



J. D. RISNER

Mr. J. D. Risner, age 86 of New Waverly, passed away Monday, October 19, 2009. Mr. Risner was born June 15, 1923 in Anna, Texas to Jimmie Dee and Beulah V. Risner.

Mr. Risner was an Army veteran serving during World War II and was stationed in the Philippines and New Guinea. Mr. Risner was employed by the U. S. Forest Service for 37 years and after retirement he worked at Walker and Byrd for 23 years.

Mr. Risner was a lifelong Baptist and was a deacon at First Baptist Huntsville. He was an active and faithful member of the Fellowship Sunday School class until his health prevented his participation.

Survivors include his daughter Threcia Risner; son Jerry Risner and wife Lisa; former daughter-in-law Jo Risner; grandchildren Riley Rector and wife Amy, Christine Bomsnie, Jered Risner, Jordan Risner, Matthew Stuart and wife Ashley and Mark Molandes; great-grandchildren Molly Rector, Maggie Rector, Caleb Lewis, and Chase Stuart; brothers Walter Risner and wife Winona and Barry Risner and wife Eleanor; sisters Julia Sterling, Delois Sims, and Nan Ferguson and husband John; sisters-in-law Helen Ayers, Dorothy Mitchell, Loretta Snowden, and Dolly Sisk and husband Robert; brothers-in-law M.J. Mitchell and wife Barbara, Ivan Mitchell and wife Peggy and Charles Nichols and wife Betty; two special cousins Milton Risner and wife Jane and Frank Risner; many nieces and nephews, and many friends.

Preceded in death by his wife of 59 years, Geraldine Mitchell Risner; daughter Kathy Lynn Risner; and parents.

Funeral Services for Mr. J.D. Risner were held Friday, October 23, 2009 at 2:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church in

Huntsville with the Rev. Carroll Williams and the Rev. Horace Fletcher officiating. Interment followed in Pine Valley Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family requests contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church Huntsville library. For those wishing to do so memorial condolences may be made at
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