



Billy Joe Yates

November 13, 1927 - January 28, 2009

YATES, Billy Joe, of DeSoto, Missouri, was born November 13, 1927, in Booneville, Mississippi, to Charlie E. and Martha F. (nee Moore) Yates, and entered into rest, Wednesday, January 28, 2009, at The Villas, in DeSoto, Missouri, was born 81 years, 2 months and 15 days.

He is preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Mary L. (nee Estes) Yates, and three (3) siblings, Cullen Yates, Gale Yates and Mary Ann Crowe.

He is survived by five (5) children, Roger (Bonnie) Yates, of DeSoto, Missouri, Greg (Marsha) Yates, of Cedar Hill, Missouri, Bert (Renee) Yates, of Cedar Hill, Missouri, Gary (Nancy) Yates, of Cedar Hill, Missouri and Mark (Robin Thompson) Yates, of Chesterfield, Missouri, eight (8) grandchildren, Shannon Murray, Amy Yates, Amanda Yates, Stuart Yates, Nicole Yates, Brian Yates, Haley Yates, and Caitlin Yates, two (2) great-grandchildren, Madelyn Murray and Cooper Murray, one (1) brother, David Yates, of Blackland, Mississippi, and many other relatives and friends.

Billy enjoyed being a teacher for Northwest R-I School District. He was an avid baseball fan and liked gardening, however his most precious moments were those spent with family. Billy is fondly remembered and will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Visitation Monday, February 2, 2009, from 2-9 p.m. at CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, MO 63016. Service Tuesday, February 3, 2009, 10 a.m. at Chapel Hill Mortuary. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Contributions to Make a Wish Foundation, 1324 N. Rock Hill Road, St. Louis, MO 63124 or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1942.

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