Joyce Lee "Kink" Laney(1929 - 2016)



Maiden- Joyce Lee "Kink" Laney, 86, of Maiden, went home to be with his Heavenly Father on Sunday morning January 3, 2016 at The Hospice House of Sherrill's Ford. Born September 27, 1929, he was the son of the late James Beverly "Bet" Laney and the late Mattie Hovis Laney.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 42 years of Lois Frye Laney, and 2 brothers, Fred Neal Laney and James Truitt "Cotton" Laney.

He was a life-time member of Center View Baptist Church where he served many years as a deacon, Sunday School teacher and choir member and was also an Army veteran of the Korean war. Kink was a retired shipping manager at Broyhill Industries.

He was an avid sports fan, especially baseball, having played several years in the minor leagues, including the Maryville-Alcoa Twins, 1953 champions of the Mountain States League.

He is survived by his son, Michael Laney, two brothers Dan and Harold Laney, all of Maiden, and his special friend, Ms. Geneva "Sis" Hovis of Matthews, NC, along with a host of nieces, nephews, extended family, loving friends and neighbors.

Funeral services will be conducted on Wednesday, January 6, 2016 at 4:00 pm at Center View Baptist Church in Maiden with Rev. Glenn Sellers officiating.

Burial will follow in the Church cemetery.

The family will receive friends prior to the service from 2:00 pm to 3:45 pm at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Catawba Regional Hospice or Gideons International.

Visit www.burkemortuary.com to register your condolences.

Burke Mortuary in Maiden is serving the Laney family.

Funeral Home

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