



Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens

September 5, 1925 - September 6, 2018

Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens, 93, of Erwin, TN and formerly of Jonesville, VA, passed away on September 6, 2018 at Governor's Bend in Erwin, TN.

He was a proud World War II Veteran and a retired teacher at the Lee County Vocational School.

He is survived by Hazel Ruth Edens, his wife of 71 years; two sons, Richard and Shirleen Edens, of Erwin, TN, and Mark and Sharon Edens, of Vinemont, AL; and one daughter, Martha and Mike Willis, of Pennington Gap, VA.

He is also survived by his pride and joy, his grandchildren: Beth and Brad Redmond, of Farragut, TN, Rich and Shelley Edens and Robert Edens, all of Erwin, Jarrod Edens, of Waynesville, NC, and Jessica Edens, of Vinemont. He is also survived by his other pride and joy, his great-grandchildren: Sydney, Gracie, Linnie, Kathleen "Katy", Ava and Amelia Edens, Dylan Yankee, Bailey Redmond and Lauren Fischer.

Survivors also include his brother, Dr. Wallace and Elana Edens; sister, Ruth Davidson; and his extended family of nieces and nephews, whom he loved very much.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mac Sidney and Mollie Scales Edens; grandchildren, Jaclyn and Justin Edens; brothers, Robert and Kenneth

Edens; sisters, Pauline Harris, Kathleen Harris, Evelyn Bacon and Lucille Graham.

Graveside services will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 9, in Lee Memorial Gardens, Pennington Gap, VA.

Cemetery Details

Lee Memorial Gardens

1986 Hickory Cir Rd
Pennington Gap, VA 24277
(276) 546-2523

Previous Events

Graveside service

SEP 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens

October 05, 2023 at 07:31 PM



“ Mark and Jarrod

Sorry to hear about Geano as me and Jarrod would call him. I shot more guns with him than anybody else in my life. I appreciate all he showed me. Miss you guys.

Johnny

Johnny Muncy - October 30, 2018 at 07:59 PM



“ Mr Edens he was such a fine man ,great friend, and teacher to everyone of us. I was honored to be one of his students taught me so many things not only about electricity but about life .We have all lost a great friend and mentor. I will always treasure the discussions we had about all types of subjects. He will be missed by us all. Thank you my friend for all you did. Larry Elliott

Larry Elliott - September 10, 2018 at 03:17 PM



“ Bob And Sammie Horton lit a candle in memory of Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens



Bob and Sammie Horton - September 09, 2018 at 07:51 PM

KI

“ *Shirleen and Rick and family—we will be remembering you at Church today as you all take Gene to his final place of rest. Blessings today! Pastor Kim and Centenary UMC.*

Kim Isley - September 09, 2018 at 07:00 AM

LK

“ *LaVerne And Kinard lit a candle in memory of Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens*



LaVerne and Kinard - September 08, 2018 at 06:54 PM

LK

We are saddened to hear of Gene's passing. He was a wonderful friend and neighbor. Love and prayers for the family.

LaVerne and Kinard - September 08, 2018 at 06:56 PM

JC

“ *J.Bruce Catron lit a candle in memory of Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens*



J.Bruce Catron - September 08, 2018 at 09:55 AM

BC

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this time.*

Deepest Sympathies,,

Betty Crusenberry



betty crusenberry - September 08, 2018 at 07:58 AM

HM

“ *Harold And Helen Marcum lit a candle in memory of Alfred Eugene "Gene" Edens*



Harold and Helen Marcum - September 07, 2018 at 06:11 PM

BL

“ *I had the honor of being one of Mr.Edens students in the mid 80's, and was talking with someone about him just yesterday. He made a huge impact on my life and I still perform electrical work today. He talked about owning some land in Florida back in the day and I hope he got time to take advantage of that. Thoughts and prayers are with your family. I truly can not thank him enough for what he taught me.*

Benjamin Lawson - September 07, 2018 at 05:04 PM