



## Horace L. Stokes

September 1, 2001

Horace L. "Horse Collar" Stokes, 75, of Rock Hall, Maryland died on Saturday, September 1st at Kent & Queen Anne's Hospital in Chestertown.

Born in Rock Hall, MD, he was the son of the late Peter A. & Emily Virginia [Newsome] Stokes. Mr. Stokes is a life long resident of Rock Hall. As a child he developed a love of the Chesapeake Bay working with his father harvesting the treasures of the bay.

During the 1940's Mr. Stokes found himself serving the citizens of Rock Hall working as their lone police officer. He worked in this capacity for several years. He would work all night into the early morning hours and then work the bay during the daytime.

Mr. Stokes married Helen "Lucille" Glenn and together they raised a family of 4. Mr. Stokes continued his career as a waterman until 1977 when due to failing health he had to retire.

Mr. Stokes was a strong family man whose life evolved around his wife and children. He particularly loved the times he spent with his children and grandchildren. He was an outgoing person who had many friends. In his spare time he enjoyed playing cards and playing billiards.

Mr. Stokes is survived by his wife of 54 years, H. Lucille Stokes of Rock Hall, MD, his two daughters, Mary Ellen Dreisback, Lisa Carol Jones; his two sons, Horace Melvin Stokes and Kevin Lee Stokes, and his 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren all of Rock Hall, MD.

Graveside Services will be held on Wednesday, September 5th, 2001 at 2 P.M. in the Wesley Chapel Church Cemetery. Interment will follow services.

The Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. Rock Hall, MD is handling all arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



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