



John M. Covington

December 2, 1919 - October 7, 2013

John M. Covington, age 93, of Cross Plains, passed away Monday, October 7, 2013 at Alive Hospice at Skyline Madison Campus. A Graveside service will be held on Wednesday, October 9, 2013 at 2pm in the Cross Plains Cemetery. Burial will follow immediately with Neal Lovelace, Jarrett Somerville, Jeff Yates, Steve Yates, Ernest Yates and Larry Crocker serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers are Tommy Austin, Tommy McCleod, Gerald Head, Ronnie Head, Robert Echols and David McCleod. Visitation with the family will be held at the Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield on Tuesday, October 8, 2013 from 4-8pm and again Wednesday from 10am until 1:30pm.

Mr. Covington was born December 2, 1919 in Cross Plains to the late Robert and Verna McMillian Covington. He was a dairy farmer and member of the Cross Plains Methodist Church.

In addition to his parents Mr. Covington is preceded in death by his wife, Royce Luton Covington, two brothers and seven sisters. He is survived by his daughter, Debbie Somerville of Cross Plains; grandchildren, Neal Lovelace, Kala Hunn and Jarrett (Sinisha) Somerville; great-grandchildren, Olivia Hunn, Addison Hunn and Dayton Somerville; and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorial contributions be made to the Cross Plains Methodist Church Building Fund and may be sent in c/o Austin & Bell.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME- 509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

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“ *I work with Jarrett and he spoke very high about his granddad. Our thoughts and prayers are with him and the entire family during this time.*

Troy & Vickie Hurt

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