



Larry B. Ellis

September 2, 2016

Larry B. Ellis, age 78, of West Point, MS passed away on Friday, September 2, 2016 after a lengthy illness, living with Alzheimer's for over a decade. He was preceded in death by his parents, E.B. and Mattie Ellis, and infant son, Larry Lee Ellis. He is survived by his wife of fifty-six years, Alice Lee Ellis; two daughters, Janet McClain of Douglasville, GA and Rose Dawkins (Robert) of Marietta, GA; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Larry was born August 17, 1938 in Gulfport, MS. While he served in the Marine Reserves for eight years as a "sharpshooter" and was a decorated marksman, most of his life was spent working in the steel fabrication industry. For over twenty years he owned and operated his own business, Ellis Welding and Truck Repair, retiring in 2002. A private celebration of his life will be held at a future date. Those wishing to contribute to Larry's memory may make a donation in his memory to the charity of their choice.

To express condolences, please sign our online guest book at www.flaniganfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by: Junior E. Flanigan of Flanigan Funeral Home and Crematory, Buford, GA (770) 932-1133.

Tribute Wall



“ *Larry B. Ellis*

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“ *Daddy will be missed always. He will be remembered, too. My father was a quiet man, voted both "Most Dignified" and "Most Timid" his senior year at Florence High School. He also always had a twinkle in his eye ready to find humor in the world around him or to make us laugh. He was a teacher by example showing patience, honesty, loyalty, laughter, fairness, bravery and kindness. He was a good man and a good father. Alzheimer's robbed bits and pieces over the long years he lived with it but he was polite and gentlemanly to the end to all: the strangers he met over and over again each day whether they were aids, nurses, other memory care staff or his children and grandchildren. He lost the ability to remember my mother's name and eventually lost his speech and the ability to say "my wife" but he always responded to Mom's face and voice. Love you always, Daddy.*

Rose Ellis Dawkins - September 08, 2016 at 12:00 AM