



Roy Barrett

November 3, 1924 - May 25, 2013

Roy Barrett, age 88, of 4002 Pittwood Drive, Danville, Virginia died Saturday, May 25, 2013 at Chatham Health and Rehab Center after a decline in health since February.

Born in Huntersville, TX, he was a son of the late Hubert Redding Barrett and Maggie Alphin Barrett.

Mr. Barrett spent his most of his life in Texas retiring from Brown & Root where he was an Instrumentation Engineer and then he moved to Danville in 1984. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII, and was a member of Hunters Lodge # 156 A.F. & A.M. On December 30, 1948, he married Evelyn Rowland Barrett, who predeceased him.

Mr. Barrett was the last survivor of his generation being predeceased by one brother, Hugh Rowland Barrett, four sisters, Ina Ora Barrett, Altha Barrett Johnston, Bobbie Barrett Jolly and Billie Barrett Gray.

Survivors include a number of Nieces and Nephews.

Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, May 29, 2013 at 11:00 A.M. in the Mausoleum of Danville Memorial Gardens conducted by the Rev. Ryan Riley.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the Mausoleum of Danville Memorial Gardens from 10:00 am to 11:00 am.

The family would like to give a special thanks to the nurses and staff of Chatham Health and Rehab for the excellent care given to their love one.

Online condolences at www.wrenn-yeatts.com

Tribute Wall

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“Uncle Roy was definitely one of a kind! I just loved that mischievous sense of humor! I witnessed it many a time when Larry and I would visit Grandma and Granddaddy Barrett in Trinity. He always had a funny story or joke to tell. But, one time, the joke was on him. He had just pulled up to Granddaddy's place because they had planned to go fishing. Only problem was Uncle Roy's boat was not hooked up to his car anymore! He had failed to notice when it came loose a few miles back. He had to have been upset but he was a good sport with all the good natured ribbing that came his way. He was always so nice to me and my family. I will miss him.

Jackie Barrett Patton - May 28, 2013 at 11:50 PM

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“Sad to hear of the "Going Home" of Roy! I remember visiting in the home of Roy and Evelyn with my mom, Athleen Hodnett Jones. Mom was a cousin of Evelyn. It's hard to see generations end. Sympathy and Love to all the family!



Judy Jones Merricks - May 28, 2013 at 10:19 AM



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I loved you Uncle Roy. You were so kind to me when I was going up. One thing that I will never forget was you were my date to my prom. Wow, did my school friends eyes pop when we walk into the dance. Me, in my fluffy white formal and you in your Navy whites. You were so incredible smart, good looking and you were always my hero. I think of you so often, You will be missed.

Lou Ann (Barrett) Rose

Louann Rose - June 07, 2013 at 08:06 PM