



Mr. Bobby Gene "Bob" McDonald

May 9, 1927 - April 8, 2018

Graveside funeral services for Mr. Bobby G. McDonald, 90, of Carthage, Texas will be 2:00 p.m. Thursday, April 12, 2018 at the Old Tennessee Cemetery in Shelby County, Texas with Rev. Steve Jackson and Mr. Dennis Smith officiating. Burial will follow under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 6-800 p.m. Wednesday night at Hawthorn Funeral Home. Mr. McDonald died April 8, 2018 at his Carthage, Texas home.

Mr. Bobby Gene McDonald was born May 9, 1927 in Liberty, Kentucky to the late Elias Watson McDonald and the late Lillie Ann Bertram McDonald. Bob served in the United States Army at the end of World War II. Bob worked for the United States Postal Service and was the Postmaster General in Center, Texas when he retired January 3, 1985 after 31 years of service. Bob was active in the community and was a caring and giving person. He loved to cook and give away his specialty, banana pudding.

Bob was a member of the Gideon's International since January 1980. He was a lifetime member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars(VFW), a member of the National Active and Retired Federal Employees, Lion Club, and Central Baptist Church in Carthage. Bob was preceded in death by his wife Jane Howard McDonald in 1997, and Betty Crawford McDonald in 2010, Mr. McDonald is survived by his step-daughter, Debbie Crawford Sampson of Gladewater, Step-sons and families Larry and Debbie Crawford of Carthage, and Shannon and Sheila Crawford of Hallsville, five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Also a sister, Doris Keller and brothers David Carroll, Roy

Carroll, Buddy Carroll, Paul Carroll, and Billy Carroll. Numerous nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Bob's family wishes to sincerely thank all of the staff of Hospice Plus of Longview for all of the wonderful care and support given. In lieu of flowers, please send memorials to the Gideon International, PO Box 83 Center, Texas 75935 or PO Box 393 Carthage, Texas 75633. An online guestbook may be signed at www.hawthornfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Old Tennessee Cemetery

5663 FM 947
Timpson, TX 75975

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home
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Service

APR 12. 2:00 PM.

Graveside

Tribute Wall

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