



## Roy Leonard Perry

March 30, 1918 - November 4, 2017

Roy Leonard Perry, 99, formerly of Hot Springs was taken home by the Angels Saturday evening, November 4, 2017 in North Little Rock just in time to sing Amazing Grace for Sunday's morning's service in Heaven. He was born on Easter Sunday, March 30, 1918 to James and Effie Perry of Keller, Texas. Roy served his country for 5 years during World War II. He fought in many battles including Normandy and the Battle of the Bulge where he was awarded a bronze star. He also earned other medals in his service including EAME Campaign Medal and American Defense Medal. He retired from the Corp of Engineers. His most incredible accomplishment was the love he gave his family, his enduring hugs, and his unending faith that he loved to share.

He was predeceased by his wife, Geneva C. (Trantham) Perry, three brothers, Harvey, Millard and Bob Perry and four sisters, Minnie Faye Sharp, Ruby McDonald, Grace Slaight and Norma Anderson.

Survivors include one son, Doug Beard (Susan) of Wagoner, Oklahoma; one daughter, Kathy Newberry of North Little Rock, Arkansas; grandchildren, Brian Newberry (Sara) of Benton, Kristy Roy (Rob) of Edmond, Oklahoma, Donya Alexander (Steve) of North Little Rock; beloved great grandchildren, Ty and Hunter Newberry, Carson and Avery Roy, Dylan, Blake and Chase Alexander; a host of family and friends; special caregiver, Felechia; his sisters-in-law, friends from meals on wheels, and anyone who truly knew him...loved him.

Until we meet again to get “Just one more Hug”, we’ll miss you forever Gramps. A special thanks to Sherwood Nursing Home.

Memorial services will be 10:00 A.M. Monday in the Arkansas State Veterans Cemetery in Sherwood, Arkansas.

Military honors will be by the U.S. Army and the VFW Post #2278 Honor Guard.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *A beautiful service and Donya you gave a great tribute to your grandfather and I know he would have been so proud. Geneva and Perry loved you all. One of the most touching things to me was when Doug offered you the flag because he knows how much you did for Perry. Thank you both for taking care of such a nice man.*  
*Judy*

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**Judith Milam** - November 13, 2017 at 01:31 PM

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“ *Mr. Perry was a sweet man who will remain forever in our hearts.*

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**Evelyn Tucker** - November 12, 2017 at 09:33 PM