

*Those we Love can never be
more than a thought away...
For as Long as there's a memory,
they Live in our hearts to stay.*



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In Loving Memory
of



Ray Nelson
Ezzell



June 18, 1940 ~ April 28, 2017

Memorial Service
for
Ray Nelson Ezzell



Wednesday, May 2, 2017 ~ 2:00 pm
Evergreen Baptist Church
63 E. Magnolia-Lisbon Rd., Rose Hill
Officiating ~ Dr. Jimmy Brown & Rev. Ray Eaton

Family Processional.....
Welcome & Invocation..... Dr. Brown
Special Music.....
"Peace in the Valley"
Scripture Reading..... Psalm 23 & Psalm 91
Special Music.....
"Heaven was Needing a Hero"
Eulogy & Personal Reflections.....
Special Music.....
"This is Not Goodbye"
Benediction..... Rev. Eaton
Military Honors.....
Family Recessional.....

Ray Nelson Ezzell, 76, of 11351 Taylors Bridge Hwy., passed away on Friday, April 28th, 2017 at Lower Cape Fear Hospice of Wilmington. Born in 1940 in New Hanover County, Ray was the son of the late James Moody and Lila Alderman Ezzell. He was a Veteran of the U.S. Army, and member of the 82nd Airborne, American Legion of Wallace, Hiram Lodge #98 AF & AM, York Rite of Wilmington and the Sudan Temple of New Bern. Ray spent many years with the telephone company and retired as a computer programmer. Ray is survived by his wife: Charlotte Kroell Ezzell of the home; one daughter: Caroline Pratt and husband, Jamie of Bristol, TN.; three sons: Jeffrey Ezzell of Bristol, TN., Douglas Ezzell of Dunn and Stephen Ezzell of the home; nine grandchildren: Tanner Ezzell, Kacy Ezzell, Tessa Ezzell, Jarrett Harlan-Ezzell, Dakota Harlan-Ezzell, Jette Harlan-Ezzell, Dodge Harlan-Ezzell, Kylie Pratt and Jacob Pratt; two great-grandchildren: Carson Harlan-Ezzell & Hayden Ezzell. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, James A. Ezzell and his sister, Mary Ezzell Glenn. In lieu of flowers, memorials be made to Evergreen Baptist Church in Honor of Ray Ezzell: 63 E. Magnolia-Lisbon Rd. Rose Hill, NC 28458.



The Ezzell Family would like to express their appreciation for your many acts of kindness shown to them and also by your presence at his service today.