



Rites Set Today For Charles E. Reed, 48

Funeral services for Charles Edmond Reed, 48, a veteran of World War II of Route 1, Kemper Lane, who died Friday morning in Ephraim McDowell Memorial Hospital after a short illness, will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at Salt River Baptist Church by the Rev. Edward Orberson and the Rev. C. R. Hill. Burial will be in Spring Hill Cemetery at Harrodsburg.

Active casketbearers will be Bobby Rouse, Gene Triplett, Earl Galloway, Byron Followell, Everett Cheatham and Jim Shearer. Honorary bearers will be the surviving members of Company D, 192nd Battalion, who made the famed Bataan Death March during World War II, when Mr. Reed was a prisoner of war of the Japanese for three and a half years.

A native of Mercer County, a farmer and a former local merchant, he had lived here 22 years since his military discharge in 1945, and was a member of Salt River Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Iva Pearl Reed; six brothers, including Leo Reed, Danville and Buell Reed, Junction City; three sisters, and several nieces and nephews.

The body is at Preston-Pruitt Funeral Home in Danville.

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