



James F Porter

March 13, 1934 - November 9, 2016

Mr. James F. Porter, age 82 of Jonesboro passed away November 9, 2016. Mr. Porter served in the Korean Conflict on the USS St. Paul from 1951-1955. He was preceded in death by his parents: Howell and Rosa Lynn Porter, siblings: Rosalind Porter, Rachel Higgins, Buddy Porter and Tommy Porter. Surviving are his wife: Nancy Porter, son: James Underwood and wife Christina of Havre, MT., step-daughter: Holly Morgan and husband Jeff of Independence, KY., sisters: Mary Doty, Thelma Laney and Pat Mays, grandchildren: Colbyn Underwood, Dalton Underwood and Gage Morgan. Funeral services will be held Saturday, November 12, 2016, 4 p.m. in the Chapel of Ford-Stewart Funeral Home with Pastor Al Baines officiating. The Family will receive friends Friday, 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to St. Jude's Hospital for Children. www.stjude.org, or phone 1-880-805-5856.

Tribute Wall

PW

“ *I would like to offer my condolences to the Porter family and may God be a refuge and strength in your time of sorrow.(Psalms 46:1)*

P. Watts - November 14, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ *Nancy and family:
So sorry to hear about Jim. Our thoughts and prayers are with.
Love, Pete and Janet*

Pete Alday - November 13, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ I think Ben Franklin said it best:

Philadelphia, 23rd February, 1756.

I condole with you. We have lost a most dear and valuable relation.

Our friend and we were invited abroad on a party of pleasure which is to last forever. His chair was ready first and he is gone before us. We could not all conveniently start together, and why should you and I be grieved at this, since we are soon to follow and know where to find him?

Adieu,

B. FRANKLIN

My condolences to you and your family.

*JOHN C. WHATLEY AB BMS JD LLM MTh
Murphy High School, Class of 1963*

John C. Whatley - November 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ Nancy, My thoughts and prayers are with you as you say goodbye to Jim. I'm so very sorry for your loss. Our "gang" will sure miss seeing him at our gatherings. May God hold you close and comfort you in your time of sorrow. Love, Rose Alford Adams

Rose Adams - November 11, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ *Nancy & Holly*

*Please accept our condolences for your loss.
You are in our prayers. God Bless.*

Bill & Norrie Morgan

Bill & Norrie Moorgan - November 10, 2016 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ *Nancy, we are so sorry for your loss, I know Jim loved you very much and is now your angel looking down on you. You are in our prayers.*

Nancy & Bob Champion - November 10, 2016 at 12:00 AM