



## Henry Rawls Jr.

February 4, 1936 - July 5, 2017

Henry Rawls, Jr. age 81, entered into rest July 5, 2017. Henry was born in Tallahassee and was a longtime resident. He was a graduate of Leon High School and Florida State University where he earned his degree in criminology. Henry earned his Master's Degree from Troy State University. He was a veteran having served in the U.S. Army in Korea. After college, Henry was employed with the Florida Parole Commission. He then moved to Montgomery, Alabama where he was employed with the U.S. District Court, eventually serving as Chief Probation Officer. He ended his professional career with the Juvenile Justice Department in Tallahassee. Henry was preceded in death by his parents Henry S. and Beatrice Allen Rawls. Survivors include his wife of 55 years, Patricia S. Rawls; loving daughter Elizabeth Kimberly Rawls; sister Judy R. Floyd all of Tallahassee. The family will receive friends Friday, July 7, 2017 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Bevis Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 8, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at East Hill Baptist Church with burial at Oakland Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to East Hill Baptist Church, 912 Miccosukee Road, Tallahassee, FL 32308 or the charity of your choice. Susie Mozolic of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the family with their arrangements. ([www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com) 850-385-2193)

# Cemetery Details

## Oakland Cemetery

838 N Bronough St  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory  
200 John Knox Rd  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 385-2193

## Funeral Service

JUL 8. 10:30 AM (ET)

East Hill Baptist Church  
912 Miccosukee Road  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

# Tribute Wall

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“ It was my pleasure to work with Henry in the U.S. District Courts, Middle District of Alabama, in Montgomery, from 1978 to 1994. He served as Chief Probation Officer during my term as United States Attorney. Henry was an outstanding Probation Chief in every respect. I remember him best by his dry- but powerful - sense of humor. He will be missed by his many friends and colleagues.

*James Eldon Wilson  
Former United States Attorney  
Middle District of Alabama (1987-1994)*

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**James Eldon Wilson** - July 11, 2017 at 09:01 AM

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“ Leroy & June Campbell, Lois Goodsmith, and Evelyn McCall purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Henry Rawls Jr..



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**Leroy & June Campbell, Lois Goodsmith, and Evelyn McCall**  
- July 07, 2017 at 08:50 AM