in the Richmond Cemetery on Beech Run.

Pallbearers were Gordon Lemmon, Robert Bennett, Richard Plumley, Mike and Carlos Ward and George and Jack Givens.

Arrangements by Ronald Meadows Funeral Parlors, Hinton.