



Avan Jumper

November 11, 1931 - October 25, 2012

Mr. Avan Jumper, age 80, of Palestine, died Thursday at the Veterans Hospital in Memphis. His death came suddenly and unexpectedly.

Mr. Jumper was born November 11, 1931, in Palestine, and was the son of Claude Jumper and Lillie Cooper Jumper. He lived in Palestine all of his life, was a retired farmer and sales representative for Flippo Motors, was a Veteran of the Air Force, and was a member of the Twin Assembly of God Church in Palestine.

Mr. Jumper married Nellie Huckaba in 1957, and she survives him along with one son, Lavan Jumper of Palestine, one daughter, Becky Jumper Moore of Forrest City, three brothers; Clovis Jumper of Palestine, Derwood Jumper of Atlanta, Texas, and Joel 'Blackie' Jumper of West Helena, seven grandchildren, Angela Moore, Mary Leslie, Nicole Fought, Alisha Keith, Josh Jumper, Chandler Moore, and Brittney Jumper, and five great-grandchildren. He had five brothers and one sister who preceded him in death.

Services for Mr. Jumper will be held at the Twin Assembly of God Church in Palestine, 2:00 P.M., Saturday with burial in Bell Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday evening, 6:00 till 8:00 P.M., at the church with Stevens Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. You may log on to stevensfuneralhome.net for the on line registry.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Nellie, and all the Jumper family We are so sorry to hear about Avan. I have known him all my life. May the Lord comfort you all at this time, and remember there was rejoicing in heaven when he saw Jesus and all his family and friends.*

Marguerite Williams Gilmer - April 12, 2013 at 08:28 AM

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“ *So Sorry Becky, to hear about Mr avan. He was always nice to me when I worked @ FSA. Tell Mrs. Nellye, Nicole Chandlor, Lavan & Family, May GOD continue to bless you and your family and your are in my prayers.*

Audrey Steward - April 12, 2013 at 08:28 AM