



Samuel Earl Elburn Sr.

March 12, 2000

Samuel Earl Elburn, Sr., of Preston, died at the Genesis Eldercare - The Pines, Easton, on Sunday, March 12, 2000. He was 81.

Born in Baltimore, July 20, 1918, he was the son of the late Russell Cleveland and Alice Benton Elburn. As a child he moved to Rock Hall where he attended public school. He then worked on the water as a commercial waterman until serving in the U. S. Navy during World War 11. Following his release from active duty, he returned to his work as a commercial waterman and then worked as a marine mechanic in several marinas. In 1975, they moved to Easton where he worked in the Bay Hundred area as an estate caretaker and then for Gray Block Ribbon Co. in Easton until retiring in 1988.

A resident of the Preston area since 1997, he was a member of the Easton Church of God and Talbot Post #70, American Legion.

Mr. Elburn is survived by his wife, the former Clara Mae Joiner whom he married in December of 1939 in Fairlee; seven children, Clara Virginia Purnell of Dover, DE, Sylvia Mae Clark and Carolyn Faye Myers, both of Preston, Alice Ann Hart of Harrington, DE, Helen Ruth Gray of Florida, Samuel E. Elburn, Jr. of Easton and David Leroy Elburn of Ridgely; seven brothers and sisters, Walter Leroy Elburn, Alice Mae Taylor, Frances Merle Coleman, Dorothy E. Cannon, Margaret E. Perry, all of Rock Hall, Mildred E. Bland of

Smyrna, DE and Peggy E. Morris of NC; 19 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, March 16, 2000 at 2:00 PM at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, Easton, where friends may call one hour prior to service.

Burial will be at Woodlawn Memorial Park, Easton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Easton Church of God, 1009 N. Washington St., Easton, Md. 21601 or to the Preston Vol. Fire Co. Ambulance Fund, Preston, Md. 21655.

Tribute Wall



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