



Charles Harry Curtis

October 6, 1932 - October 8, 2009

A class of 1950 Harriman High graduate, he served in the US Navy for four years before becoming a Professional Engineer. He was passionate about his career, which included positions at Union Carbide, Martin Marietta, Lockheed Martin, American Furnace Company, Manufacturing Science, and BNFL. He began as a draftsman, becoming Senior Draftsman, Mechanical Engineer, Project Engineer, Principal Engineer, Project Engineer, and Engineering Manager.

He was known for his incredible sense of humor, generosity, sweet manner, and intellect. He made people laugh and always had a kind word to offer. He remained deeply committed to his church throughout his life, preaching, leading singing, and frequently speaking of his faith. He was a member of the Lawnville Road Church of Christ. He was an avid banjo player and loved getting together “to pick” with his friends.

Survivors include his wife of 44 years, Eleanor Newport Curtis of Kingston, formerly of Scott County; daughter and son-in-law Sheril and Jerry Moffett of Memphis, TN; son Terry Curtis and Danette McDow of Jackson, TN; daughter and son-in-law Suzanne Curtis Campbell and Brian Campbell of Maryville, TN; brother, Ray Curtis of Oakdale, TN; grandchildren Jennifer Bever and husband Mark, Jeremy Bond, Jonathan Curtis, and Sean Curtis, as well as many dearly loved relatives (especially The Cousins) and a very special group

of friends.

Funeral 8pm Friday October 9, 2009 in the Kyker Chapel with Minister Ken Hicks officiating. Burial 11am Saturday at Roane Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 6 until 8pm Friday at Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston.

Tribute Wall

CC

“ I came too the funeral and it was very nice.I'm sorry for our lose.Uncle Carl was a persone I admired. As I said at his service.I wish I had of got to know him better.and I wish you all the best in life.May the Almighty stay with you all always.all my love carl curtis

carlton (carly) curtis - December 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ Eleanor,
We are sorry to hear about the loss of your husband.
Our prayers go out to you and your family.
Paul & Beulah Newport

BEULAH Newport - October 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Terry
Wanted to send my condolences to you and the family. Mom called to let me know your Dad had passed away. We will be keeping your family in our prayers as you struggle through this difficult time. Pleas know that evern all these years later, your friends are here to support you in any way we can. May peace come to you soon.

Sincerely
Jonathan Hettrick RCHS '84

Jonathan Hettrick - October 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Eleanor and family,
So sorry to hear about Carl. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
With love,
Pam Newport, James Wolf, and Cameron*

Pamela Newport - October 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM