



## Decatur Milton Overbey

June 2, 1925 - November 13, 2013

Mr. Decatur Milton Overbey of Virgilina, Virginia died Wednesday, November 13, 2013 at his home. He was born in Mecklenburg County, Virginia on June 2, 1925 and was 88 years old. He was the son of the late Walter Overbey and the late Sally Puryear Overbey and married to the late Elizabeth Newton Overbey.

He was member of the Hitesburg Baptist Church where he served as a Deacon, Clerk, Treasurer, R.A. Leader and Sunday School Teacher. He also served as the Sunday School Superintendent, Trustee and Choir member. Mr. Overbey was WWII Army veteran.

Mr. Decatur Overbey is survived by:

One Son

Donald D. Overbey and wife Yvonne of Ringgold, VA

Two Grandchildren

Beth Ralston of Virgilina, VA

Joe Council of Hagerstown, MD

Special caregivers, Virginia Miller and Brenda Ballou

One Brother

Robert Overby of Nelson, VA

Three Sisters

Margie Nelson of Nelson, VA

Faye McGaughey of Greenville, SC

Holly Crenshaw of Victoria, VA

\*\*\* Preceded in death by:

One daughter, Wanda O. Carter

Four brothers, Walter Overbey, Lacy Overbey, Marion Overbey and Charlie Overbey

One sister, Florine Moorefield

Special thanks to the Doctors and staff of the Halifax Regional Hospital and

the Halifax Regional Hospice.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, November 16, 2013 at 11:00 A.M. at the Hitesburg Baptist Church with the Rev. Mike Riley officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery with military rites

The family will receive friends Friday, November 15, 2013 from 7:00 until 9:00 P.M. at Powell Funeral Home and other times at his home, 2244 Aarons Creek Road, Virgilina, Virginia.

For memorials please consider a charity of your choice.

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# Tribute Wall

PL

“ We want to extend our sympathy to the whole family. Hal and Faye are our dear friends and we heard so many good stories about Decatur. The world needs more people like him! Love, Pam and Mike Lambert Albemarle , N.C.

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**Pam and Mike Lambert** - November 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ Overby Family...Please know that you are in my prayers during this difficult time. I was so sorry to hear that Mr Overby had left us, but Heaven gained an awesome angel! He is rejoicing with the Lord! He will be watching over you all and will remain in your hearts. He was a very special patient to all of us, and we thought of him often. Prayers to you all and may the Lord wrap his arms around you all and comfort you during this time.

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**Penny Chappell Lloyd** - November 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ We are so sorry to hear about your Dad. We admired and respected him so much. He always did his best and was the most honest and trustworthy person. We think of him fondly and all the effort he put into building our house. Thank you Decatur, Joanne and Gilbert Fariss

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**Gilbert and Joanne Fariss** - November 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Decatur was such a nice and friendly person that everybody loved him. Donnie and all the family, you are in our thoughts and prayers during this sad time of grief. God will bring you peace and comfort.

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**Shirley and Earl Powell** - November 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ I am so sorry to hear that Decatur had passed away. I thought so much of him. He was a great person. I will you in my prayers as you go through this difficult time.

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**Debbie Spangler** - November 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Decatur was a very special person to me. When I worked at Farmers Food, he would come in the store, come thru my line and say, Betty, monkey needs more bananas. That is the time I really got to know him, although I grew up around Hitesburg and Nelson. Just want to let the family know how sorry I am. Decatur will be truly missed. Love to you all!! Betty!

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**Betty Elliott Womack** - November 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ We are so sorry to hear of Decatur's passing. He was a real gentleman and always had a smile when we met.

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**Jan & Ken** - November 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ To the Overbey family

*We send our condolences to you on your great loss. Decatur was one special person. He was a true Southern Gentleman. He will be missed but, he is breathing now and not having to have oxygen. We have many fond memories of him. Prayers for the family.*

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**JOYCE NEWTON DAVIS** - November 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ A Godly man who blessed our life with his, he gave so much, expected so little. We love you Decatur. You are our brother, our friend, and a wonderful blessing from God. May Donnie and Yvonne know the peace that passes all understanding that only God can give. Memories, how I cherish them of Decatur, one in a million friend. God is in his holy temple and so is our brother in Christ Jesus.

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**Ann and Mark Glasscock** - November 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ I am honored to have known Mr. Overbey. He was a true gentleman with the best of hearts; he was the kind of man that is rare in the world today. He will be missed by all who knew him, and I am blessed to say he touched my life. My thoughts and prayers are with Donnie and the family...may God bring you comfort in this difficult time.

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**Misty Epps** - November 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM