



James E. "Snoz" Davis

November 28, 1922 - May 17, 2017

James E. "Snoz" Davis, age 94, Lifelong resident of Henderson, Kentucky passed away at 12:01 A.M. Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at West Kentucky Veteran Center, Hanson, Kentucky.

Snoz was a member of Immanuel Baptist Temple. He was the last surviving member of the board that was instrumental in founding the memorial crosses that are displayed in Central Park on each Memorial Day Holiday. He was very active in many civic and veteran organizations during his lifetime. He participated in Relay For Life for over 15 years. He was a graduate of Barrett Manual Training Center Class of 1941. Snoz retired from the United States Post Office as a postal carrier and Ellis Park Race Track as customer relations director. He was a proud WWII and Korean War Army Veteran. Upon his release in 1951 he served as the athletic trainer at Barret Manuel and Henderson City High School for over 25 years. He was an honorary life member of many organizations including; the Hadi Temple and Rizpah Temple, the American Legion Worsham Post #40 serving as Post Commander for 2 terms, the B.P.O. Elk's #206, the Loyal Order of the Moose #732, the Henderson City Lions Club, and he was a Henderson City Commissioner for 6 years.

Preceded in death by his wife Claudia Davis, 3 brothers, Aaron, Charles R., Jay W. Davis and a sister, Dorothy Conway.

Survivors:

2 Sons: Jay Davis of Princeton, KY

Tom Davis of Henderson, KY

3 Grandchildren: Danny and wife Michelle, Jayme Lauren and husband Creal,
Kelly and wife April

2 Great grandchildren: Sofia and Daniella

Relatives and Friends are invited to Snoz's Life Celebration from 3:00-7:00 PM Sunday at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home. Visitation will begin again on Monday, May 22, 2017 at 10:00 AM until the service time at South Jr. High School. The service will be held at 12:00 PM on Monday at the school with Father J. Edward Bradley officiating. Private burial will follow at the Fairmont Mausoleum in Henderson, KY. Full Military honors will be rendered by the American Legion Worsham Post #40 Honor Guard.

Expressions of may take form of contribution to Henderson War Memorial Foundation 300 First Street Henderson, KY 42420 and the American Legion Honor Guard 1709 Madison St, Henderson, KY 42420.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at www.bentonglunt.com

Cemetery Details

Fairmont Cemetery

Henderson
KY 42420

Previous Events

Life Celebration

MAY 21. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt Funeral Home
629 S. Green Street
Henderson, KY 42420
(270) 827-3535
<https://www.bentonglunt.com/>

Life Celebration

MAY 22. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

South Jr. High School
Henderson, KY 42420

2:00 P.M. Tuesday May 8, 2018 Funeral Service

MAY 22. 12:00 PM (CT)

South Jr. High School
Henderson, KY 42420

Tribute Wall



“ James E. "Snoz" Davis

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ Julie King lit a candle in memory of James E. "Snoz" Davis



Julie King - May 21, 2017 at 09:25 PM



“ My dear Snoz, my buddy and lifelong friend who taught me many life lessons and knowledge. I am so blessed to have share many memories together from Ellis Park to the UK Wildcats! My heart goes out to Tom and the entire Davis family. It has truly been an honor to have know such a thoughtful, generous man who gave much to our community, and to our Veteran's, who meant so much to Snoz heart. He gave his all to helping others in all aspects of life, community and the United States Army. I will miss you greatly and dearly...Say hello to Momma and Daddy. Love you my friend, always and forever until we meet again. Your friend, Julie Ann Lawson-King

Julie King - May 21, 2017 at 09:23 PM



“ Tom, Jay and family, we are so sorry for your loss. We are out of town, please know we are thinking of you. My grandparents, Arch and Mary Virginia Hicks, thought so much of Snoz and Claudia May.

Prayers and sympathy

Gary and Mary Compton

Mary & Gary Compton - May 19, 2017 at 06:17 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of James E. "Snoz" Davis .



May 19, 2017 at 05:58 PM



“ 56 files added to the album LifeTributes



Benton-Glunt Funeral Home - May 19, 2017 at 03:54 PM

JB

“ I have known Snoz Davis all my life and he has always been instrumental in all my years.
Snoz is an icon of what men of his generation are.
As he folded my fathers flag and passed it to Mother saying the words as he had said to so many grieving. He added "my buddy".
He and Dad were veterans, they were comrades, they grew old together as "buddies"
I hold none other in higher regard than I do Mr Davis, Snoz, an icon.

JD Blue

JD Blue - May 19, 2017 at 02:05 PM

MW

“ "Snoz" Davis -- A good man.

Mic Woodward - May 19, 2017 at 09:46 AM

MB

“ I met Snoz many years ago he was always active doing something for someone. He was always standing talk for his brothers and sisters in the military. The butler family hold you in our prayers and may God wrap his loving arms around you as you lay this very special man to rest. Tim I just want you to know we thought highly of your after and best friend. He will always be with you all in your walk through life.

Missie Butler - May 18, 2017 at 04:29 PM