



Glen Bullington, S.D.S.

<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>December 11, 1930</i>
<i>Date of Commitment</i>	<i>December 08, 2006</i>
<i>Date of Death</i>	<i>December 15, 2009</i>

Glen Bullington was born on August 14, 1930 to the late Haywood and Alice Cleo Petty Bullington in Norwalk, California. He attended Excelsior High School in Norwalk before moving to Michigan to live with an aunt while attending trade school where he trained as an electrician. In Michigan, he met the love of his life, Mary Kathleen.

Glen and Mary married on December 11, 1948 and their life together for 61 years gave great testimony to their faith in God and their love for each other. Their marriage produced six wonderful children: David, Kathy, Garry, Ricky, Daryl and Martha. Glen was preceded in death by two of his sons, Garry and Daryl with whom he is surely enjoying a beautiful reunion in heaven. His children gave him twelve grandchildren and thirteen great grandchildren, who filled his life with much happiness.

In 1961, Glen was transferred to Cookeville, Tennessee with his company. At that time they joined St. Thomas Aquinas Church. They also bought a house and farm in nearby Gainesboro. In 1966, he was transferred back to Michigan. In 1973, he returned to Cookeville and was employed for 22 years as an electrician with Fleetguard before his retirement.

Glen was an active member of St. Thomas Aquinas parish and a member of the Knights of Columbus. In 2004 when the first group of Lay Salvatorians was being formed in Cookeville, Glen and Mary were among the first folks to step forward. In his letter to be accepted as a Candidate, Glen wrote: "I am interested in becoming a member because of the ideals, characteristics and philosophy of the Salvatorians. Now that I am retired, I feel I have the time to share with others my love of Christ and the Church and the best way to do that is to become a Lay Salvatorian." Glen made his commitment as a Lay Salvatorian on December 8, 2006. He was very involved with the local group, hosting gatherings at his home. He also shared his wisdom with the larger community by attending Regional retreats in Alabama.

Glen passed away on December 15, 2009 and was buried from St. Thomas Aquinas Church on December 18, 2009 and was laid to rest at the Bullington Family Cemetery in Gainesboro, Tennessee. In the words of Father Don Loskot, his sponsor as a Lay Salvatorian, "Glen was a fine Catholic gentleman". We will miss him.