



## Loyd Hulen Matheny

February 3, 1929 - May 8, 2012

[View Video Tribute](#)

Loyd Hulen Matheny, 83 of Perryville, went to be with the Lord on May 8, 2012. He was born February 3, 1929 to the late Orville and Maude Matheny. Loyd was a retired Postmaster from Bigelow, member of First Baptist Church of Perryville, and was a member of the Mason's Westward Lodge, National

League of Postmasters and Korean War veteran. He was a loving and dedicated husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather and he loved his National League family.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Geraldine Matheny; three children, Debbie Porter (Greg) of Tennessee; Tammy Beck (Brent) of Arkansas, and Alan Matheny (Shelly) of Arkansas; Four sisters, Maurine Taylor, Mary Nuss, JoAnn Riggs, and Carolyn Kenney; 6 grandchildren, Wendy Porter, Alex Porter, Holly Wright, Whitney Wright (Jared), Brent Beck, Jr. (Jessica), Jorgan Beck (Holly), special granddaughter, Mary Lawrence, and 8 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents Orville and Maude Matheny; sisters, Madge DeVice, Monarie Eagle, and Faye Latta, and brothers; Bartus Matheny and Darrell Matheny.

Funeral services will be 1:00 p.m. Saturday, May 12, at Perryville First Baptist Church with Dr. Mike Stanley officiating. Burial will be at Forest Hills Cemetery by Harris Funeral Home of Perryville. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday, May 11, at the funeral home in Perryville.

The family would like to express our deepest thanks and appreciation to Hospice Home Care and special thanks to Steve Harper.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Perryville First Baptist Church building fund.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Loyd Hulen Matheny*

---

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Loyd will be missed but I am so thankful he is no longer in pain. Geri, what a wonderful dedicated wife you have been. You are truly the most loving care-giver I have ever had the privilege of knowing. My love to your entire family.*

*Jean*

---

**Jean Fitzwater** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM



“ *Love and prayers to all of you. I will miss him and his stories. He will be sorely missed by those of us at the Post Office.*

---

**Sandy Wise** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM



“ *Matheny family: You are in my thoughts and prayers. Mr. Matheny was always a pleasure to visit with at the Bigelow Post Office. He leaves a great legend and I will forever remember his laugh! God bless you.*

---

**Bonnie Dixson-Holloway** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

RM

“ So sad to hear about Mr. Matheny, what a wonderful person, boss and friend there has never been anyone so easy to work for and he was always willing to help any way possible to make the days better for everyone. He always stood up for his employees, that doesn't happen now in the work places, we had a true treasure. What a guy he will be missed by many my sympathy, prayers and love to the family.

---

**Regina McKinney** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

PG

“ Tammy and family, I am sorry for your loss. My thoughts and Prayers are with you. Mr. Matheny was always there to help you if you had a problem with your mail or other business matters. He will be missed.

---

**Panky Gardner** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

JB

“ I started my postal career at Geyer Springs where Lloyd was a clerk. He was a good co worker and helped me as a young employee to get through the stress of a new job. I will always remember his hearty laugh and his love for people.

---

**Jim Bell** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

AM

“ Our prayers are with all of you. Love to you, every one - we were all so blessed to know him. A true treasure who will be missed by many. He's in the arms of Heaven now, at peace. And, his love for you will live forever.

*Peace be with you,  
Allison, Joey & Gracie*

---

**Allison McEwen** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

TD

“ *Loyd was a good friend to all who knew him. So sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in the loving arms of God.* ”

---

**Tolbert and Allena Dixon** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

KB

“ *So sorry to hear about Mr. Matheny. My thoughts and prayers are with each one of you.* ”

---

**Karen L. Byrd** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM

DF

“ *We are so sorry to hear that Loyd Matheny has passed away. We thought a lot of him, and know that he will be greatly missed by all that knew him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.* ”

---

**Dewayne and Gayle Tanner and Family** - June 29, 2018 at 09:48 PM