



Lawrence Winford Hill

April 30, 1942 - May 24, 2010

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Age 68 and a resident of Loranger, Winford passed away on Monday, May 24, 2010 at his residence. He served our country in the U.S. Army in Germany from June 30, 1959 to June 14, 1962, which was during the Berlin Blockade, where he earned the Good Conduct Medal. Winford became a Master Mason in 1967 and was a member of the Pine Grove Lodge #288 F&AM. He was a bass singer with the Joyers Quartet and other groups as well, one of which was the Seeker's Quartet of Loranger. Winford was known to many as "Ole' Bear", an active church member for many years, presently a member and Sunday School teacher at Magnolia Baptist Church, an avid fox hunter and a truck driver/heavy equipment operator.

Winford leaves behind his wife of 29 years, Lana Sheridan Hill; two daughters, Connie Dee Hill Cutrer and husband Ronald, Cynthia Lee Hill Byers and husband Drury; a son, Lawrence "Skipper" Winford Hill II, along with five grandchildren, Jason Cutrer, Mathew Wells, Kody Byers, Seth Byers and Kaitlyn Byers; three great-grandchildren, Kaylie and Holden Cutrer, Laiken Wells. He is also survived by a sister, Brenda Joyce Hill Albin; brother, Jerry Raymond Hill and wife Cheryl.

Preceding Winford in death were his parents, Lawrence R. and Esther Coates

Hill; a granddaughter, Hannah M. Byers.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the religious services from Jerusalem Baptist Church, Pumpkin Center, on Wednesday, May 26, 2010 at 11:00 a.m., with visitation beginning at 9:00 a.m. Rev. Lamar Duke will officiate the services, assisted by Rev. Elester Raines. Interment will follow in the church cemetery with a Masonic Service and Military Service.

Condolences and other information are available online at www.thompsoncares.com

Arrangements are entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home of Hammond.

Tribute Wall



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“ Brenda, Jerry, Connie, Cindy and Family. So sorry to hear about Winfred today. We're out of town and won't make the services but please know you all will be in our thoughts and prayers. Betty Faye##imported-begin##Betty Stewart##imported-end##

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“ Skipper and Family,
We were so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. He is resting now and no longer suffering. It is never easy to give up a loved one. Remembering all the good times you had together will help get you through the days ahead. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Donald & Judy Scott and Dara
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“ Connie, We are so sorry to hear about the loss of your father. We pray that God will speak peace into your heart and that he will comfort you and your in family in these hard times.
Love Andy & Lisa##imported-begin##Lisa Cutrer##imported-end##

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