



## Mr. John Henry Evans, Jr

March 2, 1938 - March 16, 2019

John Henry Evans, Jr, 81 of Magnolia, AR., passed away March 16th at his home.

He was born March 1, 1938 in Calion, AR. to John Henry Evans, Sr. and Elizabeth Harper-Evans.

he was a retired U.S. Navy veteran and a member of the Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Magnolia, AR.

He was preceded in death by his parents and wife; Sarah L. Moore-Evans.

Survivors include: two sons; Ray (Yamel) Broadnax and Brian Evans. Two daughters; Mrs. Nina De La Garza and Mrs. Angela (Bobby) Smith. one step-son; Bruce T. Moore, a step-daughter; Mrs. Barbara Ann Moore, three grandchildren, his cousins; Mrs. Sylvia Lacy, Mrs. Dorothy Curley, & Mrs. Betty Dorch, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, & friends.

Celebration of Life will be held Friday, March 22nd, at 11:00 a.m. at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Magnolia, AR., with burial to follow in the Lott Burgy Cemetery in El Dorado, AR, with military honors. Under the direction of R.L. Reed Funeral Home, LLC of Magnolia, AR. Officiating will be Dr. W. F. Colen.

Visitation Thursday from 1- 4: p.m. at the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## **Lott Burgy Cemetery**

Southwest Ave & Washington St.  
El Dorado, AR

# Tribute Wall

RT

“ FORTY-SEVEN YEARS OF FRIENDSHIP. LAST TIME I SAW HIM WAS IN THE LATE NINETIES. FRIENDSHIP IS NOT BASED ON THE FREQUENCY OF SEEING EACH OTHER BUT THE STRONG BOND OUR FAMILY ESTABLISHED IN 1972, NAHA, OKINAWA, JAPAN. STAYED UP LATE MANY WEEKENDS PLAYING CARDS AND LISTENINGS TO MUSIC. I DON'T CALL MANY PEOPLE "FRIEND"! HOWEVER, JOHN EVANS WAS A FRIEND! WE WOULD CALL EACH OTHER AND ALWAYS DISCUSSED POLITICS. WE SHARED MANY LAUGHS OVER THE YEARS. HE WAS THE BIG BROTHER I NEVER HAD! DURING OUR LAST CONVERSATION LAST WEEK WE TALKED ABOUT HOW HE WAS GOING TO KEEP HIS DOCTORS APPOINTMENTS?  
NOW WE KNOW! REST IN PEACE MY BIG BROTHER. NO MORE DOCTORS! MISSING YOU ALREADY. I WILL NOT GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO SAMPLE ANYMORE OF THAT GOOD BAR-B- QUE!

REMEMBER BIG BROTHER, STEADY AS YOU GO! (US NAVY)  
ROBERT/GRACE THOMPSON US NAVY RETIRED

P.S. YOU HAVE LEFT A WELL ORGANIZED FAMILY TO CARRY ON!

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**ROBERT THOMPSON** - March 21, 2019 at 01:52 PM

MW

“ Marie Wingfield lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Henry Evans, Jr



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**Marie Wingfield** - March 21, 2019 at 01:18 AM

DH

“ *Danny Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Henry Evans, Jr*



Danny Harris - March 20, 2019 at 10:47 AM

DH

*Never will forget Mr John. Looked forward to a brief chat and greeting on Sunday morning, always concerned with how I'm doing, all around great Christian man. RIL, you will truly be missed. Prayers and condolences to the family.*

Danny Harris - March 20, 2019 at 10:49 AM

GT

“ *To the family I am so sorry for your loss , I have known John for over 50 years we meet in Okinawa Japan and have kept in touch Ray, Nina , Angela and Brian were all small children at that time , this hurt my heart just spoke with John on Wednesday before God called him home I will miss my phone calls Rest in Peace my friend you will be missed.*



Gracie Thompson - March 19, 2019 at 01:02 PM

BJ

“ *Brenda Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Henry Evans, Jr*



Brenda Johnson - March 18, 2019 at 10:29 PM



“ *Sending prayers to the family!!* ”



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**Shatasha Lawjan** - March 18, 2019 at 10:21 PM



“ *Sherry Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Henry Evans, Jr* ”



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**Sherry Marshall** - March 18, 2019 at 06:33 PM



“ *Mr. Evans was a kind hearted man who really cared for others you really will be missed* ”



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**Mary Calton Strickland** - March 16, 2019 at 05:33 PM