

WALTER S. MOONEYHAN



Walter S. Mooneyhan, 94, passed away on March 4, 2020. He was born to James and Susan Mooneyhan on May 31, 1925 in Elliot, South Carolina. He served in the United States Army with honors during World War II in the Asiatic Pacific Theater from 1944 to January 1946.



Prior to moving to Callahan, he owned and operated Burton and Company Electronics in Jacksonville, which later became Discount Electronics in Callahan. He was known as the CB shop man in Callahan. Walter was a member of North Jacksonville Baptist Church and Riverside Masonic Lodge #266.

Due to a medical mishap, Walter became a paraplegic at the age of 41. He was highly respected and admired by his peers for his courageous battle with his disability over the past 53 years. Sherriff Dale Carson recognized Walter in 1984 for his meritorious service rendered to the Office of the Sherriff and the citizens of Jacksonville.

Survivors include his wife of 73 years, Thelma; two wonderful sons Mark (Karen) and Jeff Mooneyhan; six grandchildren Rebecca LaCroix, Ryan Mooneyhan, Mandy Revels, Ashley Ragland, Kara Rhoden and Devin Mooneyhan; eight great-grandchildren Joey, Ryleigh, Jeffrey, Taylor, Parker, Saylor, Brantley, Emmie and Bella; and many nieces and nephews.

The funeral service was held Monday, March 9 at North Jacksonville Baptist Church, 8531 N. Main Street. The family received friends prior to the service. Burial followed with Military Honors at Jacksonville National Cemetery.

Peoples Family Funeral Home is serving the Mooneyhan Family. Condolences may be expressed at www.ppf.com.