



Mr. John Neal Pyatt

July 27, 1920 - December 4, 2011

John Neal Pyatt, 91, died Sunday, December 4 at The Residences at Park Place in Seneca, SC. A US Navy Veteran of WWII, he was a native of McDowell County and the son of the late John and Margaret Byrd Pyatt.

Neal was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Robinson Pyatt, a sister, Eppie Williamson, and brothers, Frank Pyatt and Joe Pyatt. He is survived by a son David R. Pyatt and wife Betts of Charlotte; daughter Alice Hageman and husband David of Westminster, SC; grandchildren Shelley Calhoun and husband Patrick of Raleigh, Shannon Richards and husband Peter of Charlotte, Paige Bergenthal and husband David of Greenville, SC, Ashley Ware and husband Keith of Jefferson, GA; great grandchildren Reid and McRae Calhoun, Addison and Braxton Richards, Hailey and Davis Bergenthal, Mason, Mallory and Maddie Ware, and sister Floy Cannon of Marion.

Friends and family are invited to the graveside service 10:00 a.m., Thursday, December 8 at Ashlawn Gardens of Memory. A memorial service will follow at Merrimon Avenue Baptist Church at 11:00 a.m. with Dr. Daniel Dockery officiating. The family will receive friends following the memorial service.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that contributions be made to Merrimon Avenue Baptist Church 283 Merrimon Ave., Asheville, NC 28801.

Cemetery Details

Ashelawn Gardens of Memory

901 Aiken Road
Asheville, NC 28804

Previous Events

Service

DEC 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

Ashelawn Gardens of Memory
901 Aiken Road
Asheville, NC 28804

Service

DEC 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

Merrimon Avenue Baptist Church
283 Merrimon Avenue
Asheville, NC 28801
<http://mabaptist.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. John Neal Pyatt*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *David, Alice and Family,
Please know that we share your sorrow and were really advantaged
to know and fellowship with Neal for many years. Blessings to all in
the family*

Bob and Linda Legg

Bob Legg - December 15, 2011 at 12:23 PM



“ *David, Alice and Family,
Neal was such a wonderful Christian man and
a true friend to my family. What wonderful
memories of all the vacations our families
took together! And those few months inwhich
I had the priviledge of helping him was very special.
What a glorious homecoming he must have had with Ruth and all
his family and friends that went before him.
We will remember all of you in prayer during this time of loss. May
God give you peace and comfort.*



Kenneth & Janice Gosnell Bass and Family

Janice Bass - December 08, 2011 at 11:08 AM

DB

“ *David & Family,*

My condolences to you and yours.

*Danny Beauchamp
Washington, DC*

Danny Beauchamp - December 08, 2011 at 08:59 AM

MB

“ *Neal was a true christian, you could see the light of Jesus in him wherever he was , kinda like the saying, I'd rather see a sermon than hear one, he was like that, such a humble person, he will be missed by all . May God give you all comfort at this sad time.
God bless all of you, Marie Ball.*

marie ball - December 07, 2011 at 11:04 PM

 Jon
Gibson

“ *Neal was such an incredible man of God whose walk with the Lord was evident in every step that he took. He was a man committed to prayer and an example to all who knew him. May God bless you, his family, as you grieve. We do not grieve as those without hope.
Jonathan Gibson*

Jon Gibson - December 07, 2011 at 08:57 PM

RH

“ *Mr. Neal was my hero and such a wonderful Christian role model. He was always kind to everyone. He will be sorely missed but I know he is having a grand time in Heaven. Mu heartfelt condolences. Renea Hawkins*

Renea Hawkins - December 07, 2011 at 07:57 PM

CV

“ We always held Neal in such high regard and respected him particularly as a true man of God. When I (Claude) started work at Mars Hill College he helped me make a very momentous, life changing decision; his wisdom was invaluable. Pat and I are in Florida and unable to attend services. You will be in our thoughts and prayers. Pat and Claude

Claude Vess - December 06, 2011 at 01:15 PM