



Mr. Glenn H. Towe

February 20, 1926 - November 15, 2015

Glenn H. Towe, Command Sergeant Major, U.S. Army Ret., age 89, died November 15, 2015, at the Alvin C. York Veterans Administration Hospice Unit in Murfreesboro, TN.

CSM Towe was a native of Walhalla, SC, born February 20, 1926, the son of the late George H. and Cleo Lucy Holmes Towe. He attended Walhalla High School and entered the U.S. Navy in November 1943. CSM Towe served in the Pacific Theater during World War II and in China in 1946-47. He was discharged from the U.S. Navy in November 1947 and entered the U.S. Army in February 1948. He entered the Korean War from Hawaii with the 5th Regimental Combat Team. He served in Vietnam in 1968-69 as Brigade CSM with the 4th Infantry Division. He served at many posts in the United States, Germany, Austria, Hawaii, and the Philippines. During his 30 years of service he was awarded two awards of the Combat Infantry Badge, the Silver Star, the Legion of Merit, and the Bronze Star for Valor, the Air Medal with 12 oak leaf clusters, Army Commendation Medal for valor, the Purple Heart, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. He was also awarded various campaign and service ribbons with twelve major campaign or battle stars. Mr. Towe was a member at Chicopee United Methodist Church.

Mr. Towe is survived by his daughter: Mrs. Glenda R. Towe (Joe) Dina of Westminster, SC; son: Kevin L. Towe (Teri) of Murfreesboro, TN; sister: Louise

(Mrs. Danny) Miller of Westminster, SC; sister in law: Mary Lou Cushman of Walhalla, SC; and a number of loving nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Towe was preceded in death by his wife: Marian McGuffin Towe; two brothers: Andrew H. Towe of Tacoma, WA, and George H. Towe of Westminster, SC, and two sisters: Thelma (Mrs. Roy) Watkins of Walhalla, SC, and Hazel (Mrs. Furman) Cobb of Clayton, GA.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 2:00PM, Thursday, November 19, 2015, at the Davenport Funeral Home Chapel with full military rites, entombment will follow at Oconee Memorial Park Mausoleum.

The family will receive friends from 1:00-2:00PM, prior to the service, at Davenport Funeral Home.

The family will be at 301 Jaynes Street, Walhalla, SC 29691.

Cemetery Details

Oconee Memorial Park Mausoleum

1923 Blue Ridge Boulevard
Seneca, SC 29672

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 19. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Glenn H. Towe*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Glenn was admired by all who knew him and was loved by all his relatives!! He was quite a talented person and exemplified the life of a true "soldier" and one who loved his country.*



John & Nancye Reeves - November 20, 2015 at 10:40 AM



“ *Wilma Dain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Glenn H. Towe*



Wilma Dain - November 19, 2015 at 07:05 AM



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Bob Lipscomb - November 18, 2015 at 09:42 AM

BT

“ Kevin and Family: I am saddened to learn of Mr. Towe's passing. Mr. Towe was always welcoming to me as a high school friend of Kevin's and spending much time at the Towe household. Mr. Towe was a willing teacher to Kevin's friends, and I carry with me, to this day, things that Mr. Towe taught me. May God Bless your family.
Bobby Turner

Bobby Turner - November 18, 2015 at 08:37 AM

FB

“ Kevin and family, I want to share my humble condolences with the passing of your father. I was fortunate to meet you parents on Northfield Blvd. I remember your dad and yourself breaking and laying fresh slate tile in front of the hearth in your den. It seems to be the small memories that mean so much as we get older. You made your dad proud.

Frank Bargatze

Frank Bargatze - November 17, 2015 at 06:33 PM

DN

“ Doug And Linda Reese Nix lit a candle in memory of Mr. Glenn H. Towe



Doug and Linda Reese Nix - November 17, 2015 at 05:12 PM

SR

“ Steve R purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Glenn H. Towe.



Steve R - November 17, 2015 at 02:04 PM

JR

“ Glenn was a soldier's soldier. A professional. A dear friend - my favorite grunt. May God rest his soul. Joe Rawl

Joseph H Rawl - November 17, 2015 at 01:57 PM