



## Guy F. Etter

October 29, 1925 - January 12, 2010

Guy Franklin Etter, 84, Bolivar, was born on October 29, 1925 to William Dewey and Pearl Mae (Sharlow) Etter in Trumann, Arkansas. He was the oldest of seven children and went to be with Jesus Tuesday, January 12, 2010 at the Missouri Veterans Home in Mount Vernon. He was ill for many years with Alzheimer's disease. His wife of 61 years, Mary (Tipton) Etter; his children, David Etter and wife, Terresa, Williamsburg, KY, Becky Diesel and husband, Marion, Bolivar, Martha Barnes, Blue Springs, and Paul Etter and wife, Jeanne, Shelby, NC; his sisters, Marian Sutherlin, Kahokia, IL, Doris Sanders, Columbia Falls, MT, Lorna Hines, Cuba, Betty McCormick, Omaha, NE and Martha Sexton, St. Peters; and his brother, William Etter, Jr., Grapevine, TX survive him. Ten grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews also survive him. His daughter, Joyce Etter, preceded him in death. Guy was saved at the age of 21 kneeling by his bed confessing his sins and he asked Jesus to be his Lord and Saviour. He was ordained to the gospel ministry December 17, 1948 at Villa Ridge Baptist Church, Villa Ridge, MO. Guy was in the ministry for over 45 years, pastoring several Southern Baptist churches in Missouri, including Miller, Pierce City and Weaubleau. Guy was proud to serve his country during World War II in the U. S. Navy as a Quartermaster aboard the U.S.S. Pamanset. Funeral services will be at 10:00 AM, Friday, January 15, 2010 at Murray Funeral Home, Bolivar, with Rev. Gary Urich officiating. Interment with full military honors will be at 1:00 PM at the Missouri Veterans Cemetery, Springfield.

Visitation will be from 6:00 to 7:30 PM Thursday, January 14, 2010 at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Guy Etter Memorial Fund in care of Murray Funeral Home, P O Box 506, Bolivar, MO 65613 or in care of Southern Hills Baptist Church, 1220 S. Springfield, Bolivar, MO 65613 for the purpose of a ministerial scholarship at Southwest Baptist University.

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Guy F. Etter*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Guy F. Etter*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Dear Mary, In searching for information about a friend and classmate from Tipton, I came upon the information of Rev. Etter. I feel sure that he was also our preacher at Bunceton several years ago. If this is the case please let me know. Our congregation would want to hear. Thanks. My e-mail is bishopp@tipton.k12.mo.us.*

**Pam Bishop** - April 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mary, I'm so sorry to hear of your husbands passing. You have 61 years of beautiful memories to cherish.*

**Sally Underwood** - January 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Mary, We are so sorry for the loss of Uncle Guy. You are in our thoughts and prayers always. Love, Matt, Sue and Sean*

**Matt & Sue Roslawski** - January 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ This will let you know Yvonne and I are thinking of you in the passing of Guy. What a good compliment, Reverend Dudley paid your son! I well remember Rev. Dudley and his pastorate in Waynesville. How nice of Murray Funeral home to put Guy's obituary on line, which allowed me to give copies of it to your Monett friends. This will let you know we appreciated Guy's preaching and singing. You are in our prayers.

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**Tom & Yvonne Kerr** - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Lillie and I are praying that the God of all comfort will be with you all through this time of sorrow. I always enjoyed our brief visit and Brother Guy and I would meet at conventions. He loved the Lord. David, you are the one of the children Lillie and I knew best from you time with us at Westside. That was so long ago. Bill Dudley

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**Bill Dudley** - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Our sincere sympathy is with the Etter Family. However, we're confident your faith will sustain you during these days of grief. Blessings on you.

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**Twila Smith** - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ We will miss Uncle Guy, his laugh and his wit. Our thoughts and prayers are with Aunt Mary and all the family.

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**Kathy & Richard Houston** - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Aunt Mary and cousins; Jill and I are praying for you as you grieve the loss of your husband and dad. Isn't it great to know that our separation is only for a little while and soon, we will be reunited with ALL of our loved ones! Duane McCormick

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**Duane McCormick** - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM