



Donald Staton Ross

January 20, 1934 - December 31, 2013

Graveside Services for Donald Staton Ross, Petty Officer First Class, US Navy, (ret), age 79, of Ft. Worth, Texas will be held on Saturday, January 4th, 2014 at 2:00 p. m. at the Troy Cemetery, (8 miles NW of Tishomingo) with Mr. Dean Ross officiating. Military Honors provided by The Chickasaw Nation Honor Guard. Mr. Ross passed away on December 31st, 2013 at the Baylor All Saints Medical Center in Ft. Worth.

Donald was born on January 20th, 1934 in Reagan, Oklahoma to James Lewis Ross and Jessie Alma (Tolbert) Ross. He grew up in this area and after high school entered the United States Navy, serving mostly during the Vietnam era on several ships and receiving several honors to include, the Good Conduct Medal, Vietnam Service Medal with a bronze star, Vietnam Campaign Medal and the Navy Unit Commendation Medal. After his discharge, he lived in Texas for the remainder of his life, most recently living with his daughter and son-in-law.

Donald was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Auralee Evelyn Ross on February 1st, 2000; and five brothers, John Ross, Clyde Ross, Curtis Ross, Melvin Langston and Leonard Langston.

He is survived by his daughter, Cynthia Thornton and husband James of Ft. Worth, Texas; and several nieces and nephews in include, Dean Ross and

wife Jeanette of Reagan, Oklahoma.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Staton Ross*

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