



## Keith Eldon Gentry

November 18, 1931 - January 9, 2019

Keith Eldon Gentry, 87, passed away at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center on Wednesday, January 9, 2019. He retired from Civil Service on Fort Bragg after 36 years of dedicated service.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Davis Gentry of Stedman, NC; son, Ronald Gentry and wife Loretta of Stedman, NC; daughter, Cynthia Brooks of Flowery Branch, GA; and granddaughter, Bethany Mann of Flowery Branch, Ga.

There will be a private family service at a later date.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Keith Eldon Gentry*

October 09, 2023 at 04:46 AM



“ *Keith Eldon Gentry*

October 08, 2023 at 11:29 AM



“ *Keith Eldon Gentry*

October 05, 2023 at 02:31 PM



“ *I remember Uncle Kay, mostly, coming to our house when we lived on the farm when I was little. He reminded me of Grandpa Gentry.*

*Love,  
Lisa Gentry Simmons*

**Lisa Gentry Simmons** - June 10, 2019 at 03:58 PM

CB

“ ...going with my Daddy to the A&W Root Beer Stand in Illinois where he got me a baby-sized frosted mug of root beer...going to the Peru Swimming Pool... going to Aunt Vi and Jake's lake house...all the bikes and scooters he welded together to give us the coolest little vehicles in Peru...summer vacations all over the USA...boy scouts and girl scouts in NC...when I saw him slip, then slide down Billy Culbreth's roof upside down and I thought he was going to hit the ground head first, but he flipped in mid-air and only broke his ankle - Thank you Jesus!... the best grilled cheese sandwiches in the world and home made pancakes that looked like Mickey Mouse...letting me wash the plastic dishes at the sink after mom went to bed... rubbing my face and tickling me with his whiskers after he had been on a fishing trip...seeing him at all my ballgames whether I was cheerleading or playing in the band... seeing him at all of my concerts... listening to him make a noise like a squirrel to make us laugh... watching him cut the grass year after year after year... going to Laurel Lake, White Lake and Carolina Beach...watching him use his beautiful hands to create clocks, benches and more out of cedar... and so many more beautiful memories...

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**Cynthia Gentry Brooks** - January 18, 2019 at 03:13 PM

CB

*Here it is January 30, 2026 and somehow I am still living and thinking of you at this moment, Daddy. I'll love you forever and hopefully will soon be with you in Glory. Your daughter, forever, Cindy.*

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**Cynthia Gentry Brooks** - January 30 at 01:33 PM

DG

“ *DEBBIE GRICE sent a virtual gift in memory of Keith Eldon Gentry*



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**DEBBIE GRICE** - January 11, 2019 at 03:41 PM

JG

“ *JOHNNY & DEBRA GRICE lit a candle in memory of Keith Eldon Gentry*



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**JOHNNY & DEBRA GRICE** - January 11, 2019 at 03:40 PM