



James Ralph Whitaker

May 5, 1946 - October 14, 2016

J. Ralph Whitaker, of the Princeton Community died Friday afternoon at Wake Med Hospital in Raleigh with his family by his side.

A private graveside service will be Sunday at 4:00 PM at Grace Baptist Church with Pastor Stuart Coffman officiating.

Surviving is his wife Lillian Whitaker and his daughters; Renee Clements (Mark) of Princeton and Jennette Whitaker of Smithfield along with a granddaughter; Gina Marie Clements. Also surviving are his siblings; Charles Edward Whitaker (Brenda) of Richlands, Clyde Henry Whitaker (Glenda) of Princeton, Fay Mae Fail (Earl) of Goldsboro, Geraldine Woodard of Rosewood and Goldie Moore (Ronnie) of Angier as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

He was born in the Princeton Community to the late James Edward Whitaker and Irene Edwards. Mr. Whitaker was a retired farmer.

The family requests that there be no flowers or memorials made.