



Robert Jones

April 15, 1928 - February 23, 2009

Robert Newell Jones, age 80 of Danville, Loving husband, Father, and Pop, went to be with his Lord on Monday, February 23, 2009. He was born on April 15, 1928 to the late Willie Allen Jones and Nellie Walton Jones. In addition to his parents, two brothers, Wallace and Bobby, predeceased Robert. His wife Ruby Inez Burke Jones, of the home, five children, Dola Nell Jones Burgess and hus-band David, Deborah Susan Jones Wilson, Robert Burke Jones and wife Joan, Lisa Marie Jones Allen and husband Clarence, Kathy Ruth Jones-Hayes and husband J.R., nineteen grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren, one great great grandchild, and one sister Gladys James Hopkins survives him. He was a member of Mount Herman Baptist Church his entire life. Robert served his country for twenty-two years as a member of the United States Army, serving in World War II and both the Korean and Vietnam wars. Robert received many medals during the service of his country including the occupation medals of Korea and Japan, the National Defense Service Medal, WWII Victory Medal, Merit Unit Citation, Viet Nam Service Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Five good conduct medals, and the National defense Medal with an oak leaf cluster. Robert has two grandsons currently serving in the United States Army, Donald Wayne Young, Jr. and Ethan William Jones. A funeral service will be held on Thursday, February 26, 2009 at 2:00 P.M. at the Graveside with the Reverend Danny Davis and the Reverend Mike Myers officiating, interment will be in Danville Memorial Gardens. The American Legion Dan River Post 1097 Honor Guard will

provide military honors. The family will receive friends on the evening of Wednesday, February 25, 2009 from 7:00-8:30 P.M. at Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel. In lieu of flowers the family suggests that memorial donations be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 2728 Colonial Ave SW, Suite 2, Roanoke VA 24015 or the Disabled American Veterans. Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.