



## Troy Hankins,

April 15, 1930 - October 25, 2011

Troy Jesse Hankins, Jr. age 81 of Cedar Bluff, VA died Tuesday, October 25, 2011 at his home, surrounded by his loving family and friends. He was born April 15, 1930 in Baptist Valley, VA and was a son of the late Troy Jesse Hankins, Sr. and Mae Tabor Hankins. Mr. Hankins was a United States Army veteran of the Korean War, and a Life Member of VFW Post #7136 in Tazewell, VA and a Life Member of the VFW National Home. He was a Master Mason belonging to the South Gate – Potter Lodge #782 AF & AM in Winchester, OH, a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, a thirty-second degree Mason with the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Lodge Council Chapter Consistory Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of Columbus. He was of the Christian faith and a member of Clifffield Christian Church – Disciples of Christ at Clifffield, VA. He was a loving husband, brother, uncle and friend and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Claude Hankins; five sisters, Dora Looney, Nell Altizer, Nadine McCoy, Mary Cochran, and Ruth Hankins. Those left to cherish his memories include his loving wife of fifty-seven years, Sybil Ward “Tiny” Hankins; two sisters, Betty Looney of Baptist Valley, VA, and Pauline Bandy of Bandy, VA; special great – nephew, Kevin Delp of Baptist Valley, VA; special caregivers, Donna Winingham and the Staff of Legacy Hospice; several nieces, nephews, other family members and many friends also survive. Funeral services for Troy Jesse Hankins, Jr. will be conducted at 11:00 a.m. Friday, October 28, 2011 at the Hurst – Scott Funeral Home

Chapel in Tazewell, VA with the Rev. Rufus Spence and Pastor Chris White officiating. Burial will follow at Hankins Family Cemetery in Baptist Valley, VA. Pallbearers will be Troy Rasnake, Jim Delp, Kevin Delp, Wayne Cochran, Lonnie Davis, Wendell Hall, and Kenneth Earls. Honorary Pallbearers will be Jerry Cochran, Bo Rasnake, and the men of Clifffield Christian Church. Military Graveside Rites will be conducted by members of the Barns – Beavers VFW Post #7136 in Tazewell, VA. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6 – 9 p.m. Thursday, October 27, 2011. In lieu of flowers the family request memorial donations be made to Legacy Hospice: 1963 Second Street, Richlands, VA 24641.

# Tribute Wall



“ Troy Hankins,

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Troy Hankins,

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Pauline your freinds and former co-workers have you in our thoughts and prayers.

**Environmental Services Department** - October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Tiny so sorry to heard about Troy,my pray are with you all....

**melissa rasnake** - October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Tiny and family,*

*I just wanted to let you all know how much Troy meant to me. He was one of my heroes, having served our Country in the Korean War. Junior and I shared a kindred spirit, and it was my honor to be his Pastor, to be the one chosen to baptize him into the family of God, and most of all, to be his friend. We were both veterans, both Life Members and Past Commanders of the VFW, and both Brothers in the Masonic Lodge, and I will forever cherish his memory and friendship. I take comfort in knowing, and I hope you do too, that Troy is no longer in pain, that he is seeing things that we can only dream of, and know that he is resting in the Glory of Christ Jesus. Like King Daavid said when his son died, "I cannot bring him back, but I can go to where he is." One day, in Christ, we shall see Troy Hankins again, and all of our loved ones who have gone before, and what a day that will be!! Tiny, I love you and if there is anything I can do for you or your family, please let me know. Take care and God Bless!!*

*In Christian Love,  
Chris*

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**Chris White** - October 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM