



Edgar Myles Earley, Jr.

May 18, 2024

Edgar Myles Earley, Jr., age 78 passed away in his home on May 18, 2024, following a lengthy battle with Alzheimer's. Born in Tupelo, Mississippi, he served in the United States Navy on the USS Saratoga and was a resident of Tallahassee for 52 years. More commonly known as Eddie, Papa, or "Henry," he and his wife Cynthia owned Henry's Meats & Earley's Kitchen for over 30 years. Eddie was a faithful member and deacon of Immanuel Baptist Church. He was a member of Toastmasters and organized the 4-H Tropicana Speech Contest for 25 years. He was also a member of North Florida Woodturners and was the drummer for the Monticello Country Jamboree for several years.

Eddie is survived by his wife Cynthia of 55 years; son Scott Earley (Carla); daughter Lenae Trexler (Sean); grandchildren Rebekah Earley (fiancé Gavin), David Earley, and Riley Trexler; brothers Steve Earley and Johnny Earley (Connie); sisters Sheila Cox and Traci Tyree (Gregg); and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Myles and Etoyle Earley, and brother Ronnie (Bonita Gainer).

The family will be receiving guests for a visitation at Immanuel Baptist Church on Friday, May 24, 2024 from 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM with a funeral service to immediately follow at 12:00 PM. A committal service will be held at Tallahassee National Cemetery at 2:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Florida Baptist Disaster Relief.

Rocky Bevis of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193 or www.bevisfh.com) is assisting the family with their arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee National Cemetery

5015 Apalachee Parkway
Tallahassee, FL 32311

Previous Events

Committal Service

MAY 24. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Cynthia, I am so sorry to hear of Eddie's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your Family.

Sadie P Dixon

Sadie P Dixon - May 24, 2024 at 11:26 AM

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“ Our condolences on Eddie's passing but we know he has received his heavenly reward. Our love to the Cynthia and the family as you mourn his passing and for the care and comfort you provided to Eddie.

Rick and Melanie Jernigan

Rick Jernigan - May 22, 2024 at 08:15 AM