



Cecil Edgar McGaha

February 11, 1920 - March 22, 2009

Cecil Edgar McGaha, age 89, of Newport, passed away Sunday, March 22, 2009 at Newport Health & Rehabilitation Center.

Cecil was a member of Lincoln Avenue Baptist Church for over 50 years. He was also a graduate of Mars Hill College and a veteran of WWII having served in the United States Army.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Trula Costner McGaha; parents, Dr. W. E. and Lauvinia McGaha; daughter-in-law, Patricia Ramsey; and grandson, Shawn Ramsey.

He is survived by his stepsons, Buddy Don Ramsey, Dot Ramsey, Jr. and wife Linda; special grandson, Jason Ramsey; special great granddaughter, Alex Ramsey all of Newport. Grandchildren, Cecilia (Chad) Fisher of Calhoun, GA; Willie (Christie) Ramsey of Parrottsville, Jennifer (Greg) Thompson of Chattanooga, Randy Ramsey of Newport, Rick Long of Mohawk; siblings Dudley McGaha of Alcoa, Meriam Anderson of Knoxville, Lena (Bill) Brake of Seymour, Devida King of Paducah, KY; special neighbors, Ruth Moneymaker, L. B. and Patsy Ottinger; several nieces, nephews and great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held 8:00 pm Wednesday, March 25, 2009 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Ransom Hall officiating. Burial will be 11:00 am, Thursday, in Union Cemetery with military honors. The family will receive friends from 6-8 pm Wednesday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the funeral services.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to American Legion Memorial Building Fund in care of the US Bank, 301 East Main Street, Newport, TN 37821, in his memory.

Manes Funeral Home in charge.

Tribute Wall



“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ My Deepest Sympathies.

Janie H. Valentine - March 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Our thoughts and heartfelt prayers are with the family. Cecil was a good man, a good neighbor and one who was always doing for others. We will miss him. With Much Love and Concern. Terry&Kim

Terry&Kim Ball - March 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Jason and family, I am sorry to hear about Cecil; he was a very fine man. You guys are in my thoughts and prayers.

alice miller - March 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Jason, I am so sorry for your loss. Cecil was a good man and I know he was very special to you. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.

Karen Hance Butler - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

Bud and Nancy Smith - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WG

“ SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.

WILLIAM GARBER - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ JASON IF YOU NEED ANYTHING LET ME KNOW.

BILLY WOODY - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ Jason, Willie, and Family, Sorry for your loss. Cecil will be greatly missed by many. Please know you all are in our thoughts and prayers.

Grant and Casey Webb - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Jason, so sorry for your loss

Linnie Denton - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ I am so sorry for your loss, he will be greatly missed.

Jill Gregg - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ I am sorry for your loss. I truly appreciate Mr. Cecil McGaha's service to our country during WWII. He was an American hero to us all.

Ray Fancher - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ JASON & FAMILY, MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU.

BONNIE D. MILLER - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Jason, I am so sorry for your loss.

Kathy Cody - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

Steve Webb - March 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Jason, we are very sorry to hear about the loss of Cecil. Our condolences to you and your family.

Craig and Lynn Ramsey - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ With our sympathy!

Rob and Lisa Myers - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FP

“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

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JN

“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

Jamie Cody, Lindsey and Cody Naillon - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

Wiley & Kate Morgn - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ I appreciate all the kindness and help. My sincere condolences.

Stephanie Justus - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ Thinking of you. Cecil will be greatly missed.

Frances & Doug Miller - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ Sorry to learn of your loss. The family will be in our thoughts and prayers.

Kay and Kim Gregg - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Jason, and all the family, We were sorry to hear of Cecil's passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Bud and Linda Dawson

Bud & Linda Dawson - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HK

“ Cecil Edgar McGaha

Hank & Louise (Sweeten) Kilgore - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ Sorry for the loss of your loved one.

LINDA D CLARK - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Robert and Martha Pack - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *We are so sorry for your loss he will be greatly missed.*

Pat & Patricia MathisTaylor - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM