

JOSEPH A. MICHAELS, JR.



Joseph A. “Pat” Michaels, Jr., 89, of Hilliard, passed away Saturday, March 17 in Fernandina Beach. He was born April 8, 1928 in Folkston, Georgia to the late Joseph Asbury “Mike” Michaels, Sr. and Emily Allen Michaels. He proudly served his country in the US Navy during WW II. He retired as head of maintenance at Jacksonville International Airport. He was a member of the First Baptist Church Hilliard.

He is survived by his two sons Joe Michaels, III and Don (Sara) Michaels, all of Hilliard; three grandchildren Joe (Lacey) Michaels, IV, Lindsay (Mike) Trouille and Lauren (Chris) Tison; five great-grandchildren Riley Tison, Lane Michaels, Greyson Tison, Jackson Michaels and Adeline Trouille.

The family will receive friends Friday, March 23 at Shepard-Roberson Funeral Home in Folkston from 6-8 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 24 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Hilliard with Rev. Josh Tillman officiating. Burial will follow in Oakwood Cemetery, Hilliard.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Community Hospice of NE Florida, Warner Center, 1348 S. 18th Street, Fernandina Beach, FL 32034.

Condolences may be expressed at www.shepardfh.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Shepard-Roberson Funeral Home in Folkston.