



JAMES E. SLATER SR.

July 10, 2016

Obituary of JAMES SLATER SR.

Mr. James E. Slater, Sr., 88, of Altoona passed away Sunday, July 10, 2016. He was born in Graceville, Florida. He was a retired surveyor for the Department of Transportation. He was a member and a former deacon of the First Baptist Church of Altoona. He was a veteran of the United States Army having served in the Korean Conflict. He was the church bus driver for over 15 years and a Sunday school teacher for 50 years.

Survivors include his loving wife of 65 years: Opal Jean Slater, Altoona; sons: James E. (Natasha) Slater, Jr., Leesburg, FL, Jesse E. (Leigh) Slater, Mt. Dora, FL, Thomas R. Slater, Altoona, FL; brothers: Ralph Slater, Conroe, TX, Wayne Slater, Dothan, AL; sister: Mary Slater, Dothan, AL; three grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 15, 2016 at the First Baptist Church of Altoona with Reverend Gary Robinson officiating. Interment will follow at the Umatilla Annex Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Thursday, July 14, 2016 at the Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, Umatilla. Flowers will be accepted or those desiring may make donations to Compassionate Care Hospice of Lake County.

Tribute Wall

AD “ *I'm so sorry aunt opal did not know he was sick I love u the family is in my prayers* ”

angie gay drake - October 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AD “ *JAMES E. SLATER SR.* ”

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AD “ *###GESTURE###* ”


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SU “ *Godspeed Jim. You will be missed.* ”

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TS “ *JAMES E. SLATER SR.* ”

Tammy (Dooley) Slater-Kendrick - July 14, 2016 at 12:00 AM

 “ *JAMES E. SLATER SR.* ”

July 11, 2016 at 12:00 AM