



Jessie Willard Wyatt

April 6, 1924 - October 27, 2016

Jessie Willard Wyatt age 92, of Statesville, passed away, Thursday, October 27th, 2016 at Autumn Care, Statesville. Jessie was born April 6th, 1924 in Wilkes County, to the late Edgar Charlie Wyatt and Esther "Liddie" Spears Wyatt.

Jessie was employed in the textile industry for years but more recently had worked at Harris-Teeter and Ingles Grocery Stores. Jessie was of the Baptist faith and attended Tabernacle Baptist Church.

Jessie served honorably in the Army Air Corp during WWII from 1943-1946, in the campaigns of Normandy, Northern France and Air Offensive over Europe, receiving three bronze service stars, the EAME service medal and WWII Victory Medal and a good conduct medal.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by five brothers; Robert, Ford, Ronza, George and Hansford Wyatt and two sisters, Faye Griffin and Stella Pilkington. Jessie is survived by his wife, Betty Faye Reeves of the home and four sons; Jesse Wyatt (Linda) and Keith Wyatt (Hilda) and Alan Wyatt all of Statesville, and Tony Wyatt of Burlington, and a daughter, Kathy Manuel of Statesville. Jessie is also survived by six grandchildren; Jewel Campbell (Robert), Amber Moose (Daniel), Angela Wyatt, Colin Wyatt, Corinna Wyatt and Eric Manuel. Six great grandchildren also survive.

A graveside funeral service will be conducted 2:00 pm Saturday October 29th, 2016 at Bright Light Baptist Church, 478 Trinity Road, Statesville, NC, with Rev. Curtis White and Rev. Jayson Fox officiating. The family will receive

friends from 1:00-1:45 PM at Bright Light Baptist Church. Burial with Military Rites will follow the graveside service at the church cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family request donations to Hospice & Palliative Care of Iredell, 2347 Simonton Road, Statesville, NC 28625.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jessie Willard Wyatt*

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