

DELVIS FAY BURRIS

1924-2009



DECATUR: Delvis Fay Burris, 84, of Decatur died on Sunday, May 10, 2009 in Decatur.

Delvis was born April 24, 1924 in Snyder, Texas to Ernest and Dessie (Merritt) Burris. He married Billie Sue (Wood) on March 9, 1949 in Paris, Texas. He was a retired mechanic. He served in the United State Navy during WWII.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Billie Sue Burris of Fort Worth; three sons, Gary Dale Burris and wife, Traci of Waller, Texas; Michael Burris and wife, Marlane of Bridgeport; Brent Burris and wife, Karla of Liberty, Texas; daughter, Kay Waters and husband, Jimmy of Decatur; 17 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; brother, Garvin Burris; two sisters, Ethlyn Garnett and Sue Daniels.

Delvis is preceded in death by three brothers, John, Merritt and L.A. Burris; two sisters, Ermogene Sanders and Ernestine Dockery.

Funeral service is 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 13, 2009 at the Pleasant View Baptist Church in Bridgeport, with Reverend Gary Demmitt and Reverend Glen Smith officiating. Interment will follow the service at Thomas Cemetery.

Pallbearers are Cody Burris, Joshua Burris, Bryan Burris, Caleb Burris, Seth Burris, Nathan Burris, Tyler Waters and Joel Burris.

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