



Tom Benton Tidwell

June 7, 1931 - September 20, 2010

Tom Benton Tidwell age 79 of Kingston TN passed away Monday September 20, 2010 at Parkwest Hospital, Knoxville. He was born in Florence, Alabama in 1931. A life long Methodist, he was a founding member of Midtown United Methodist Church in 1959. He served his country in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. His profession was 30 plus years as Journeyman Instrument Technician for TVA.. Was a member of the TVA Retirees Association, Roane County Heritage Commission, and "First Families of Lawrence County, Tennessee."

He survived by his wife of 54 years, Joyce G. Tidwell.

Children Tom Benton Tidwell, III, Kingston.

Rita Grace Tidwell Hickman, Chattanooga.

Donna Susan and Dick J. Tracy, Nashville.

Cecil Grasham Tidwell and wife Sherry, Murfreesboro.

Grandchildren Amellia Hickman, UTK

Ethan Hickman, Chattanooga.

Jonathan and Jarrod Tracy, Nashville.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, September 22, 2010 12 Noon to 2pm at the Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston. Funeral service at 2pm with the Rev. John Anderson officiating. Interment will be at 4pm at Spring City Cemetery on Cemetery Road, Spring City TN. Memorials can be made to

Kingston United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

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“ I'll always have the greatest memories of Mr. Tidwell! He was always so funny & loving...and I know that he was so proud of his family! I am lucky to have known him. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

leigh tracy turner - September 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ I wanted to let the family know my thoughts are with them. I have many great memories that will live on of my uncle Tom and all of his family.

Felecia Tidwell - September 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Sorry I can't be with you all at this time. He was special to me and Ronald. Loved him dearly. Jo Ann

Jo Ann Mitchell - September 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of sorrow, with special memories of all the good times at Midtown Methodist. From the Gamble Family,
Isaac, Mary Wyatt, Sarah, Sue-Ellen and Anna Wyatt (Fowler d.)

Isaac Gamble - September 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sorry we cant be with yall right now. Wish we could make it to the funeral. But we are not for certian when my daughter will have her little girl. We love all of yall always and i hope we all can get together in a better cituation. We will always miss you Uncle Tom. Love Sharon (Sherry) Watson-Cox

SHARON WATSON [COX] - September 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM