



Glenn E. Brumfield

GLENN E. BRUMFIELD, 88, a lifelong resident of Ceredo, recently residing at The Woodlands in Huntington, passed away Nov. 23. He was born Feb. 11, 1924, to the late James Jay Mitchell and Mattie Riggs Brumfield. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his only brother, James Frederick Brumfield; and daughter-in-law, Mary Jane Brumfield. After graduating from Ceredo-Kenova High School in 1943, he entered the U.S. Army. He subsequently served across the European Theater with the 748th H.Q. Co., Tank Bn., M.Sp. Unit, Third Army. He was discharged from the Army in January 1946. He returned home and married his high school sweetheart, Nell May, on June 7, 1946. He graduated from Marshall College in 1949, and began a career in the sporting goods business. In 1970, he founded Glenn's Sporting Goods at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Eleventh Street in Huntington, where it continues today. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Nell; three children, Glenn David Brumfield and his wife, Martha of Hurricane, W.Va., James William Brumfield of Ona, W.Va., Lynn Brumfield Adkins and her husband, Jerry of Lavalette, W.Va.; five grandchildren, Dr. Chris Brumfield of High Point, N.C., Dr. Gretchen Adkins Fowler and her husband, Dr. Chris Fowler of Greensboro, N.C., Jennifer Brumfield Rocawich and her husband, Mike, of Midlothian, Va., Mary Kathryn Brumfield Souto and her husband, Lee of Durham, N.C., Madeline R. Brumfield of Morgantown, W.Va.; four great-grandchildren, James Gavin Brumfield, Georgia Anne Brumfield, Ellen Glynn Fowler and Cole Marcel Souto. He was a member of the First Baptist Church

of Kenova and was a member of American Legion Post 93 in Kenova. He enjoyed Marshall athletics, the Cincinnati Reds, golf, and especially, time with family and friends. Rollins Funeral Home in Kenova is serving the family. Visitation is from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 26, at Rollins Funeral Home. The funeral will be held at the First Baptist Church of Kenova at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 27. Burial will follow at Woodmere Cemetery in Huntington. The family wishes to express their appreciation to the staffs at Woodlands Healthcare and the Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House for their care and support. In lieu of flowers, the family requests expressions of condolence be made to Hospice of Huntington, P.O. Box 464, Huntington, WV 25709, or Good Samaritan Food Pantry, 1523 Chestnut Street, Kenova, WV 25530.

Tribute Wall

RS

“ *My deepest sympathy to you, Jimmy, and your family. Know that my thoughts and prayers are with you.* ”

Rita Quillen Smith - January 09, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Our heart felt sympathy to the entire family.* ”

*Bill and Gail Porter Banks
Fairfield, Ohio*

Bill and Gail Banks - December 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ *We are so sorry to learn of Glenn's passing. He will be missed by all who knew him.* ”

Carroll & Patty Justice - December 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *My deepest sympathy for the loss of your father, Jimmy. He was a special person, loved and respected by many.* ”

Becky Wolford Babcock - December 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Nell, David, Jimmy, Lynn & family: I am so sad for your family; and for all who knew and loved Glenn. He was one fine man & will be missed by many! Having grown up in C-K with Jimmy & Lynn, having Nell as a teacher many years ago, and, of course, shopping at Glenn's all of these years... I am sad we have all lost such a grand guy!! All of you are in my thoughts and prayers!!* ”

Jan Sullivan - December 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ *Jim-Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Your father was always held in high regard and continues to be. It is our hope that healing comes soon.*

Downtown Huntington Partners - December 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ *Dear Nell,*

My thoughts and prayers are with you. This is a difficult time for all of your fine family. Glenn was a fine person who contributed so much to our community. My husband had great admiration and respect for him. Eddie loved to ask his predictions on the Marshall scores, and more often than not, Glenn was right. He meant a lot to both of us. I will miss him at Woodlands.

Betty - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *My deepest sympathy to the entire Brumfield family. Nell, I am sure you know how much he added to our good times in Florida, Cannan, golfing on our Grasshopper trips and other times together. He was a thoughtful and caring person and his being a part of our above group will remain forever in my memories. May all your good memories and faith in God help sustain you through this tragic time.*

Mary Kay Henderson - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VK

“ *So sorry for your loss. He was a very nice man .*

Valentina Keathley - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MQ

“ Glenn was a great friend to my late parents, Glenn & Carol Queen. Give my regards to Nell and family.

Mike Queen - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Our deepest sympathy to you and your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Ron and Lynda Bates - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Kindest regards and sympathy...

Jack Dennis - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Sending all my love to Nell, David, Martha, Jim (including your children, Jim), Lynn, Jerry, Gretchen and Madeline. I will miss Buck; you all have been a second family to me. Wish I were there to comfort.

Carla Harbour - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Glenn, I am sorry to hear about your Dad's passing. May you and all your Family have Strength through this difficult time. May your Dad find eternal peace with God. From your old Railroad buddy:
Pittsburgh Jim

Jim Carothers - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ Jim, so sorry to hear about your father, We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers. kathy and Steve

Kathy and Steve Turner - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ My thoughts and prayers to the family.

Patty Fuller-Nottingham - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ What an exemplary life! To be sooo well thought of, all through the years! My deepest condolences to this great family....may God grant you the peace and comfort you so deserve.

Sincere Sympathy,

*Judie Smith & son, Larry E. Smith, Jr.
Brent & Carol Smith, Jordan & Jordan Graffis and Pax Smith
Brad & Alys Smith, Payton and Devon*

Judie Smith, Sons and families - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ To the Brumfield family,

We are sad to learn of Glenn's passing. Through the years he would take time to ask how we were doing and was always interested and supportive. He was a good man and he will be missed.

Parker and Amy Ward

Parker and Amy Ward - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM