



Hurman Kenneth "Ken" Culbreth

June 16, 1927 - August 28, 2014

Hurman Kenneth Culbreth, 87, of Asheville, passed away surrounded by his family on the evening of August 28, 2014. He was born in Columbus, NC and lived in the Asheville area for most of his life.

Mr. Culbreth was the son of Mattie Rayburn Culbreth and Furman Culbreth. He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 61 years, Margaret Garland Culbreth and his precious grandson, Andrew John Lewis, who passed away suddenly in 2006 at age 15.

Ken served in the United States Navy in Guam during World War II. He retired from the United States Postal Service as a Postal Clerk and began a career as a Real Estate Broker. He was the author of four books about his life experiences. He was a member of Beaverdam Baptist Church.

Mr. Culbreth is survived by his daughter, Brenda Culbreth Lewis and her husband, Samuel Lewis; his grandchildren and their families: David and his wife, Leslie and their children, Morgan, Camden and Adelyn; Aleica and her husband, Brian their and children, Savannah and Mallory; James and his wife, Melissa their and children, John Parker and Bentley; Samantha and her husband Greg and their daughter Charlotte, and youngest grandson, Elisha Lewis. He is also survived by his brother, Jack Culbreth and his wife Jo of Raleigh, NC along with many other family members.

A private graveside service will be held at Lewis Memorial Park later this week. Donations may be made to Beaverdam Baptist Church Youth Fund, 399 Beaverdam Rd. Asheville, NC 28804.

Tribute Wall



“ Hurman Kennith "Ken" Culbreth

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ Brenda and family! I am soooo sorry for your loss!!! I have missed all of you!!! Uncle Ken was always so funny and I truly enjoyed his books and stories!!! May God give all of you Peace and Comfort during this sad time!! I Love You, Kathy Jackson Gallagher

kathy gallagher - August 31, 2014 at 04:04 PM



“ Brenda and family,
I am sorry for your loss. Your Dad, and Granddad was a very kind, gentle and honorable man who will be missed by all that knew him. My thoughts and prayers for each of you, hoping God will give you the comfort you need during this time of sadness.
Lynn McGeary-Wood and family

Lynn McGeary-Wood - August 31, 2014 at 10:55 AM



“ Marie and I are saddened to hear of the passing of Ken. We know the emptiness in your hearts but know that God will comfort and lead you through this time of sorrow and that there is rejoicing in Heaven as Ken arrives home.

Dennis & Marie McMahan - August 31, 2014 at 08:00 AM