



## James Cordell Lawson

June 18, 1930 - December 29, 2014

84 year old James Cordell Lawson of Smithville passed away early Monday morning Dec. 29th at his home. He was a member of the West End Ave. Church of Christ in McMinnville and was retired from U.S. Air Lines.

Visitation: 4 to 7 p.m. on Monday, January 6, 2014 at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home, 500 E. Main Street, Grand Prairie, TX, 75050. A private burial will follow at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. Lawson was also a Veteran, serving his country in the U.S. Air Force.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Lawson; parents, Elzie and Ora Johnson Lawson; sisters, Loreida Goss, Joellen Eperjesi and a brother, Roy Lawson.

Survivors include wife, Mary Lou Phillips Lawson of Smithville; 5 daughters, Donna Lawson of Texas, Teresa and husband Paul Jones of Texas, Deborah and husband Lee Smith of Smithville, Vicky and husband Don Langston of GA and Catherine McKeown of Murfreesboro; 3 sons, Bill and wife Sharon Lawson of TX, Lawrence Cantrell of Smithville, Edd and wife Roberta Cantrell of Pelham, TN; Jessie and Trey Andrews of Smithville; 15 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; sister, Gwen Bandy of FL & 1 brother-in-law, Andy Eperjesi of TX.



# Cemetery Details

## **DFW National Cemetery**

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway  
Dallas, TX 75211

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Papa was always so happy when I saw him. When I first met him, he told me to just call him Papa. Such a lovable man. I am so glad that I got to meet him. I know that he is in heaven now and is not suffering anymore. To the whole family...I love you guys and will be keeping you uplifted in my prayers...*  
*Love, Mary Tedder*

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