



Guy V. Knighton, Jr.

February 26, 1928 - November 7, 2014

Guy V. Knighton, Jr., of Bessemer, AL passed away November 7, 2014. Mr. Knighton was a member of Canaan Baptist Church on Morgan Road, Bessemer. He retired from ACIPCO after 37 years of service. He was discharged after 7 years of service in the United States Marine Corp. Mr. Knighton was a WW II and Korean War veteran; he was a life time member of the "Chosen Few Organization", a member of the Marine Corp League, The Veterans of Foreign Wars, The Purple Hearts Association, The American Legion, and The Disabled American Veterans Association. His medals and service awards include: The Purple Heart, The China Service Medal, The Victory Medal (WW II), National Defense Service Medal, Korean Service Medal (Three Stars), United Nation Korean Service and Korean Medal (awarded by the Korean Government). Guy is preceded in death by his parents, Guy V. Knighton, Sr. and Nell McMurry Knighton; sister and Brother – in-law Virginia Knighton Russo and Pete Russo of Houston, Texas. He is survived by his wife, Ann "Bettye"; sons Levy C. (Deborah) Langford, Fred (Laura) Knighton, Scott Knighton, Allen (Christi) Langford and Andrew Langford; daughters, Nancy Cauthon (Cary), Anita Green (Mike), Brenda Gregg (Bill), and Lois Fullington; twenty-one grandchildren; fifteen great-grandchildren; and brother, William E. (Jane) Knighton. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at Bessemer Brown Service Funeral Home with burial in Highland Memorial Gardens. Bro. Morgan Bailey officiating. Visitation will be held prior to the service from 1:00 p.m. until

2:00 p.m.