

## **James Edward “Ed” Lafever**

**BAXTER** — Funeral services for James Edward (Ed) Lafever, 93, of Silver Point, will be held Monday, Jan. 5, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Baxter Funeral Home. Burial will be in Lafever Cemetery.

Family will receive friends today, Sunday, Jan. 4, from 5:30-9:00 p.m. and Monday, Jan. 5, from 7 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home.

Mr. Lafever died Friday, Jan. 2, 2009, at DeKalb Community Hospital.

He was born Dec. 5, 1915, in DeKalb County to the late Oziar and Hallie Butts Lafever.

Mr. Lafever was a member of the Baptist faith.

He was also a member of the VFW.

His family includes a son and daughter-in-law, Richard and Dorothy Lafever of Oregon; four daughters and three sons-in-law, Joyce and Norman Ford of Lake Wells, Fla., Penny Craighead and Lisa and Floyd Mackie Jr., all of Cookeville, and Barbara and David Cassilly of Spring Hill; a sister, Willie Jo Thomas of Algood; eight grandchildren, Stoney Ford, Nancy Pelfrey, Linda Conley, Chris Finley and wife Amy, Todd Mackie, and Summer, Chelsi and Kortony Cassilly; four great-grandchildren, Katie and Alex Finley and Ben and Breanna Ford; and a special little girl, Becky Brown of Silver Point.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Lafever was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Lafever; two brothers, Talmadge and Arthur Lafever; and a granddaughter, Robin Lafever.

Pallbearers will be Bro. Mike Madden, Norman Ford, Dave Cassilly, Junior and Todd Mackie and Chris Finley.

Bro. Dave Cassilly will officiate the services.

Saturday, Jan 03, 2009

(Helen (Jared) Lafever, b. 12 June 1924/25 md 1<sup>st</sup> Weldon Harvel – md 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed Lafever. Helen is the d/o John Marvin Jared (1889-1978) & Vallie Eliza Daws. John Marvin Jared is the s/o Albert Sidney Jared & Sarah E. Watts. Vallie Eliza Daws is the d/o Matt & Eliza Daws. Source: Allison Connections by Della P. Franklin).

### **Joseph M. LaFever Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN**

Source: Dekalb County Cemeteries by Doris (Garrison) Gilbert, pg. 162: Joseph M. LaFever Cemetery, located behind the home of Joe LaFever at Cherry Hill store site on old road, 2 or 3 houses north of the old store site. Copied by Maurine Ensor Patton.

\*George E. LaFever, b. 14 August 1880 – d. 1 November 1911

\*Vada (Maynard) LaFever, b. 11 Dec. 1886 – d. 8 April 1916

\*Oziar "Ode" LaFever, b. 5 March 1884 – d. 3 July 1980

\*Hallie (Butts) Lafever, b. 4 September 1894 – d. 22 October 1979, d/o William Henry Butts & Eliza Carolyn Maynard. Hallie (Butts) Lafever is the sister of Anna Dee Butts who married Howard Neal Anderson.

\*See Chapter 2 & Anderson files at:

<http://www.ajlambert.com>