



James E. Stevens

December 31, 1919 - November 14, 2009

James E. "Jim" Stevens, age 89, of Sweetwater, passed away on Saturday November 14, 2009. Mr. Stevens was a member and deacon of the North Sweetwater Baptist Church, of Sweetwater. He retired from the Sweetwater Police Department. A veteran of WWII having served in the U.S. Army. Preceded in death by his wife Kate Colquitt Stevens, daughter and son-in-law: Mary Elizabeth and Sherman Watson, parents: Henry and Mamie Sue Stevens, sister: Margaret Haskins, brothers: Earl and Elbert Stevens. Survivors include grandson and wife: Gary D. and Donna Watson, of Knoxville, granddaughter: Tracey Watson, of Sweetwater, great-granddaughters: Jennifer and Allison Watson, of Knoxville, sister: Lena Belle Floyd, of Sweetwater, sister-in-law: Huttie Bledsoe, of Sweetwater. Several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends on Monday November 16, 2009, at the North Sweetwater Baptist in Sweetwater from 6:00P.M. until 8:00P.M. with the funeral service to follow at 8:00P.M. with Rev. Don Rockholt and Dr. Gerald Atkins officiating. Family and friends will meet at 10:45A.M. on Tuesday at the Sweetwater Memorial Park for a 11:00A.M. interment with full military honors provided by the Sweetwater V.F.W. Gold Star Post 5156 and members of the Monroe County D.A.V. chapter 93. Sweetwater Memory Chapel in charge of arrangements.