



## John Gores

October 9, 1929 - July 10, 2009

Mr. John R. Gores, age 79, of Forrest City, died Friday at the Veterans Hospital in Little Rock. He had been in the hospital for the past three weeks.

Mr. Gores was born October 9, 1929 in Chicago, Illinois, and was the son of Henry Gores and Lora Downs Gores. He lived in St. Francis County most of his life, was an insurance salesman, a Veteran of the Korean War, and was a member of the Beckspur Baptist Church. He was very active in the veterans organizations and projects. He placed flags on veterans graves on Memorial Day and was active in the Poppy Program. He had served as Quarter Master of the V.F.W. And was a past commander of the V.F.W. Post 2869, and was a member of the American Legion and had served as Sergeant at Arms.

Mr. Gores married Dorothy 'Dot' Anderson on November 8, 1953 at the Beckspud Baptist Church. They had been married for fifty-five years. She survives him along with one son, Richard D. Gores of Forrest City, one daughter, Cindy Ward of Brighton, Tennessee, one brother, Ronnie Gores of Maryville, Tennessee, one sister, Pat Michels of Wooster, Ohio, three grandchildren; Stephen Hedrick, Patricia Irvin, and Jessica Krufft, and four great-grandchildren; Matthew Irvin, Caitlin Irvin, Elizabeth Irvin, and Jenna Krufft.

Services for Mr. Gores will be held at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel, 2:00

P.M., Tuesday, with burial in Forrest Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday evening 6:00 till 8:00 P.M., at Stevens Funeral Home with Stevens Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the on line registry.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dot I am so sorry to hear of your loss and am so thankful for John's service not only to our country but to the other men who have served as well. My prayers will be with you that you avail the grace and promises God has made to widows for He is faithful to care for us.*

---

April 12, 2013 at 08:30 AM



“ *WE THE KEITH FAMILY SEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO MRS. DOT AND RICHARD AND THE ENTIRE GORE FAMILY. MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL.*

---

July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dot  
I was so sorry to read about John's death in the Times Herald today. We want you to know that we have thought of you both often and the good times we had through the years. Robin called him JohnDot instead of just John. Will not be able to tell her about his passing at this time. Know that he was loved and remembered*

*Love and prayers to you and the family*

---

July 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for the loss. John was a very good man.*

---

July 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *May God be with you in your time of bereavement*

*Nita Curne*

---

July 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM