



Carey Leon Phares

September 24, 1924 - February 18, 2012

CAREY LEON PHARES. AGE 87

And a resident of Franklinton died at 8:13 pm Saturday February 18, 2012 at his home. He was a longtime member, deacon and treasurer of Bethel Baptist Church and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. Mr. Phares was retired from Southern Natural Gas as a plant supervisor and was instrumental in the formation of Washington Parish Fire District #1. He was a member of Franklinton's Masonic Lodge 101 F&AM and a 32nd degree Masonic Service will be conducted on Wednesday at 7 pm.

Survived by:

Wife of 59 years: Yvonne Fisher Phares of Franklinton Daughter and Son in law: Karen Phares Anderson and Dan Anderson of Smyrna, TN

2 Sons and Daughters in law: John Timothy Phares and Sharon Phares of Franklinton, Mark Jeffrey Phares and Robin Phares of Hamond

9 Grandchildren and Spouses: Chad Ryan Anderson and Leslie Anderson, April Anderson Mullican and Will Mullican, Shari Phares Graci and Eric Graci, Justin B. Phares, Ashley Shea Phares, Micah B. Phares, Heidi Nicole Phares, Edna Rose Phares, Elizabeth Ann Phares

2 Great-grandchildren: Jake Ryan Anderson and Jillian Elizabeth Anderson
Also numerous nieces and nephews

He was preceded in death by his parents Timothy E. Phares and Annie Lea Phares, a sister Matalee Brumfield, and brothers Steward Phares and Joe Phares

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home Wednesday February 22nd from 6 pm until 9 pm with Masonic Rites given at 7 pm. Visitation will continue at 9 am Thursday with a funeral service at 10 am in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Ralph Parks, Rev. Thomas Cobb, and Rev. Perry Porter officiating. Burial will follow in Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery.

Pallbearers: Timmy Phares, Sherman Phares, Bobby Phares, David Sylvest, Greg Lewis, Bill Lewis

Honorary Pallbearer: James Phares

Obituaries can be viewed online at www.crainfh.com

Tribute Wall

JB

“ To the entire Phares family: I am so sorry for your loss, and I pray that you find peace at this time. Mr. Phares was always a pleasant man and I have fond memories of him at Chalmette Baptist Church so many years ago.

J C Beard - February 26, 2012 at 05:20 PM

KJ

“ Carey Leon Phares

Karen Jackson - February 24, 2012 at 12:13 PM

AP

“ Mrs. Anderson, I am so sorry for the loss of your dear father. My family and I lift you and your family up in prayer as you go through this difficult time.
With Deepest Sympathy, Mrs. Patton and family

Amy Patton - February 23, 2012 at 12:58 PM

WK

“ Dear Yvonne, Our prayers are with and your family. We have the assurance that we will see our loved ones again. Wayne and I are thinking you with sympathy and love.

Wayne & Sallie Knight - February 22, 2012 at 06:52 PM

JT

“ My prayers are with you and the family.

Joey Togade - February 22, 2012 at 09:59 AM

LR

“ Dear Karen and Family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Lacey Rains - February 21, 2012 at 10:49 AM

AA

“ May God comfort your family in this time. My prayers are with you.
Antrina Andrews

Antrina Andrews - February 21, 2012 at 10:17 AM

LT

“ So very sorry about Mr. Cary---he will be *EXTREMELY* missed at Bethel Baptist Church!!! Mr. Cary was a very sweet and well respected Christian man in all of life's walks. Every Sunday Mr. Carey had to hug and kiss my grandbaby, Grant Tullos. He just thought Grant was so cute. I know Mr. Carey is with our Lord now, looking down smiling at us...God Bless you all. You are in my prayers.

LORETTA BRACEY Grant, Connor & Jacob Tullos - February 21, 2012 at 10:08 AM

ED

“ Karen--My heart goes out to you and your family at this time. It's so very difficult to give up your parents. You can have peace in the fact that you did everything you could to help. Love you, Eleanor

Eleanor Dowdy - February 21, 2012 at 09:44 AM

RH

“ Karen...my deepest sympathies to you, your mom and your family. I know your father will be dearly missed.

Rachelle Hayes - February 21, 2012 at 09:21 AM

JR

“ Carey was a fine person and a faithful servant of our Lord. He will be missed by his wonderful wife and family. My prayers are with each one in this time of loss. God bless you all.

Jim Richardson - February 20, 2012 at 04:43 PM

PW

“ Dear Karen,
May it be comforting to know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.
Much Love,
Phoebe

Phoebe Williamson - February 20, 2012 at 02:28 PM

BW

“ Carey was always present when James was having a procedure. That meant so much to have support. Yvonne, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Betty Ann Walters - February 20, 2012 at 12:50 PM