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Ned Rumfelt

Dec. 12, 1932 - July 17, 2017

Ned Rumfelt, 84, of Morganton, NC passed away Monday, July 17, 2017. Born in Burke County, NC on December 12, 1932, he was the son of the late Joseph P. Rumfelt and Martha Biggerstaff Rumfelt. Ned retired from the U.S. Air Force after 20 years, having served in the Korean War. He later worked for the Burke County Sheriff's Department and as a farmer and truck driver.

A loving husband, Ned is survived by his wife, Doris Chambliss Rumfelt of the home; a brother, Homer Rumfelt and wife, Janice, of Marion, NC; and a number of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews.

In addition to his parents, Ned was preceded in death by 4 brothers, Ray, Roy, Albert, and James Rumfelt; and 2 sisters, Geneva Patton and Louise Patton.

The family will receive friends from 2 to 3pm, Saturday, July 22, 2017 at McDowell Independent Presbyterian Church. The funeral will be held at 3pm in the church with the Rev. Dennis Carswell and the Rev. Sid Houk officiating. Burial will follow at Bethel United Methodist Church Cemetery on Dysartsville Road with military honors provided by the U.S. Air Force. At other times the family will be at the home on Patton Road.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family.

Tribute Wall

I lived with uncle Ned and aunt Doris with my brother, Mike for about a year or s when I was 9 years old. They asked my.mom, Eva if we could live with them since mom was having a hard time... long story... I am Ray's daughter, Shelia.. Sorry to read this he was a great uncle. Aunt Doris was not.

—Shelia Rumfelt mcfarland