

#### **Funeral Service**

First United Methodist Church McPherson, Kansas Wednesday, November 27, 2024, at 10:30 AM

#### **Officiant**

**Pastor Andrew Conard** 

#### **Musical Selections**

Prelude Video Tribute

Recordings by Kansas Mennonite Men's Chorus:
"Holy God", "Because He Lives",
"The Blessing of Aaron", "I Must Tell Jesus",
"Precious Lord, Take My Hand",
"To God Be the Glory", "Sing Me Up to Heaven"

Service

Solo: "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"
Congregational Hymn: "Beyond the Sunset"
Recessional Congregational Hymn:
"It is Well with My Soul" (UMH 377)
Michelle King, vocalist & pianist

#### **Casket Bearers**

Chris Achilles ~ Ryan Achilles Ashley Achilles ~ Aubrie Achilles ~ Cody Achilles Sydney Achilles ~ Delanie Achilles

#### **Honorary Casket Bearers**

Roy Wash ~ Maynard Lewis ~ Carl Ediger John Reimer ~ Galen Case ~ Howard Hall

#### **Ushers**

Dave Ward ~ Harold Hazelton

#### **Final Resting Place**

McPherson Cemetery Military Honors provided by American Legion Post #24 and V.F.W. Post #2715 "Taps" by Mark Casebeer, trumpet

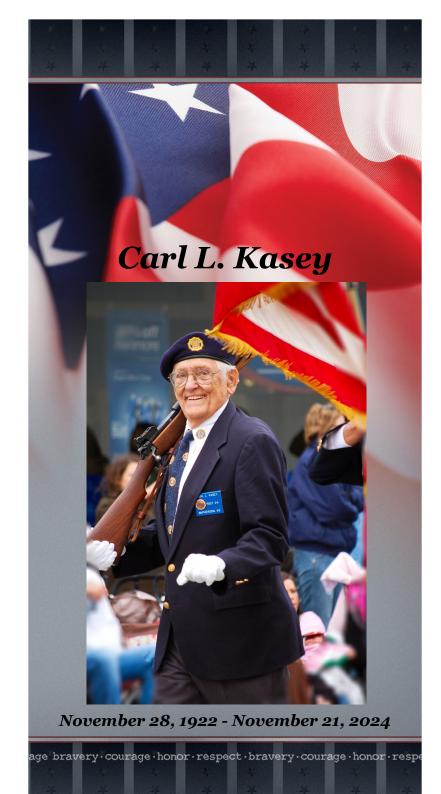
#### **Memorial Donations**

Memorial donations can be made to First United Methodist Church, Save N' Share, or American Legion Post #24 in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

#### **Appreciation & Luncheon**

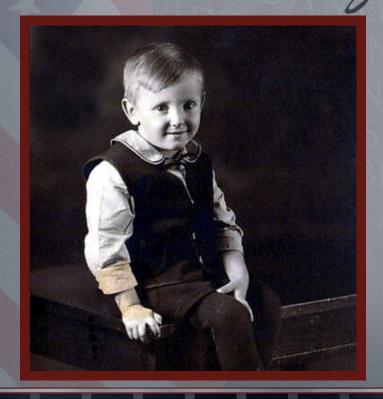
Carl's family wishes to express sincere appreciation for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and your presence at this service. Following the graveside service, the family invites all back to the church in Hess Hall for food and fellowship.

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## Celebrating

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### Carl L. Kasey

Carl Leo Kasey, 101, of McPherson, KS, passed away peacefully on Thursday, November 21, 2024, surrounded by family at MTM Boarding Care Home, McPherson.

He was born on November 28, 1922 to Roy Day and Frances Margaret (Linholm) Kasey at their farm in Groveland Township. Carl attended school for four years at Mt. Zion School near their farm. When Mt. Zion closed, his education continued in the McPherson school system through high school.

After completing 3 years at McPherson College, World War II interrupted Carl's education, and he joined the Navy. After 3 years of service in the Navy, and a variety of assignments in different locations, he returned to McPherson College where he continued playing basketball and completed his degree in Chemistry.

On May 8, 1949, Carl was united in marriage to Betty J. Bedell, also of McPherson. They were blessed with two children, Karen and Dennis.

In the fall of 1957, Carl entered a new career as a teacher in the McPherson school district. Over the next 28 years, he

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primarily taught Physical Science courses, and eventually earned a Master's Degree in Biology from Emporia State University.

As a life-long resident of the McPherson area, Carl was an active member of the First United Methodist Church. He could be seen throughout the community volunteering in many ways including at The American Legion, Save 'N Share, All Schools Day parades, Meals on Wheels, and FUMC. Carl loved attending football and basketball games while cheering on the Bullpups and Bulldogs and could often be found in the stands supporting his great-grandchildren in their activities.

Carl is survived by his children, Karen (John) Regier of Hesston, KS, and Dennis Kasey of La Grange, GA; grandchildren, Chris (Aimee) Achilles of Manhattan, KS, and Ryan (Shannon) Achilles of McPherson, KS; and 5 great-grandchildren, Ashley, Aubrie, Cody, Sydney and Delanie.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Duane; sister, Betty L.; and wife, Betty J.