



Donald E. Houston

April 13, 1928 - May 29, 2007

Donald E. Houston, 79, Bolivar, Missouri died Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at Citizens Memorial Hospital, Bolivar. Don was born April 13, 1928 at Greentop, Missouri to Floyd and Gladys Morehouse Houston. He attended school in Lancaster graduating with the class of 1946. He served two years in the U. S. Army during the Korean War. Returning home he attended college at Northwest Missouri State University and Stout Institute in Memonie, Wisconsin. He taught school in Iowa and later went to St. Louis and taught in the Clayton School District in St. Louis County. After 32 years he retired as assistant superintendent in September 1987. Don and Betty Jo Dodson were married in Jonesboro, Arkansas September 7, 1955. Surviving Don is his wife, Betty, of the home; 3 children, Sam Houston and friend of Whitesboro, Texas, Julie Russo, Cleveland, Ohio and Cynthia Miller and husband, Steve, Portland, Oregon; 7 grandchildren, Lisa Marie Holley and husband, Mitch, with the U. S. Air Force in Austin, Texas, C. J. Virgil and wife, Dani, with the U. S. Air Force in Germany, Katy Houston, Dallas, Texas, Margaret Miller, Portland, Oregon, Dustin Houston, Yukon, Oklahoma, Kyle Miller and wife, Jess, Wood River, Oregon and Jeffrey Miller with the U. S. Navy in Miliani, Hawaii; 2 great-grandchildren, Reese Virgil and Alexis Samuelx; 2 sisters, Lucille Witten and husband, Bob, Trenton, Missouri, Mary Lou Hagglund and husband, Paul, Ottumwa, Iowa; 2 brothers, James Houston and wife, Betty, Jefferson City, Missouri and Richard Houston, Milan, Missouri; and several nieces and nephews. Visitation will be Thursday from 7:00 to 8:00 PM in Murray Funeral

Home, Bolivar. Graveside services will be 1:00 PM Sunday in Arni Cemetery, Lancaster, Missouri with Rev. Bobby Beeler officiating. Visitation will be 7:00 to 8:00 PM Saturday in Norman Funeral Home, Lancaster.

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