



Ed Prince Briggs

April 6, 1927 - January 2, 2021

Ed Prince Briggs, 93, of Vernon, formerly of Bessemer, went to be with the Lord January 2, 2021. A graveside service will be held at Cedar Hill Cemetery in Bessemer at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 6, 2021. Bessemer Brown Service Funeral Home will be directing. He was preceded in death by his parents, John Carlile Briggs and Lucy Foote Briggs; his siblings, John C. Briggs, Jr., and Billy Briggs, and a grandson, Ed Wayne Briggs, Jr. He is survived by his sons, Ed Wayne Briggs (Joeva) and Randy Briggs; his grandchildren, Leigh Ann Morgan (Aaron), Chasen Grace Heberling (Justin); his great grandchildren, McKinley Chase Morgan, Michael Briggs Morgan, Kyler Lee Heberling, Anna Chase Herberling, Edwyn Emerson Heberling, Kadence, Kenzie and Brayden Moore, Havan, Hannah and Jessie Connell; his beloved sister, Elinor Briggs Armstrong and a host of nieces and nephews. Mr. Briggs served his country in WWII and worked for the Jefferson County Highway Department. He enjoyed a long retirement on his cattle farm in Vernon, AL. He was a faithful member of Oakhill United Methodist Church in Vernon. Pallbearers will be Michael Morgan, McKinley Morgan, Kyler Herberling, Larry Joe Thompson and Charles Gill.

Tribute Wall

RS

“ Papa Ed, You were a great step-dad to me. I remember you gave me an air popcorn popper for one of our first Christmas. You had it popping that Christmas morning. You knew how much I loved popcorn. You helped me get my first car and gave me away at my first wedding. Thank you for being there for me when I was a teenager. You were a good man. Till we meet again, Fly high Papa Ed.

Reba Schmitz - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

KD

“ Papa Ed , I will miss you . I didn't come see you often , but I thought of you all the time . ❤️ I loved our talks on the phone . You were the only granddad the kids knew . Keith & Kraig loved you too . Say hey to Kraig for me . He will be so glad to welcome you .

Kristy Driver - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

AW

“ You were always Popaw Ed to us growing up. You were the only grandpa I knew. Loved all the summers and holidays we spent together. I am going to miss you so much. Love you Popaw...until I see you again.

Ashley (Brannan) West - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

TL

“ Papa Ed , you were a good step dad and the best Papa Ed to my kids, Brandy n Chris. We lived right across the yard and you took up time with them and spoiled them. They loved you. There were lots of unforgettable memories made on the farm. Rest in peace. Until We will meet again.

Teresa Lee - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

GH

“ Poppa Ed , I pray your at peace an happy . I know you loved all these kids . David ,Ashley, Kimberly you'll always be Grandpa to them. Love you and miss you Poppa . Love you
Ginger💕🌹

Ginger Rene Noland Harper - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

JS

“ Paw paw Ed, \r\n\r\nI am going to miss you so much and I will cherish every single memory I was able to share with you. I will always love you with all of my heart.

Jessica Schmitz - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM