



Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

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**CABANISS, EARL DAVES, '43**

Died 1 May 2012 at home in Pulaski, VA He was 89.

From 1943-4, Earl was a sergeant in the 654th Tank Destroyer Bn, a part of Patton's Third Army. He served in Normandy, the Ardennes, the Rhineland and Central Europe. He was awarded a Bronze Star for valor at St. Lo.

From 1946-49, he was in the hardware business. From 1949-1967, he was with CIT Financial Corporation. From 1969 until retirement in 1990, he was a Regional Vice President, Virginia National Bank (now Bank of America). He was a member of the Pulaski Country Club for 60 years.

Survived by his wife of 65 years, Edna Faye Brickhouse Cabaniss; a son, Earl, Jr. of Pulaski; two daughters, Susan Kirby of Roanoke and Beth Wadsworth of Savannah, GA; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

At Augusta 5 years: First Captain, (the only Headquarters Company Commander ever to be Battalion Commander); varsity football, basketball, boxing and baseball. He was a fifteen letter man and member of the Monogram Club; Honor Committee; Cotillion Club. ***Ad Astra per Aspera.***

Cabaniss was elected to AMA Sports Hall of Fame in 2010.

*The family requested that contributions be made to the AMA Alumni Foundation in Earl's memory.*

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