



## Ernest Swartz

March 10, 1927 - February 8, 2008

ERNEST BENJAMIN SWARTZ, age 80, died peacefully at his residence on Friday, February 8, 2008 in Centreville.

His loving wife Annie Bell Swartz of 58 years preceded him in death in 2005.

He was born March 10, 1927 in Winchester, VA to the late Walter Scott and Ida Mae Swartz. Mr. Swartz was a WWII veteran, serving in Germany. He and his wife Annie owned and operated Centreville Landscaping for over 50 years. He and his wife purchased a home from C.D. Hylton in the early 50s where they raised a family and lived there through their entire life where he grew sod on over 150 acres for over half his life. He was an avid Redskin fan and loved NASCAR. He was a home-body, loving his family and many friends.

He is survived by his children Shirley Chandler and her husband Donald of Manassas, Betty Kline and her husband Lowell of Warrenton, Barbara Swartz of Fairfax, his sister Millie Neilson of Maryland, his brothers Aubrey Swartz of Maryland, Edward Swartz of Winchester, and Charles Swartz of Winchester.

Also surviving are four grandchildren Corinna Hoddo of Amissville, Dewayne McCarter of Manassas, Sheryl Cabbage of Fairfax, Dana Hensley of Warrenton, 5 great-grandchildren, and 3 great great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 2:00-4:00 P.M. and 6:00-8:00 P.M. Tuesday, February 12, 2008 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas where funeral services will be held 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, February 13, 2008. Interment will follow at Stonewall Memory Gardens, Manassas.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to Capital Hospice, 10530 Linden Lake Plaza, Suite 200, Manassas, VA 20109-6434 In Memory of Ernest Benjamin Swartz

Condolences may be sent to [www.piercefh.com](http://www.piercefh.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Shirley and Don,

*I am so sorry for your loss. I wish i could be there to give you my support and love.*

*Sincerely,*

*Linda*

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**Linda Love** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

JR

“ Betty, so sorry to hear about your Dad's passing.

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**Jackie Whorton Rawlings** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

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“ I am so sorry to hear about Ernie passing. Him and his wife were very good friends. They helped me when I needed help the most. They were very dear friends. They were two of the nicest people that I knew. I will always remember them.

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**Nancy McCarty** - February 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM