



Marcus Key

July 28, 1928 - March 14, 2019

Marcus Key, 90, of Morganton, NC, died on Thursday, March 14, 2019 after a period of declining health. He was born July 28, 1928 in Coal Valley, AL to the late Walter Lee Key and Lois Myers Key. He was a veteran of the US Army. Marcus retired from Proctor and Gamble after 30 plus years of employment. He was a member and past president of the Mt. Airy Civic Club and the Mt. Airy Town Council in Cincinnati, Ohio. He was also a member and past chairman of the Burke County Democratic Party.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Lou Cornelia Loven Key; brothers, Walter Lee Key, Robin S. Key; sister, Rachel Davis.

Marcus is survived by his son, M. Greg Key (Gail Korb) of Annandale, VA; sister, Eunice K. Davis of Birmingham, AL; brother-in-law, Dick Loven of Morganton; sister-in-law, Hulah Loven Story of Lenoir, NC; devoted girlfriend of 20 years, Virginia Coffey of Granite Falls, NC; and many special nieces, nephews and cousins.

The family will receive friends from 4:00pm until 6:00pm, Sunday, March 17, 2019 at Sossoman Funeral Home. The service will be at 11:00am Monday, March 18, 2019 in the Colonial Chapel of the funeral home with Pastor Justin Cunningham officiating. Burial will be at Forest Hill Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Grace Ridge Scholarship Fund, 500 Lenoir Rd., Morganton, NC 28655.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

No tributes added yet.