



## .Allen Ray Slate

December 17, 1932 - November 28, 2022

Age 89 of Cottontown passed away Monday, November 28, 2022 at Skyline Medical Center. He was born December 17, 1932 in Nashville, TN to Joe Bennett & Hazel Clark Slate. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. and was of the Unitarian faith. He worked as a Math Professor for Bakersfield College before his retirement. Dr. Slate enjoyed traveling, vegetable gardening, working advanced crossword puzzles, and reading. He was also very talented in updating the property he owned. He could take a room and completely renovate it into something beautiful. He is preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Billy and Eugene; sister, Betty. He is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Jo Ann Slate, Cottontown, TN; daughter, Laurie Slate. Bakersfield, CA; son, Kenneth Slate, Oxnard, CA; grandchildren, Natasha Andrade, Nicole Mulholland and Naomi Burger; great grandchildren, Sophie, Ky, Steven and Nathan. A graveside committal service with military honors will be conducted on Tuesday, December 13, 2022 at 1pm in Middle Tennessee Veteran's Cemetery. There is no scheduled visitation. A memorial service is being planned for the spring. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions are encouraged to an educational institution of your choice. ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO AUSTTIN & BELL 533 Highway 76 White House, TN 37188 (615)672-5000 [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com)

Cemetery

Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery

7931 McCrory Ln  
Nashville TN 37221-5704  
US  
(615) 532-2238

Committal Service and Burial  
Tuesday, December 13, 2022  
1:00 PM -  
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Funeral Home Austin & Bell Funeral Home White House  
533 TN-76  
White House TN - 37188  
US  
615-672-5000  
615-672-1274

# Tribute Wall

JU

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to Jo Ann & Family. Allen & Jo Ann were dear neighbors on New Chapel, we have missed them so through the years. Our love & prayers from all the Tabb family.*

June - December 12, 2022 at 01:55 PM

JT

“ *Lit a candle in memory of .Allen Ray Slate*

June & Marvin Tabb - December 12, 2022 at 01:28 PM

MA

“ *Allen was a wonderful person and those of us who knew him, however slightly, are better for knowing him. My heart goes out to Jo Ann and his family.*

Michelle Adcock - December 08, 2022 at 10:25 AM

PS

“ *Uncle Allen has a permanent place in my heart as well. My childhood memories of his patience with me, and his math lessons to me are special. He set an example of a life well lived. Pat Slate*

Pat Slate - December 02, 2022 at 02:03 PM

SD

“ *Truly blessed to have Allen Slate as my Uncle. Most kind hearted gentleman I think about my childhood and he was apart of the reason I had the best. Until we see each other again Love you Uncle Allen heart*

Sissy Hulan Dowlen - December 01, 2022 at 03:40 PM

BW

“ Wonderful man and neighbor. Prayers for the family. The Worsham family

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**Bridget Worsham** - December 01, 2022 at 10:45 AM

AH

“ .Allen Ray Slate

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**Austin and Bell Funeral Home** - August 14, 2022 at 09:38 AM

CP

“ Dr. Slate was my math professor at Bakersfield College in the mid-late 80s. He was so patient with me and a few others which helped us immensely. He was one of my favorite professors with his patience and gentle manner.

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**Clark Peters** - February 20, 2022 at 01:56 PM