



George W. Allison

December 8, 2027 - October 25, 2013

Mattoon-George W. Allison, age 85, of Mattoon, IL passed away on Friday October 25, 2013 at 6:47 a.m. at Odd-Fellow Rebekah Home in Mattoon, IL.\r\n\r\nFuneral services honoring his life will be held on Monday October 28, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home with Reverend John Helgeson officiating. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until time of service on Monday. Public Masonic Rites will be held at 9:45 a.m. prior to the visitation. Interment will held in Rest Haven Memorial Gardens, Mattoon, IL. Military honors will be conducted by Mattoon VFW Post 4325.\r\n\r\nGeorge was born on December 8, 1927 in Flat Rock, IL, the son of William Weger Allison and Garnette McKeown. He married Anna Rose Draper on September 7, 1951 in Flat Rock, IL. He is survived by his wife, Anna Rose of Mattoon, IL; his daughters Ann Williams and husband Ted of Savoy, IL and Janice Kay Allison and her boyfriend Jim Giovannini of Booneville, IN. Two grandchildren, David Andrew Williams and wife Denise of Avon, IN and Heather Ann Williams of Champaign, IL. Two great-grandchildren Devin Andrew Williams and Dylan Andrew Williams of Avon, IN. Two brothers Dr. James Weger Allison of Charlotte, NC and Ret. Lt. Col. John McKeown Allison of Flower Mound, TX. George was preceded in death by one son, Wayne George Allison, killed in 1988 in an airplane crash and one brother Dr. Robert Henry Allison as well as his parents.\r\n\r\nMr. Allison was a retired teacher. He taught chemistry for 36 years with 26 years at Oak Park River Forest High School in Oak Park, IL. He was a graduate of Eastern Illinois University. He received his master's degree

from the University of Illinois and a second master's degree from the School of Mines and Metallurgy of Rolla, MO. He proudly served his country as a paratrooper in the United States Army. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Mattoon, IEA, NEA, American Legion, Masonic Lodge #260, High Twelve, Scottish Rite, Medinah and the Mattoon Golf & Country Club.\r\n

Tribute Wall



“ *George W. Allison*

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