



Samuel C Rooks

July 17, 1933 - November 18, 2011

Funeral services for Samuel Clellan Rooks age 78 of Eastaboga, AL will be held on Saturday, November 26, 2011, 12:00 PM in the chapel of Miller Funeral Home. The family will receive friends on Saturday, November 26, 2011, 10 AM until 12 PM at the funeral home. Mr. Rooks died on November 18, 2011 at Regional Medical Center. Survivors include his wife of 46 years, Betty Louise Petsche Rooks, son, Richard Rooks and his wife Susan, brother, Donald Rooks and his wife Patty, sister in law, Joan Forbes and her husband Norman, step children, Cindy Smith and her husband Dick, Greg Cimarossa , Steve Cimarossa and his wife June, 15 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, many nieces and nephews, friends and relatives. Sam will be greatly missed as he never meet a stranger. Mr. Rooks had a quadruple bi-pass in 1998, a stroke in 2007 which resulted in a speech impairment, and had been in failing health for the past three months. Mr. Rooks served in the Air Force as an aircraft mechanic at Carswell Air Force Base in the 11th Bomb Wing B 36 Bomber Squadron at Fort Worth, TX. Mr. Rooks was a small business owner of grading-heavy equipment company, a pawn shop and was an over the road truck driver for many years. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations can be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105.