



William L. Lewis

July 6, 2025 - January 13, 2015

Mattoon, IL-William L. Lewis, age 89, of Mattoon, IL, passed away at 6:58 p.m., Tuesday, January 13, 2015, at Odd-Fellow Rebekah Home, Mattoon, IL.

The funeral service in his honor will begin at 11:00 a.m., Monday, January 19, 2015, at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938, with Reverend Brad Brown officiating. Interment will follow in Resthaven Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m., until the service begins.

Born July 6, 1925, in Furnice, KY, William was the son of Edward and Bertha Lewis. He married Alma L. Carman on November 30, 1974 in Mattoon, IL. She passed away January 19, 2006. Survivors include one step-son, Ronnie G. Perkins and wife Diane of Burlington, IA; and one niece, Anna Faye Tolson of Rogers, KY. In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by one brother.

Mr. Lewis was employed by Norfolk and Western Railroad as an engine mechanic. He served our country with the United States Army during World War II. He trained at Ft. McAllen, AL, and was in combat at Laity Island, Okinawa.

Mr. Lewis was a member of the New Life Community Church of Mattoon. He was very involved with his church and an avid reader of the Bible and Religious Books.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com or www.facebook.com/mitchelljerdanfuneralhome to light a virtual candle in his honor or share a memory with his family.

Tribute Wall



“ *William L. Lewis*

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“ *Bill was an important part of Real Life Community Church. It was my privilege to serve as his pastor these last three years and I enjoyed visiting with him at his home on several occasions. He will be dearly missed.*

Rev. Michael Flowers - January 17, 2015 at 04:23 AM



“ *Ronnie and family: I am so sorry to learn of Bill's passing. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. I am your mother's (Aunt Laverne's) great niece. I am the granddaughter of your mother's brother, Wilbur (BI).*

Teresa Ray - January 15, 2015 at 08:52 PM