



Kenneth Merrill Jarrett

June 29, 1932 - February 3, 2024

Kenneth Merrill Jarrett, 91, of Granite Quarry died February 3, 2024, at Autumn Care of Salisbury.

Ken, son of Lelia May Kiger and George Sherill Jarrett, was born June 29, 1932, in Thomasville and raised in Statesville. He served in the U.S. 7th Army, 330th Field Artillery battalion, in postwar Germany. In 1957 he joined Home Security Life Insurance Company (now Transamerica), where he worked as an agent and manager for 37 years. Throughout his life, Ken was a Sunday School teacher, deacon, and church trustee. He was a member of Faith Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife of 66 years, Jo Anne Hawks Jarrett; sisters Vivian White of Statesville and Garnette (Charles) Walls of Shelby; sons David (Jennifer) Jarrett of Charlottesville, Va., and Chuck Jarrett of Columbia, Md.; grandchildren Catherine (Clay) Nemitz and Colin (Natalie) Jarrett and great-grandchild Susanna Jarrett, all of Durham.

A celebration of Ken's life will be Saturday, February 10, at 11 a.m. at Faith Baptist Church, with visitation one hour prior. Burial with military honors will occur on a later date.

Memorials may be made to Faith Baptist Church, PO Box 84, Faith, NC 28041.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Jarrett family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Faith Baptist Church
Faith, NC

Memorial Service

FEB 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

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