



## Robert Neal Slater

August 31, 1949 - February 13, 2017

Robert Neal Slater, 67, passed away February 13, 2017 at his residence. Visitation will be 5pm-8pm Thursday at Stringer Family Funeral Home in Crystal Springs. Services will be 11am Friday at Stringer Family Chapel with burial at Crystal Springs Cemetery. Stringer Family Funeral Home in Crystal Springs is handling arrangements.

Mr. Slater was a native of Crystal Springs and was a resident of Madison since 1998. He was a US Army Veteran and received the Bronze Star. He served two tours in Vietnam and later served a tour in Europe. Mr. Slater retired from the US Postal Service after 27 years of service and also drove for McLean Transport for 14 years.

He is survived by his wife, Charlotte Sue Hubbord Slater; daughters, Kristin Michelle Williamson (Drew) of Madison and Andrea Nicole Hare (Michael) of Clinton; father, Robert Melvin Slater of Byram; brother, Billy Pitts of Clinton; and 4 grandchildren, Christina Slater, Tyler Williamson, Amelia Hare, and Braxton Luke Williamson.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Neal Slater*

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January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *I didn't know Robert but when I read about his service in Vietnam I wanted to write to you. My younger brother served in Vietnam but he didn't come home, he was a Marine and died on the battle field. I guess I just wanted to say that Robert was a hero and I'm sorry I didn't know him. Love the story about the snake!*  
*Mrs. Jim (Mary) Kitchens, Crystal Springs*

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**Mary Kitchens** - February 21, 2017 at 07:56 AM



“ *Robert told me a story about not sleeping on the ground in Vietnam. He said that he was on a mountain with his men and it was time to sleep. They were supposed to use hammocks, but he didn't and woke with a snake next to him. He said he flung that snake as far as he could off that mountain.*

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**Connie Jimmy Sentell** - February 16, 2017 at 02:54 PM