



Mr. Charles E. Balkcom

July 4, 1936 - August 17, 2017

Mr. Charles E. Balkcom, 81, of Sumner died Thursday, August 17, 2017 at his residence.

The funeral service will be held at 3:00 PM on Sunday, August 20, 2017 at Banks Funeral Home Chapel with interment to follow in the Sumner Cemetery. The Rev. Howard Vogan will officiate.

Mr. Balkcom was born on July 4, 1936 in Dale County, AL to the late William Burl Balkcom and Lula Mae Carden. He had lived in Worth County from 1971 until 1990 when he moved to Leesburg, FL where he lived until returning to Worth County in 2002. Mr. Balkcom was a Veteran who retired after 22 years of service to his country in the United States Navy including service in both Korea and Vietnam. He worked as a Warehouse Manager for ACC Distribution after leaving the Navy. Mr. Balkcom was active in his community serving as a former councilmember for the City of Sumner. He spent the last few years lovingly caring for his late wife, Judith, after she became ill. Mr. Balkcom attended Calvary Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors include his daughters, Tina Sizemore (Todd) and Sherry Hufstetler (Rodney), all of Sylvester; sons, Chuck Balkcom (Angie) of Leesburg and Danny Balkcom (Gina) of Sylvester; 8 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; 1 great-great-grandchild; sisters, Martha Dudley (James) of Catula, GA and Linda Burns (Keith) of Phenix City, AL; a number nieces and nephews; and his beloved dogs, Dixie and Goldie and his bird, Jo Jo.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Balkcom was preceded in death by his beloved

wife of 63 years, Judith Balkcom on April 28, 2017.

The family will receive friends on Sunday from 2:00 PM until the Service Hour at Banks Funeral Home.

Please sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Charles E. Balkcom*

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“ *I am so sorry to hear this! I guess he had waited long enough. It was time to go find Judy! Praying for peace in your hearts as you plan for his final resting place beside his love! Prayers for you in this time of mourning! Love to you from The Broadway's*

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