C. Raymond Jenkins

C. Raymond Jenkins, 84, of Centreville, died Friday, Feb. 24, 2017 at his residence.   
  
Visitation will be from noon to 2 p.m. Sunday at Newman Funeral Home in Centreville, with service and burial to follow.   
  
Mr. Jenkins was born on Feb. 10, 1933, to Charlie and Lessie Hickman Jenkins, and was raised in the Alexandria, La. area.   
  
He married Ann Herrin on June 6, 1953. After working for the railroad in Louisiana, he and his family moved in 1971 to Centreville, where he was a ranch foreman and later retired from Crown Zellerbach.   
  
Mr. Jenkins was a veteran of the United States Army where he was a member of the Army baseball team. He was also a member of the Alexandria Aces, a minor-league baseball team.   
  
He was an avid fisherman, hunter and sportsman. Whether he was coaching, cheering, or dragging the arena for a rodeo, he was always involved in his children and grandchildren's lives.   
  
Mr. Jenkins was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Marlene Jenkins Overland.   
  
He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Ann Jenkins of Centreville; children Marty (Leanne) Jenkins of Centreville, Christy (Rickey) Havard of Gloster, Chuck (Denise) Jenkins of Centreville, and Will (Jayne) Jenkins of Baton Rouge; grandchildren Amy (Michael) Montet, Brad (Brooke) Havard, Ray Jenkins, Carley Jenkins and fiancé Jay Bergeron, Cody Jenkins, Chip (Jade) Jenkins, Rich Havard, Olivia Jenkins, Chad Jenkins and Emma Jenkins; and great-grandchildren; Brayden, Braxden, and Bryson Havard and McKaela Jenkins.   
  
Family would like to extend their heartfelt thanks to Shannon Montgomery, caretaker, and Dana Fortinberry, Lori Bell and Sadie Johnson as well as the rest of the wonderful staff at Camellia Hospice.



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