



Bill Hoyt

April 15, 1925 - March 4, 2018

William (Bill) Andes Hoyt, age 92, of Dayton, died Sunday, March 4, 2018, at his home. Bill was born April 15, 1925, in Maryville to the late James Wells and Mabel Ruth (Brown) Hoyt, Sr. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife, Bitsy (Sheets) Hoyt; sister, Elizabeth Stone Hoyt; brother, James Wells Hoyt, Jr., and nephew, Van Tarvin Hoyt.

Bill was a graduate of Maryville High School, The University of Tennessee and earned his Masters Degree in Civil Engineering at North Carolina State University. He held memberships in The American Society of Civil Engineers – Chattanooga Chapter; Rotary Club of Dayton; Civil Air Patrol - Rhea County Corporate Squadron; Silver Sneakers (RC3); and was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Dayton. He served his country as a Private First Class with the US Army during World War II in the European Theater. He retired in the Maintenance & Engineering Department after 34 years at E. I DuPont.

He is survived by his daughter, Lace (John) Stevens of Pagosa Springs, CO; son, William “Andes” (Susan) Hoyt, Jr. of Huntsville, AL; grandsons, James Scott (Sara) Stevens of Lafayette, LA and William Carl (Adrienne) Stevens, of Lafayette, LA; granddaughters, Jennifer Marie Hoyt and Christina Ruth Hoyt, both of Huntsville, AL; sister, Mary Ruth Hoyt of Maryville; nephew, Rev. Michael Hoyt of Greeneville, SC; niece Brenda Griffin Hoyt; and four great-

grandchildren.

A memorial service with military honors will be held at the Dayton First United Methodist Church on Saturday, March 10, 2018 at 12 Noon with Rev. Ken Pierce officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or First United Methodist Church of Dayton, 993 Market Street, Dayton, TN 37321.

Please share your memories of Bill on the online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by the Vanderwall Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Service

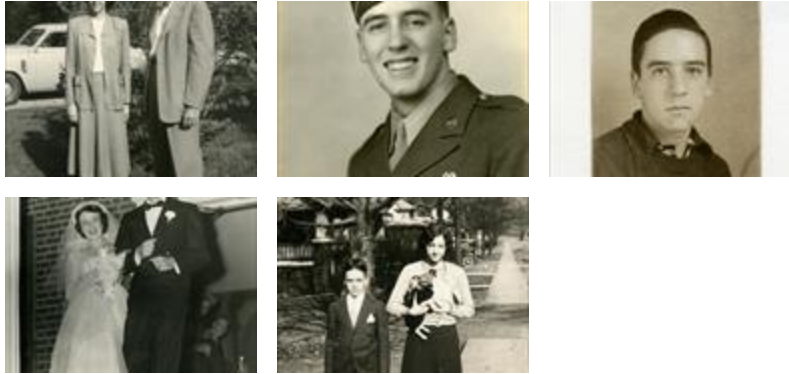
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First United Methodist Church
Dayton, TN

Tribute Wall



“ 9 files added to the album Memories Album



Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc. - October 17, 2023 at 11:29 AM

TP

“ Bill Hoyt, and his family, were always such good friends of my family. I always remember visiting with him and his family in his log cabin outside of Rogersville with my grandparents. My last memory of Bill was when my grandfather died in 1995 and Bill came over to my grandparent's house. So very sorry to hear of this loss. Much love to you all - Teresa Shelton Pittman

Teresa Shelton Pittman - March 11, 2018 at 04:27 PM

SH

“ Shelia purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Bill Hoyt.



Shelia - March 07, 2018 at 01:35 PM

JD

“ I miss Bill already. We shared close birthdays, WWII entry and discharge dates,colleges, professions and lunches nearly every Sunday after Church. He was the only one I could share one to one our experiences from 1943 through 1946. We kept each other supplied with books and articles about the war. He was a real gentleman with a lot of energy to volunteer on every good cause that presented itself. A perfect example of a member of The Greatest Generation.

God Speed, Bill

Jim Doty

Jim Doty - March 06, 2018 at 09:09 PM

DR

“ Will miss your many anecdotes from your experience associated with the Dayton TN Civil Air Patrol Squadron.

David Robinson - March 05, 2018 at 09:08 PM

MC

“ Bill was a dear friend to our family especially my mom, Mary Schuldt. They had so many wonderful afternoons of drinking tea and talking about their experiences growing up. He will definitely be missed! We feel so grateful that we got to know this very sweet man.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to Bill's family. Love Marcia and Alan Crews

Marcia Crews - March 05, 2018 at 06:14 PM

RS

“ *Bill's kindness and personality will be missed. Respect is not something you can buy, it is earned! Bill Hoyt earned my respect and I am a better person for being around him, watching him, and learning from him.*

Rick Sharpe - March 05, 2018 at 05:36 PM