



Mr. Roy Glendon Batey

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Roy Glendon Batey, age 77, died Saturday, February 1, 2014 at his residence in Hendersonville. He was a native of Charlotte, Tennessee being the son of the late Slayden and Irene Hogue Batey. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by a brother, Bobby Batey. He was employed by Murphy Oil Company for 36 years and came home to operate his own CPA firm for 10 years. He served our country in the United States Army in Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville and was a member of the Fred Bracey Sunday School Class. He was also an Ordained Deacon. Mr. Batey is survived by his wife of 56 years, Betty Hunter Batey; a daughter, Kelly Batey (Mike) Tibbitt of Little Rock, Arkansas ; a son, Kendal Batey of El Dorado, Arkansas. A Celebration of Life Service will be conducted Tuesday, February 4, 2014 at 11:30 A.M. at the Spring Hill Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Roger Luther officiating. Burial will follow in Historic Spring Hill Cemetery. The family will visit with friends Monday, February 3, 2014 from 4:00 until 8:00 P.M. and Tuesday, February 4, 2014 from 10:30 A.M. until service time at the funeral home. Family members will serve as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be the members of the Fred Bracey Sunday School Class. Memorials may be made to the Fred Bracey Sunday School Class at First Baptist Church of Hendersonville. Services entrusted to Spring Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery.



Events

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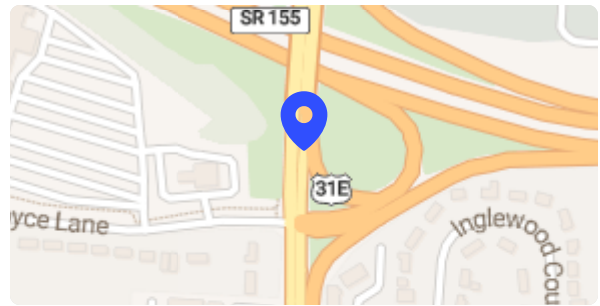
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Cemetery Details



Historic Spring Hill Cemetery

5110 Gallatin Road, Nashville TN 37216





Tribute Wall

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BR

Brooke posted:

He was one of the most wonderful, kind, caring, Christian men I knew. His life portrayed exactly what God commands us to do/be.... like Jesus. He had a huge heart for his family and friends and people in general, he was always helping others out and offering his help anyway he could. He had a heart for and like Jesus and it showed. I know I will see him again one day and I know right now he is home with our heavenly Daddy, praising Him and Jesus, and that he is reaping his GREAT eternal rewards for the work he did here on this earth for God because of his huge heart!~~~Brooke~~~ El Dorado, Arkansas

February 19 at 5:39 AM

VJ

Vivian Jerry posted:

My prayers are with you during this time. Roy was a kind and gentle man, a role model for all those blessed to know him. He was indeed a man after God's heart. Vivian Jerry

February 3 at 3:49 PM

DM

Dennis And Pat Murphree posted:

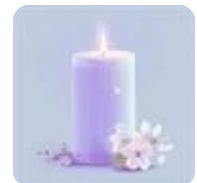
Roy Batey was the best Christian man that my husband and I have ever known. He lived what he believed and was such an inspiration to everyone he came in contact with. He was even a topic of a sermon when our pastor had played golf with him! He didn't just talk the talk, but walked the walk. One thing we know without a doubt is that he is safe in the arms of Jesus right this minute. He and his wife Betty, are the best friends that we have ever had. Dennis and Pat Murphree

February 3 at 2:13 PM

CS

Charles And Sharon lit a candle in honor of Roy.

Dear Betty, Kelly and Ken, We send our deepest sympathies to you in the loss of a wonderful man. I always thought he was kind, compassionate and brilliant. He knew how to handle the financial business end of a church, and make things run smooth. He left his mark on our lives and we are better people for knowing him. May God give you the peace that only he can give. Much love, Charles and Sharon Taylor



February 3 at 9:52 AM



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VE

Vicki Evans posted:

Betty, I am so sorry for your loss. Oh how I would love to see you and tell you in person. I love you. Bill and I are praying for your family. Vicki Evans

February 3 at 5:12 AM

JW

Jerry Wilson posted:

Roy was one of the most Christlike men I've known. My picture of him is a quiet servant who continually gave of himself for the good of God's kingdom and his fellow man. He was an example to me from my earliest memories as a boy. My heart goes out to Betty, Kelly and Ken, but this separation will be temporary. Of this I am sure.

February 3 at 3:07 AM

DS

Donna Steffy posted:

Betty, Words cannot express how is feel about the passing of your husband, Roy. I feel like I know him personally by listening to you talk about him, expressing your memories and stories and laughing together as we talked about the antics both of our husbands. He will surely be missed.

February 3 at 2:12 AM

PE

Phoebe Sellers-Eldorado, Ar posted:

Roy was my boss a couple of different times at Murphy Oil Corporation. He was kind, supportive and understanding. He got perturbed with me a few times (but most of my bosses did) but in the end we were respectful of each other's capabilities. I know he has had a few complicated years for himself and his family. A lot of friends and family will miss him as he did leave his mark on those around him. Condolences to you all.

February 2 at 5:12 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Roy by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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