



Richard Madewell, Jr.

March 12, 1925 - June 24, 2011

Anderson - Richard Madewell, Jr., 86, Anderson, passed away June 24, 2011 at St. Johns Health System, Anderson after a six year illness. He was born March 12, 1925 in McMinnville, Tennessee, and resided in Anderson for 57 years. He served his country in the US Army during WWII. He owned and operated Madewell's Food & Ice Cream Shop of Anderson from 1987-2007. He retired in 1985 from Delco Remy Division of General Motors after 30 years of service. He was affiliated with Memorial Circle Wesleyan Church. He is survived by his wife whom he married August 2, 1948 in Rossville, Georgia, Merle "Jean" Turner Madewell; one daughter, Barbara Lynn Rutledge of Winchester; three sons, James Marie Helen Ledbetter of Orlando, Florida, Rick Kim Madewell of Poinciana, Florida and James Kim Madewell of Anderson; four sisters, Jean Simmons of McMinnville, Tennessee, Margaret White of Anderson; Frances Harmon Manchester, Tennessee and Rosie Madewell of McMinnville, Tennessee; six grandchildren, Daniel, Janet, Chance, Richie, Alisha and Abby; five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. A special thanks to Dr. Eddy & staff, Dr. Ross & staff, Don & Marge Sweeney, Pastor Ashlock, Joyce Jackson Hospice and Cheryl from Hospice. He was preceded in death by his half sister, Addie Barnes; two brothers, Bill and Wheeler Madewell and parents, Richard Madewell Sr. and Novel Wheeler Madewell. Visitation will be from 6-8:00 PM on Monday, June 27, 2011 at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory; 200 W. 53rd Street; Anderson. Services will be Tuesday, June 28, 2011 at 1:00 PM, at the funeral home, with Pastor Clifton Ashlock officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Anderson with military rites by the VFW#266. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. www.LooseFuneralHomes.com

Tribute Wall

DE

“ Jean & Family, So sorry to hear of your loss. Patience speaks often with me about going to your store. My mom & I especially loved to bring her. He always would tease her & made us feel as we were the only ones there. I've went thru Mom's phone books looking for your number. Would love to talk & catch up when your up to it. It's Alvin Ramsey @ Summitville. Please call when your feeling better we would love to see you. God Bless You All, your in our prayers. The Ramsey's Pat Anthony's Daughter.

Debbie - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Jean, I have a lot of memories of Dick playing cards on Saturday nights. My prayers go out to you and your family. Judy

judy wagoner - June 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PZ

“ Your battle is over, now you shine down from above. May God bless you and your family. Our memories will last forever in our hearts. Sincere Sympathy for your loss.

Paula Rider Zortman - June 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Richard was a very special friend of mine. My sincerest condolences to the family. I will miss you "Poppa"

Steve Sheets - June 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ Rick, Thinking about you and your family during this difficult time. Your dad, bless his heart, certainly fought the fight for many years. He was truly a wonderful man. I'm so glad you have lots of wonderful memories to keep him with you always. Tammy

Tammy Everitt - June 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM