



Ephriam "Dawsie" Rainwater

March 14, 1927 - December 26, 2015

Ephriam "Dawsie" Rainwater age 88 of Jonesboro passed away Saturday, December 26, 2015. Mr. Rainwater is a member of First Baptist Church of Jonesboro. He was preceded in death by children: Andy Rainwater and Lonnie D. Rainwater. He is survived by wife: Mary Rainwater of Jonesboro; daughter: Kathy Rainwater of Jonesboro; brother: Julius Rainwater of Conyers; sister: Jean Grant of Carrollton; 3 grandchildren: Natalie Godwin, Katie Wheeler (James), and Amy Godwin; 6 great grandchildren: Corbin Ewell, Emma Ewell, Aiden Ray, Aubrey Stafford, Hunter Wheeler, and Hope Wheeler. Funeral Services will be held 1 PM, Wednesday December 30, 2015 in the Chapel of Ford Stewart funeral Home, with Rev. Jim Weathers, Rev. Jim Hyatt, and David Gilmer officiating. Burial to follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 5-8 PM, Tuesday December 29, 2015 at the funeral home. Flowers accepted or memorial can be made to Jonesboro First Baptist P.O. Box 773 Jonesboro, GA 30252 or Southern Grace Hospice 384 Racetrack Road McDonough, GA 30252. Ford-Stewart Funeral Home, Inc., Jonesboro/Stockbridge 770-210-2700. www.fordstewartfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

RB

“ I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Rainwater's passing. He was my neighbor for a while and I loved going to his house and talking to him and Ms. Mary. I always thought he was the kind of loving husband and father God had in mind. God and family meant everything to him and he not only professed it - he lived it. What a wonderful man and an honor to have known him.

Rita Bailey - March 14, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ Sincere condolences to the family of Mr. Rainwater. He was a good man, and we will miss him at The Palms. May the God of Comfort be with you all at this time.

Cathy Walden - December 31, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Dawsie was a kind, generous, and honest man. I worked with him when he worked at the hotels. Everyone loved Mr. Rainwater. My prayers are with Mary and the rest of the family.

Melinda Martin - December 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ Uncle Dawsie was a kind soul who was as friendly as his happy blue eyes. I never knew him to be judgmental or speak an ill word. My peace comes from knowing he accepted God's Salvation. <3

Tabbatha - December 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM