

Jesse Hodge

October 7, 1933 - October 11, 2014

Jesse Alford Hodge, age 81 of Sale Creek died early Saturday morning October 11, 2014 at his home. He was born in Sale Creek on October 7, 1933 the son of the late William "Buck" and Hester (Hawkins) Hodge.

A lifelong resident of Sale Creek, he served his country with the US Army. He retired from TVA as a foreman/supervisor and enjoyed gardening. Jesse was a member of the Lake Drive Baptist Church where he served as a deacon.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Helen (Mahan) Hodge, his daughter, Debbie (Roger) Pendergrass, grandson, Jesse Wade (Ashley) Johnson all of Sale Creek, granddaughter, Sasha (Andrew) Wood of CA, brother, Frank (Dru) Hodge of Sale Creek and sister, Betty (Bud) Ridgeway of KY.

Funeral services for Jesse will be held Monday at 12 noon in the funeral home chapel with Rev. David Haynes, Rev. Bobby Schafer and Rev. Bud Ridgeway officiating. He will be laid to rest next to his infant daughter Debra Gail Hodge in the Welch Rogers Cemetery in Sale Creek with military honors.

Please share your memories of Jesse on his online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Welch - Rogers Cemetery

Sale Creek, TN 37373

Tribute Wall

RA

“ I have known Jesse all of my life. We grew up almost next door to each other; I entered the military. 50 years later we met again at our church. Jesse was a hard worker and a very respected man and Christian. It was a pleasure to see him each time and I am sorry to learn of his passing. I offer my condolences to his family but we know he is in the presence of God.

Rexford Alexander - October 18, 2014 at 12:34 PM

CB

“ Connie Davis Baumann lit a candle in memory of Jesse Hodge



Connie Davis Baumann - October 14, 2014 at 02:19 PM

JB

“ JEFFERY AND CALLIE BELK lit a candle in memory of Jesse Hodge



JEFFERY AND CALLIE BELK - October 13, 2014 at 05:17 PM

DH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.
So sorry for your loss.*

John and Deborah Higdon



Deborah Higdon - October 13, 2014 at 05:28 AM



“ *Michelle Didier lit a candle in memory of
Jesse Hodge*



Michelle Didier - October 12, 2014 at 06:30 PM

DC

“ *Jesse and I worked together in the early years of Sequoyah Nuclear Plant operation (late 1970s). He was a very courteous and kind gentleman; always willing to help me or others out as we worked together to resolve the many issues that arose. Everyone I knew had a tremendous respect for him as he conducted himself in a very straight-laced manner. Never did I see him lose his temper or get overly excited. He was a pleasure to work with and made a good impression on my career. He was a witness to his Lord in all aspects of his career...a Bible was normally found on his desk where we met often.*

Doug Craven - October 12, 2014 at 01:55 PM

KI

“ *Kimjenkins lit a candle in memory of Jesse Hodge*



kimjenkins - October 11, 2014 at 10:47 PM

CM

“ *So very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*


Cheryl Mosley - October 11, 2014 at 08:24 PM

AH

“ *My prayers are with you! I am the grand daughter of the late Clyde and Frances Hodge. Although I was young I believe I may have met many of the Hodge family at family reunions. I pray that you find comfort in this time of sorrow and know my thoughts are with you!*



Amanda Harwood - October 11, 2014 at 04:41 PM

 Judy Hodge

“ *Judy Hodge lit a candle in memory of Jesse Hodge*



Judy Hodge - October 11, 2014 at 02:37 PM