



Addis Mitchell

August 20, 1921 - January 15, 2016

Addis E. Mitchell was born on August 20, 1921 and passed away on January 15, 2016 at the age of 94. Addis was a kindly man who often showed a hardened exterior, but helped others freely throughout his life. He was raised in the 1920's when things were extremely hard. He witnessed life with four siblings, who often didn't have enough food for the entire family. Their parents frequently did without food to feed their children. Addis started working when he was 16 by delivering telegrams to receiving families. He joined the Army in World War II at the age of 20 He was stationed in Kingsville Texas and attended college briefly at Texas A&I. After completing his military education at Fort Monmouth New Jersey, Addis was sent to the Pacific while the war was chaotic. He was stationed on the small island of Saipan. His health forced him to return to the United States, where he became a businessman and worked successfully operating a radio business. Later, he became a contractor and professionally, efficiently installed ceilings, heating and air-conditioning units and frequently several others for the building and construction industry. Following the war, he successfully raised a family. He is preceded in death by his parents John and Bertha Mitchell, siblings Mildred Hutton, Joyce Walker and Jeannine Stewart. Survivors include his beloved wife Ingrid, loving daughter Debra Gaylor and her husband Glenn, brother Jack H. Mitchell and wife Arline, 2 grandchildren Dwayne and Derek, 3 grandchildren Zowie, Kynzlie and Wyatt and other loving family members and friends.

Visitation will begin on Sunday, January 17, 2016 from 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral service will be held on Tuesday, January 19, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park.

For personal acknowledgement, you may sign the online guestbook at www.missionparks.com in the obituary section.

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“ I met Addis through his Aunt Anna Lee many years ago. Although we lost touch when we moved, I always held a place in my heart for him & his family. I was grateful he took care of Buddy for Anna he was special too. ❤️



Love, Rick & Anette Sanchez

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