



Mr Troy Denson Wright

December 18, 1920 - January 14, 2016

Troy Denson Wright
Kosciusko, MS

Troy Wright passed away on January 14, 2016 at the Miss. State Veteran's Home in Kosciusko, MS.

Funeral arrangements will be handled by Wilcox Funeral Home in Carthage, MS. Visitation will be Saturday, Jan. 16, 2016 from 10:00 am until 11:00 am. The service will be held at 11:00 am with burial immediately following in the Shockalo Cemetery.

Born December 18, 1920, Mr. Wright grew up in Madden, MS, the son of Alma Ward and John Brantley Wright. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. He was so proud to have served his country as a member of the 81st Chemical Mortar Battalion whose motto was "Equal to the Task". The companies of the 81st rendered extremely valuable service during the campaign for Western Europe beginning with the D-Day combat on Omaha Beach. Upon returning from WWII, Troy made his home in Jackson, MS.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Hazel Byram Wright; his daughter and son-in-law, Linda Jo and Brooks Cox; and son-in-law, Billy Rives. He is survived by his son, Charles "Butch" Wright (Nonnie) of Canton, MS and daughter, Anne Rives of Waynesboro, MS. He leaves two sisters, Alma Ezelle Peoples (Ray) of Flowood, MS and Shirley Cox (Wayne) of Pearl, MS; eight grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

The family wishes to thank the staff of the Veterans Home in Kosciusko for their caring and tireless efforts on behalf of Mr. Wright, to all of our veterans and also the staff of Quality Hospice Care.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to a favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

Shockalo

Carthage, MS

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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