



Hoyet A. Justice

March 15, 1934 - July 21, 2015

LAUREL- Hoyet A. Justice, 81, of Laurel, died Tuesday, July 21, 2015 at Peninsula Regional Medical Center in Salisbury, with his sons nearby. He was born on March 15, 1934 in Ocean View, a son of the late Clarence and Emma Justice.

Hoyet proudly served his country in the US Army in the 101st Airborne during the Korean War. Through the years he worked various jobs but one of his favorites was working as a barber, a career that spanned over 35 years. One of his favorite pastimes was harness racing. He was a faithful member of Bayview Baptist Church in Laurel, where he was active in their senior group. Hoyet was a true family man who loved to help people and will be remembered as a hard-working man, always looking for something to do and always on the go.

He is survived by two sons, Tim Justice and his wife, Billie Jo of Delmar and John Justice and his wife, Jennifer of Laurel; four grandchildren, Kelsie Justice, Raelyn Huffman, Rachel Justice and Andrew Justice; and three brothers, Homer Justice, his twin, and his wife, Pat of Laurel, Ches Justice of Laurel and Charles Justice and his wife, Helen of Texas. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Nellie A. Justice, who passed in 2013; three brothers, Edwin, Raymond and Roger Justice; and a sister, Laura Brittingham.

A funeral service will be held Friday, July 24, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. at Bayview

Baptist Church in Laurel, where family and friends may call from 10:00 to 11:00. Pastors C.K. White and Ray Justice will officiate. Interment will follow at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Laurel.

Memorial contributions may be made in his memory to Bayview Baptist Church, 534 E. 4th Street, Laurel, DE 19956.

Arrangements are being handled by Short Funeral Home of Delmar. To send online condolences to the family, please visit www.short.com.

Cemetery Details

Laurel Hill Cemetery

9th Street
Laurel, DE

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bayview Baptist Church
534 E. Fourth Street
Laurel, DE 19956

Service

JUL 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Hoyet A. Justice*

January 29, 2023 at 01:28 PM



“ *Billie Jo lit a candle in memory of Hoyet A. Justice*



Billie Jo - May 17, 2021 at 11:12 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Jay and Connie Justice*

Jay and Connie Justice - July 24, 2015 at 08:23 AM



“ *Hoyet was such a great man who always had a smile on his face. I enjoyed many years of waiting on him and his wife. May the family find peace that he is now rejoicing with Jesus and reunited with Miss Nellie. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Nicole Dickerson - July 24, 2015 at 06:16 AM

CA

“ We will miss you, it's hard to believe you are gone. Your spirit will forever live on in those beautiful grandchildren. R.I.P.



Carmen - July 23, 2015 at 08:20 PM

BJ

“ We can't believe you are gone. It will never be the same without you. We love you and miss you..

Billie Jo - July 23, 2015 at 12:22 PM

BJ

“ Billie Jo lit a candle in memory of Hoyet A. Justice



Billie Jo - July 23, 2015 at 12:22 PM

DM

“ Dan Melton sent a virtual gift in memory of Hoyet A. Justice



Dan Melton - July 22, 2015 at 06:48 PM



“ *Kelly Melton lit a candle in memory of Hoyet A. Justice*



Kelly Melton - July 22, 2015 at 03:42 PM

KM

“Where do I even begin in sharing my favorite memories of Pop-pop?! He took us in and treated us like family members from day one of knowing him. I can't begin to count the number of times that he came to my rescue as a young pastor's wife, far from home, with my little red-haired "rooster" in tow. He and Mom-mom made me forget all about my home sickness when they included my little family in with theirs. When we ran out of gas (on numerous occasions), I called Pop-pop and he came to help. When I borrowed and blew up his lawn mower, he came over and got it and had it fixed. When I had terrible morning sickness, he and Mom-mom brought me the best peas and dumplings ever made. When we started a little church and needed much help getting it ready for services, Pop-pop was right there in the middle of it. When we needed haircuts...yep, you guessed it...Pop-pop provided them. On and on the love, kindness, acceptance and generosity was given freely. A finer example of God's love flowing effortlessly out of a person, you will never find, than that of Hoyet Justice. My heart aches for the loss we are all feeling, especially for Timmy and Johnny and their families. But, it also rejoices in the knowledge that this much beloved man is now in the presence of Jesus and reunited with his sweetheart of many years, Mom-mom Nellie. I will miss you, Pop-pop. Thank you for being a wonderful role model of integrity, humility and great faith. You will forever be treasured in my heart.

Kelly Melton ~ Heyworth, IL

Kelly Melton - July 22, 2015 at 03:35 PM