



Lawrence Page

December 6, 2017

Lawrence Page was born on November 24, 1916 to Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Leontine Page in Slidell, LA and entered into eternal rest on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 at the age of 101. He was the sixth child of twelve siblings. Lawrence met and married Beatrice Ferrier July, 10 1940. They were married 47 years until the Lord called her home. Lawrence was the father of Carolyn Page and Wilbert Page, both who preceded him in death within the last two years. He is survived by his siblings Joseph Page and Delcina Page Roberts, daughter-in-law Cathey Casnave Page, two grandchildren, four great grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

Lawrence served his country in World War II from December 3, 1941 through September 20, 1945. His military duties took him from Camp Shelby in Mississippi to Liverpool, England; Algeria, French Morocco; South Africa; Naples, Italy, Southern France and Germany. Declarations and citations received during his service career were “Good Conduct Medal”, American Defense Service Medal, the “EAMETO” Medal, which is the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, the Army Service Ribbon, the Lapel Button and the Marksman Rifle Qualification Clasp. He was a Staff Sergeant, Grade E-6, responsible for supervising 15 soldiers supplying food, clothing, ammunition and whatever necessary and vital to the soldiers in the war. When he returned home he also served his country as a civilian. He was employed by Higgins Industries, Inc. where he helped to build ships to be used in the war.

Lawrence returned home and gave up his Military ID tag, but his service for the Lord was ongoing. Everyone calls him "Deac". He was a deacon at Providence Missionary Baptist Church where he was baptized in 1959 and ordained as a deacon in 1963. He was still called upon to sing, help with devotion and meter until his death. Lawrence also worked in the St. Tammany Parish school system for 15 years before he retired.

Cemetery Details

Southeast LA Veterans Cemetery

Slidell, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 13. 8:00 AM (CT)

Providence Baptist Church
11509 Jefferson Hwy.
River Ridge, LA 70123

Service

DEC 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

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