



## Perry Ernest Weant

May 20, 2009

Surfside Beach Perry Ernest Weant Perry Ernest Weant, age 88, died Wednesday, May 20, 2009 at Waccamaw Community Hospital. Mr. Weant was born on October 10, 1920 in Salisbury, NC, a son of the late Perry Ernest Weant, Sr. and Veda Winecoff Weant of Salisbury. He attended Kings Business College. Mr. Weant was employed by the Carolina Motor Club in Charlotte, NC until he joined the U.S. Navy and served as a Chief Petty Officer in WWII and Korea. He was Vice President, Sales Manager of Piedmont Equipment Co., Inc. in Charlotte for 25 years. He was founder of Autohardware, Inc. and was President of this company until he sold the business in 1982 and retired to Surfside Beach. Mr. Weant was a member of Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church in Garden City, SC, a member of Joppa Lodge No. 530, a 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason, and a member of Oasis Temple of Charlotte. He was also a charter member of Post 7735 Veterans of Foreign Wars. He is preceded in death by his son, Ernest Paul Weant of Lilburn, GA. and a brother, George Owen Weant of Stanley, NC. He is survived by his wife Sarah Biggers Weant of 65 years, his daughter-in-law, Lois A. Outten of Marion Station, MD; a brother, William Francis Weant of Salisbury, NC; a sister, Molly Neal Cooper of Mt. Airy, NC; three grandchildren, Ernest Paul Weant, Jr. of Bethlehem, GA, Laura Elane Rhodes of Alice, TX and Maria M. Weant of Tucker, GA; six great-grandsons and one great-granddaughter. The family will receive friends from 7:00-9:00 P.M. Friday, May 22, 2009 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel. Funeral

services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, May 23, 2009 at Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church with Pastor Dick Webber officiating. Burial will be at 1:00 P.M. Sunday, May 24, 2009 at Sharon Memorial Park in Charlotte, NC. Memorials may be made to Shepherd of the Sea Lutheran Church Debt Reduction Fund, PO Box 1750, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dot, words cannot express how we felt upon learning of Ernie's passing. You know that you both have always been like family to us. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family and Angel, I know she will miss Ernie as much as everyone else. We love you! Debbie, Donnie and family##imported-begin##Debbie & Donnie Poore and family##imported-end##*

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“ *Deart Dot and Family, I am truly so sorry for your loss. Ernest was such a good man, and a wonderful neighbor. I am so sorry for the pain that you are suffering now. I will always be here for you, whatever, whenever. Dolores##imported-begin##Dolores Norris##imported-end##*

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“ *Dot, I am so sorry to hear about Ernest. I know you and Angel will miss him very much. I hate that mom and I will be unable to attend either of the services. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Barbara Ann##imported-begin##Barb and Reggie Hudgins##imported-end##*

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“ We were saddened to learn about the death of Perry Ernest Weant. We are distant relatives of your family and learned of your loss through a mutual relative, Lydia Weant Beaver. You will remain in our thoughts and prayers. We also trust that Christ's Easter Victory over Sin, Evil and Death and His Promise of New Life in the Resurrection will be a source of consolation, healing and hope now and always. In Easter peace and hope, Pastor Gary and Linda Weant Philadelphia Evangelical Lutheran Church Dallas, North Carolina##imported-begin##Gary A. Weant##imported-end##

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