

## William Albert Carter

November 21, 1909 – July 10, 2003

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### William A. Carter

FOREST HILL — William A. “Shag” Carter, lieutenant colonel, retired, 93, died Thursday, July 10, 2003, in Summers County ARH following a long illness.

Born Nov. 21, 1909, in Hinton, he was the son of the late Walter A. and Zemma Robertson Carter.



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Mr. Carter was a retired U.S. Army lieutenant colonel with 30 years of service. He was a veteran of World War II, having served in Australia, Germany, Japan and New Guinea. He also served with the Military Police during his Army career.

He was a member of Fairview Baptist Church at Forest Hill and served as church clerk and Sunday school superintendent for many years.

Survivors include his wife of 70 years, Lena Allen Carter; a son, William Allyn Carter of San Antonio, Texas; two brothers, Everette Carter of Fort Collins, Colo., and Kenneth Carter of Leonardstown, Md.; a sister, Elinor Lyon of Newport News, Va.; four grandchildren, William A. Carter Jr. of Denver, Colo., Bruce Carter and wife, Tina, and Mark Carter and wife, Pam, all of San Antonio, and Terri Bolner and husband, Russell, of Houston, Texas; six great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Service will be 2 p.m. Sunday at Fairview Baptist Church, Forest Hill, with Pastor Jeff Canterbury and the Rev. Sam Groves officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Friends may call 6 to 8 p.m. today at Pivont Funeral Home, Hinton, and one hour before service Sunday at the church.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

Arrangements by Pivont Funeral Home, Hinton.