



Virgil Gene Mahan

September 17, 1930 - January 4, 2017

Memorial Services for Virgil “Gene” Mahan, 86, of Rusk will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, January 14, 2017 at East Side Baptist Church, with Bro. James Palmer officiating.

Mr. Mahan passed away January 4, 2017. He was born in Jefferson County, Illinois on September 17, 1930 to the late Isaac and Lena Mahan. He proudly served in the United States Marines having been in Korean War. He was a member of the VFW in Rusk. He loved his time with the Jacksonville Jacks ‘N Jills Square Dance Club, and traveled often with them. He was also a member of East Side Baptist Church and was a life-long Baptist.

He is preceded in death by his parents and his great-grandson, Jason Ryan Diedrich. He is survived by his wife, Ann Mahan, Rusk, sons and daughters-in-law, David and Sherry Phifer, Bulah, Jerry and Jody Phifer, Dialville, son, James Kenneth Phifer, Nacogdoches, five grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, and many good friends.

Visitation will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, January 14, 2017 at the church up to service time.

In lieu of flowers, money can be donated to East Side Baptist Church or charity of choice.

Tribute Wall



“ *Virgil Gene Mahan*

October 04, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Gene was always smiling and never complained. He was a blessing.*

James & Janice Manning

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