



Hayes Stanley

October 16, 1923 - September 16, 2016

Hayes Stanley, a loving husband of more than 70 years, devoted father of seven children, and a World War II combat veteran, passed away at 3:42 p.m., on Friday, September 16, 2016, at Midland Meadows ALF-Memory Care Unit, in Ona, WV.

Born on October 16, 1923, at Laura, KY, he was preceded in death by his loving wife, Causby Jean Stanley, with whom he had resided at 55 Stanley Drive, Prichard, WV from 1997. Before that, they had maintained their family home at Breeden, WV since 1950.

In addition to his wife Causby, he was also preceded in death by his father, Joseph Corbett Stanley, by his mother, Matilda "Tilda" Jude Stanley Sartin, by his brother Walker Stanley, by his sisters Myrtle Stanley Fields, Laudia Stanley Ogle, Margie Stanley Miller, and by his half-brothers Lloyd Sartin and Robert Sartin.

He is survived by his half-brother, the Elder Wallace Sartin, and his half-sister, Margaret Sartin Simpkins.

He is also survived by his children, daughters Linda Carol Kast (Bob), Hazel Mae Mikula (Phil), Mary Ruth Spaulding (Earsten), and Janie Gail Arnholt (Bill), and sons Joseph Corbett Stanley (Susan), Henry Philip Stanley (Teresa) and Bruce Erwin Stanley (Debbie), as well as a host of loving grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and many, many others.

He served in the United States Army from November 11, 1941, through

October 26, 1943, when he was honorably but medically discharged from Company F, 145th Combat Infantry Regiment, 37th Infantry Division (the "Buckeye" Division).

While on active duty, Hayes served in the Asiatic Pacific Theater of Operations, particularly the Northern Solomon Islands campaign, from May 26, 1942 until September 6, 1943, his unit having seen action on Guadalcanal and New Georgia (Battle of Munda Point) during his enlistment.

Prior to retiring to Prichard, he served as the Postmaster of Breedon, WV, having been appointed to the position in 1959 by then-Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield.

He was also a disabled coalminer and worked many years as a timber man. He was a member of the Samaria Church of Old Regular Baptist, Sardis Association, at Dingess, WV.

At the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church, there will be a viewing and service from 6 pm until 8 pm, Sunday, September 18, with a funeral service at 11 am, Monday, September 19. Interment will follow at the Stanley Family Cemetery at Prichard, WV with a short graveside service. A reception will follow at 55 Stanley Drive in Prichard.

The family wishes to express its deep gratitude to the staff and management of Midland Meadows as well as Hospice of Huntington for their diligent and caring efforts to assure Hayes' final days were spent in quiet comfort.

Should anyone wish to consider a tribute in lieu of flowers, the family would suggest contributions to the Disabled American Veterans, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, or the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church, to all of which Hayes was a loyal member.

Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home of Inez, KY is in charge of all arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **18.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church
Dingess, WV

Service

SEP **19.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church
Dingess, WV

Tribute Wall

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“ *Tilda Dillon Doyle lit a candle in memory of Hayes Stanley*



Tilda Dillon Doyle - September 19, 2016 at 06:42 AM

KR

“ *Mary...you are in our prayers!! I'm going to miss seeing you every day. You are a wonderful daughter. Thank you for sharing your dad with is. Karen*



Karen Ratliff - September 18, 2016 at 08:16 PM

LJ

“ *Leroyand Linda Stanley Jewell lit a candle in memory of Hayes Stanley*



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AP

“ *Joe, so very sorry for the loss of your father. Love and prayers for you and your family.*



Allen and Sandy Parsley - September 18, 2016 at 10:55 AM

BW

“ *Phil, I am so sorry for the loss of your father. I read where you lost your mother this year too. Prayers for you and your family. Your MSHA friend, Brenda White*

Brenda White - September 17, 2016 at 01:33 PM