



Phillip Hunter

April 22, 1930 - September 11, 2011

Phillip Hunter, age 81, of Springfield, passed away Sunday, September 11, 2011 at NorthCrest Medical Center. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, September 14, 2011 at 1pm in the chapel of the Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield with Brother Ted Ingram officiating. Burial will follow in the Robertson County Memorial Gardens with full military honors. Serving as pallbearers will be Wayne Hunter, Jerry Johnson, Johnny Joyce, David Henderson, Jim Medd and Tommy Williams. Visitation was held at the funeral home on Tuesday, September 13, 2011 from 4-8pm and again Wednesday morning from 11am until the time of service. Mr. Hunter was born April 22, 1930 in Robertson County to the late Walter Hunter and Margaret James Hunter Buchanan. He worked as a Shipping Clerk at Electrolux for many years and was a member of the Cross Roads Baptist Church. Mr. Hunter was also a member of the Coopertown Men's Club and he loved to play his harmonica and guitar for people. In addition to his parents Mr. Hunter is preceded in death by his brothers, James Hunter, Robert Hunter and Gilbert Hunter and his sister, Elizabeth "Lib" Moore. He is survived by his wife of over 59 years, Ann Williams Hunter; sons, Walter Keith Hunter of Pleasant View and Alex Gregory (Laura) Hunter of Hendersonville; daughter, Phylis Lynn (George) West of Springfield; sisters, Marjorie (Ben) Shearon of Chapmansboro and Dollie (Frank) Mitchell of Springfield; grandchildren, James Stephen Highsmigh, Stephanie Dawn Highsmith Evans, Michelle Lea Brooks, Jason Gregory Hunter, William Alexander Hunter and Laura Beth

Hunter; and great-grandchildren, James Lawson Highsmith, Emma Jayden Evans, Jayda, Tahlia and Isaiah Brooks.

AUSTIN & BELL SPRINGFIELD is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ We were so sorry to hear Mr. Hunter had passed away. My son (William) and I were just getting to know him. We already felt like we had known him a long time because he was so sweet and kind to us. We enjoyed the time we spent with him at Honest Joe's and last week in Nortonville KY. He had such a good time every where he went. He loved music and loved to play and teach others his talent. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Penny and William Bagby

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