



Earl Bryson

March 3, 1927 - September 8, 2014

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North Augusta, SC—Mr. Earl Bryson 87, of North Augusta, SC passed away peacefully surrounded by family September 8, 2014 after a long period of declining health. Earl was born in Glenville, NC and was the fourth child of Sam and Susie Bryson. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Ruth Bryson and Grace Galloway, and his brother, Clyde Bryson.

Earl is survived by his wife of 33 years, Sally Bryson, his sister, Shirley Smith (Harold Dean), former wife Barbara Bryson, three children, Ronnie Bryson, Teresa Moss, and Mike Bryson (Brenda), two stepchildren, Randy Lester (Amylia) and Jamie Lester (Frances), three grandchildren, Randi and Nikki Moss, and Megan Bryson, two step-grandchildren, Mason Mobley and Sarah Lester, and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

After graduating from Glenville High School, Earl, like many of his generation, left the farming community of Glenville to find work. He traveled extensively finding temporary employment in a textile plant in Greenville, SC and in a meat packing plant in Detroit, Michigan. He worked for Goodyear Tire in Akron, Ohio, and picked oranges in Florida. He later traveled to California and Oregon where he worked for the state highway department.

He joined the United States Air Force in 1948 and was stationed at Lowry Air Force Base in Colorado. After leaving the Air Force, he continued to work at Lowry Air Force Base as a civilian. In 1952 Earl went to work for DuPont at the Savannah River Plant in South Carolina where he retired after 33 years of service. He returned to DuPont working as a consultant for two additional years.

Earl's hobbies have included gardening, golf, raising goats and square dancing and he was a member of the Richmond Reelers square dancing club. Later in life, as he become less able to get around, he took a strong interest in reading, especially western novels.

Earl genuinely enjoyed meeting people and getting to know everything about them. He made friends easily and maintained those friendships a lifetime. Even though his health gradually declined to the point of being totally dependent on others and was bed-ridden for many years, he managed to maintain a positive attitude and outlook on life. He will be deeply missed.

The family would like to thank the staff of Trinity Hospital of Augusta, Trinity Home Health Services of Aiken, and the many caregivers who attended to Earl over the past several years. A special thanks goes to Patty, Hollie, Rebecca, and Jasmine for their dedication to Earl's care and comfort.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Saturday from 1 until 3.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Trinity Hospice of Aiken, 690 Medical Park Drive, Suite 400, Aiken, SC 29801.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803.278.1181). Visit the registry at www.poseycares.com

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **13**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors
1307 Georgia Avenue
North Augusta, SC

Tribute Wall



“ *Earl Bryson*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Earl Bryson*

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *Sally, I have so many fond memories of Earl and Leonard together. Now they both are gone. Hope they are being good boys in Heaven. So sorry to hear of Earl's passing and you take care of yourself. God is good...always.*

Kaye Hooper - September 13, 2014 at 07:13 AM



“ *I'm going to miss going in the am getting him ready for his day and us both singing while we get ready to get up for the day. Three yrs going to hang out it was not work it was more like visiting with a side of work to do he n his family always made me feel welcome and love. He will be missed very much. Love you and Ur family God bless and thanks for letting me be apart of Ur life...*

xoxoxox Rebecca

Becca Fernandez - September 10, 2014 at 04:15 PM

JB

“ Sally

I am so sorry to hear of your husbands passing. Although I have not seen or spoken with you since your retirement from RCBOE, I have spoken of you fondly many, many times. I must say that I have missed talking to you. You were always a delight to talk to. I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers. May God watch over all of you during your time of sorrow.

*Judy Ann Bishop
Monte Sano Elementary- (Retired)*

Judy Ann Bishop - September 10, 2014 at 12:31 PM

CB

“ *We send our condolence to your family. Many years ago I truly enjoyed many conversations with Earl over the back fence when we were both working in our gardens. As the years past and the trees grew our paths no longer crossed but we will always feel blessed to have such nice back yard neighbors. Earl was always a joy to talk to. Our thoughts are with your family for your loss.*

*Sincerely,
Connie and Leo Boehmer*

Connie & Leo Boehmer - September 10, 2014 at 09:01 AM

BL

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with Earl's family during this time of sorrow. We enjoyed the many years of square dancing fellowship we had with you.*

Betty & Bobby Lepard - September 10, 2014 at 08:10 AM