



## **James Sullivan, Sr.**

August 28, 1919 - June 25, 2008

James Thomas Sullivan, Sr. of Dayton, TN died Wednesday, June 25, 2008 at Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga.

Born August 28, 1919 on Dayton Mountain, he was the son of the late Henry Thomas and Nellie Jane (Rice) Sullivan. He moved to Bradenton, FL in 1939 where he was a building contractor and carpenter. In 1981 he returned to the home of his birth and farmed. He was a U.S. Army veteran serving in the South Pacific during WWII.

In addition to his parents, James was preceded in death by his brothers, John, Jesse and Fred Sullivan and grandson Nello Christopher Marconi.

James is survived by his wife of 62 years, Shirley Jean (Nettleton) Sullivan, son James (Lyric) Sullivan of Dayton Mountain., daughter Mary (Nello) Marconi of Arlington, VA, sisters Margaret Ritchey and Mary (Bill) Revis of Dayton Mountain and Martha Musgrave of Sebastian, FL and four grandchildren.

Funeral services with military honors will be held Saturday at 2:00 pm in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Tommy Wilkey officiating.

The family is being served by Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton where the

family will receive friends one hour prior to the funeral.

Please visit James on-line guest register at [www.vanderwallfh.com](http://www.vanderwallfh.com).

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 28. 2:00 PM.

Chapel

# Tribute Wall



“ Aunt Jean, Mary, Jimmy and family. My memories of Uncle Jim are from my childhood years. The older I get the more precious those memories become. Having also lost a Father, my thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Darlene##imported-begin##Darlene (Nettleton) Casey##imported-end##

June 30, 2008 at 07:04 PM



“ Aunt Jean, Mary, Jimmy and family. I am saddened to hear the news of Uncle Jim's passing. I have thought of each and everyone of you often. You are all in my thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time. Donna##imported-begin##Donna (Nettleton) Marbes##imported-end##

June 30, 2008 at 04:27 PM



“ James was my older brother here on earth, now he has become an angel of GOD.  
love you##imported-begin##Mary Revis##imported-end##

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“ Jean, we are very sorry for your loss, our prayers are with you. We always cherish the memories of visiting and sitting on the porch and exchanging tales of the past.  
Sincerely  
Trudy & Randall Camp##imported-begin##Trudy & Randall Camp##imported-end##

June 28, 2008 at 10:04 AM



“ How very sad I am!!! Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan are such wonderful people. I very much enjoyed my visits with them at the Rhea County Courthouse as I sold my peaches....--He was a blessing to me...I will miss him sadly everytime I go down to my Blueberry patch. What a smart man and farmer he was! I will be praying for you-- Sullivan Family. I often thought how blessed you were to have such a wonderful, husband, father, and grandfather.

*Charlene Schwenk/The Peach Lady##imported-begin##Charlene Schwenk--The Peach Lady##imported-end##*

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June 27, 2008 at 01:06 PM