



Willard Wayne Shewmaker

March 20, 1925 - August 7, 2015

Obituary of Willard Shewmaker

Willard Wayne Shewmaker, 90, formerly of Corydon, Indiana, died August 7, 2015 at Cornerstone Hospice, Lady Lake, Florida. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and great great-grandfather. He was born March 20, 1925 in Harrison County, Indiana to the late Jesse and Edna Shewmaker of Elizabeth, Indiana. He was formerly an employee of Warrick Buick Sales and Bill's Auto of Corydon, Indiana. He was a member of the Corydon Christian Church. He was a member of Pisgah Masonic Lodge # 32 of Corydon and a life member of the Scottish Rite of Indianapolis, IN. He was a lifetime member of VFW #4252. He was a United States Army Veteran of World War II having served in France and Italy in the 141st Infantry Regiment.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brothers, Joseph and Robert Shewmaker; and his sisters, Lucille, Mary, and Helen; and a granddaughter Elexa Taylor. Survivors include his wife of 68 yrs., Jewel Stepro Shewmaker; brothers, Louis James (Pete) and Albert Shewmaker; a sister, Julia Hardin Baker; daughters, Rosemary Smith (Fred) of Tavares, FL, Sandra Shake (Mark) of English, IN; grandchildren, Stacey King Griffin of Palmyra and Aaron Taylor of Corydon; great-grandchildren, Amanda Wise, Nicholas Ladd, Gabriel

Taylor, Jenna Taylor, and great great-grandchildren, Carson and Tanner Wise.

There will be a Memorial Service at the Hawthorne Marina in Leesburg, FL on Wednesday, August 12, 2015 at 11:00 am. Upon Mr. Shewmaker's request there is to be no funeral. The family requests that expressions of sympathy be made to Cornerstone Hospice in Lady Lake, FL or the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall

MB

“ I just found the news of your father. I am deeply saddened at this news. I am praying for peace for your entire family during this time of loss. May God comfort you at this time.

Mike Barrow - September 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ I am the pastor of Corydon Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and I saw the obituary for Mr. Shewmaker that said he was a member of our church. I never knew him and don't know how long he had been gone from Corydon and living in Florida, but I want to express my deep sympathy to all of the family members. Please know that I am holding you in prayer during this time of grief. May God's peace be with you. Rev. Lori Miller-Price, pastor of Corydon Christian Church

Rev. Lori Miller-Price - August 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ My heart is with you.

Michael Campbell - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ I'm very sorry for your father's passing Rose, and to your family. I know how much he meant to you. You're in my loving thoughts and prayers. Hugs.

Cheryl Holley - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM