



Mr. Thomas E. "Buster" Bunch

June 13, 1923 - November 20, 2012

Funeral services for Mr. Thomas E. "Buster" Bunch, age 89, are scheduled for 10 AM, Saturday, November 24, 2012 at First United Methodist Church in Lexington with Rev. Larry Daniel officiating. Interment will follow in Lexington Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday, from 1 – 9 PM at Pafford Funeral Home in Lexington. Mr. Bunch passed away Tuesday in Lexington. He was born June 13, 1923 in Lexington to the late Thomas Bryan and Eddie Sue Hall Bunch. He was a WWII Veteran serving in the U. S. Air Force in India and Tinian. He was in the Bomber Support group that loaded bombs onto planes for raids on the Japanese islands. He was on Tinian when the Enola Gay and Bockscar took off carrying atomic bombs to Hiroshima and Nagasaki. He was a member of the American Legion and the VFW. He was a 32nd degree Mason and the longest continuous serving member of First United Methodist Church in Lexington. Mr. Bunch was former Chairman of the Lexington Gas & Water Board, a former Director of Central State Bank, and a longtime Rotarian, receiving the Paul Harris Fellow Award. He was a retired Lexington Postmaster. Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Mrs. Edwina Porter Bunch, two sons, Porter (Susie) Bunch and Bryan (Winnie) Bunch, two sisters, Betty Hall Walker and Jo Ann Armstrong, all of Lexington, and three grandchildren, Tom (Lori) Bunch of Huron, Drew (Rhonnie Janoe) Bunch of Murfreesboro, and Sara Bunch of Lexington. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the First United Methodist Church or the VFW Post in Lexington, TN.

Cemetery Details

Lexington Cemetery

Natchez Trace Drive
Lexington, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 23. 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Lexington, TN
71 Monroe Ave.
Lexington, TN

Church Service

NOV 24. 10:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
Church Street
Lexington, TN

Tribute Wall

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“ *BRIAN, WINNIE, DREW AND SARA I'M SO SORRY FOR ALL OF YOU. GOD HAS TAKEN ANOTHER ANGEL HOME. LOVE YOU GUYS. AUNT BARB.* ”



Barbara A. Reed - November 26, 2012 at 09:37 PM

KH

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Buster was a fine man. You and all the family will be in our thoughts and prayers.* ”

K. Layne Hall - November 21, 2012 at 03:28 PM

DT

“ *Sorry to hear of Mr. Bunch's passing. He was a sweet man and we all enjoyed taking care of him, Prayers for your family.* ”

Diane Tucker - November 21, 2012 at 02:47 PM

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“ *Imogene & Fred Frye lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas E. "Buster" Bunch* ”



Imogene & Fred Frye - November 20, 2012 at 07:27 PM

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Our condolences to the family in the loss of Buster. Lifting you all up in prayer.

Imogene & Fred Frye - November 20, 2012 at 07:29 PM



So sorry to hear about Buster. The family has our deepest sympathy.

Opal Hall White, Howard and Jeannetta Tignor, Tom and Patsy Dillingham, George and Katie Foster, and Keith and Linda Gray - November 28, 2012 at 12:39 PM

Jeannetta Tignor - November 28, 2012 at 01:44 PM