



James Andrew Burris

March 4, 1919 - October 18, 2015

James Andrew Burris of Dover, DE, died Sunday, October 18, 2015, at Pinnacle Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Smyrna, DE. He was 96.

James A. Burris was born March 4, 1919, in York, SC, the son of the late Clarence Burris and Maggie Ross Burris. Mr. Burris enlisted in the United States Army in 1942, and then re-enlisted in 1951 to serve his country until an honorable discharge in 1956. After leaving the military, Mr. Burris worked in construction for the Local 199. His interests included fishing, playing the guitar and harmonica, watching Westerns on TV, and reading the newspaper.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Elizabeth Della Burris; one son, Calvin Burris; two sisters, Alfreda Backus and Elizabeth Burris; and four brothers, Nathaniel Burris, Earl Burris, Alonzo Burris and James Jones.

Mr. Burris is survived by two sons, David "Sonny" Burris and wife Hilda of Millington, MD, James A. "Butch" Burris and fiancé' Jacqueline of Dover, DE; one daughter, Margaret Wilson and husband Richard of Dover, DE; a daughter-in-law, Davin Jackson; four sisters-in-law, Martina Jeff of Chestertown, MD, Claudette Hawkins of Chestertown, MD, Virginia Wilson of Chesterville, MD, Jeanette Johnson of Chestertown, MD; ten grandchildren; eighteen great-grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren; and a host of

nieces and nephews .

Services will be held Monday, October 26, 2015, at 11 a.m. at Fellows Family Funeral Home, 370 Cypress St., Millington, MD. A visitation will be held from 10-11 a.m. Interment will be held at the Delaware Veterans Cemetery in Bear, DE, on Tuesday, October 27, 2015, at 1 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Delaware Veterans Cemetery

2465 Chesapeake City Rd
Bear, DE 19701

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Fellows Family Funeral Home
370 West Cypress Street
Millington, MD 21651
(410) 928-5311
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Service

OCT **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *James Andrew Burris*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *James Andrew Burris*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Sonny, Margie, and Butch I love you guys. I'm thinking and praying that God will give you peace and comfort during this difficult time.*



Annetta L Graves - October 20, 2015 at 06:50 AM