



## W. T. MEDDERS

February 2, 2019

W T. Medders was born in Woodstock, Alabama, and lived in Hueytown the better part of his adult life.

He served in the U. S. Army from February 1943 through December 1945. He served with the 475th Infantry Regiment and participated in the Burma Campaign from August 1943 until the end of the Pacific conflict in 1945. He received the Bronze Star for meritorious combat actions. W T. retired from U. S. Steel in 1962. During his life he was very active in his community and church. He served many years as the Chairman of Deacons at Industrial City Baptist Church and; singing in the church choir. He was currently a member of Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church.

Survivors: Wife of 72 years Sarah Dailey Medders; Son, Bill Medders (Kathy); Daughter, Deborah Durham (Gary); Son, Trent Medders (Donna); Grandchildren: Stacey Andrews (Brent); Stephanie Scott (Craig); Meredith Rigby (Chad); Khris Duncan; Daniel Medders (Stefanie); Blake Medders (Stachia); Alison Papuga (Fred); Kellie Pulliam (Johnny); John Durham (Emily); Mark Durham; and Melinda Immel (Aaron). In addition to his 11 grandchildren he had 25 great grandchildren, 1 great-great grandchild, 1 sister, Ruth Sandlin and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

The visitation will be Tuesday, February 5, 2019, from 12:00 PM until 2:00 PM

at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church. The funeral service will be at 2:00 PM at the Church. Burial will follow at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Building Fund.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Theresa Smith lit a candle in memory of W. T. MEDDERS



Theresa Smith - February 05, 2019 at 05:54 PM

VK

“ I worked with W. T. for many years on the gate at Tannehill. In his 80s at the time, he could out work any of the young people there. I had so much respect and love for this gentleman and his wife, Sarah. You've earned your crown in heaven, W. T. ♡♡



Vicki Kes - February 05, 2019 at 11:15 AM

GH

“ W.T. was a neighbor and friend for many, many years. We will always remember his and Sarah's friendship and kindness to our family when we were all neighbors.

Gerald @ Peggy Hicks. - February 05, 2019 at 09:26 AM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of W. T. MEDDERS.



February 04, 2019 at 06:44 PM

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“ Sarah and family of W.T. --

*My mom and dad have been blessed for many years by the mentorship, friendship and family support W.T. and Sarah provided. This dates back to my parents early years as a married couple and holds a special place in their hearts and memories. We are incredibly saddened by his passing. While Milford and Martha are unable to travel for the service to express their condolences in person please know that our sympathies, thoughts and positive memories, and prayers are with all of you.*

*Ashley Pettit (daughter) on behalf of the family of Milford and Martha Lowrey*

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**Ashley A Pettit** - February 04, 2019 at 06:38 PM