

Jesse Franklin Leadingham
1934 - 2009

Jesse Franklin Leadingham 74, of Greenup with to be with the lord on February 26, 2009 at the Hospice Care Center in Ashland KY.

Jesse was born on June 19, 1934 in Carter County KY a son of the late Meredeth Franklin & Belva Adkins Leadingham.

He was preceded in death along with his parents by two brothers, Joseph Leadingham and Donald Leadingham.

Jesse was a retired electrical maintenance worker for Armco Steel; a former member of the Greenup Water Commission; he attended the Raceland First Assembly of God; he was a former Chief and a 45 year member of the City of Greenup Fire Department; he was the Worthy Patron of Electa Chapter #3 Order of the Eastern Star in Greenup; he was a 32nd degree Mason of the Order of the Scottish Rite in Covington KY; he was a 40 year member and holds the office of Tiler in Greenup Lodge #89 F & A.M..

He is survived by his wife Betty Jane Conley Leadingham of Greenup; two sons, Steve Leadingham and his wife Becky of Winchester KY and Anthony (Tony) Leadingham and his wife Sheryl of Wurtland KY; four Grandchildren, Sarah Leadingham, Kelsey Leadingham, Lyndsey Leadingham and Dustin Wheeler; two Great Grandchildren, Katlyn Leadingham and Gianni Careem; three Brothers, Lawrence Leadingham and his wife Jean of Clearwater FL, David Leadingham of Columbus OH and Paul Leadingham of Fredric MD; four sisters, Bea Rouse and her husband Ed of Kernersville NC, Jean Elliott of Waynesville OH, Joyce Thompson and her husband Leon of Thomasville NC and Patty Freeman and her husband Larry of Kodak TN.

A celebration of Jess's life will begin at 7:00 PM Sunday March 1, 2009 at the Raceland First Assembly of God by Brother Jack Edwards and Brother James Wells. Included in this service will be memorial services performed by the Eastern Star and the Scottish Rite.

Visitation will be at 5:00 PM prior to the services at the church on Sunday.

Graveside burial services will be 11:00 AM Monday March 2, 2009 at Bellefonte Memorial Gardens if Flatwoods KY were Masonic graveside services will be conducted by the members of Greenup Lodge #89 F & A.M.

Member of the City of Greenup Fire Department will serve as pallbearers.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to Electa Chapter #3 Order of the Eastern Star 606 Center Avenue Wurtland KY 41144 or Greenup Lodge #89 P.O. Box 391 Greenup KY 41144.

Wright's Funeral Home in Greenup is in charge of the arrangements.