



## Arthur Branch Cooper

September 8, 2012 - September 8, 2012

Arthur Art B. Cooper, Jr., age 85, passed away September 6, 2012 at home. He was a lifetime resident of this city, born on April 30, 1927 to Arthur and Minnetta Cooper, Sr. Arthur was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather. He was preceded in death by his parents, first wife Charlene Cooper, second wife Earlene Dorman Cooper, and son Clifford. Arthur is survived by sister Monette West, sons and daughters-in-law Monte Patti, Brenda, Mark Cheryl, and Burt, also stepdaughters Linda and Barbara. He also leaves behind 12 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews and many friends. He was a strong willed man, but could be depended on when needed by family or friends. He loved traveling with both of his wives. He contracted polio in the early 50's, totally recovered, and never let it slow him down. After a long career in the newspaper business Arthur retired from the San Antonio Light. He will be greatly missed by family and friends. Visitation for Arthur will be at Mission Park Funeral Chapel South, Monday, September 10, 2012 from 5:00 P.M. until 9:00 P.M. The Funeral will be 9:00 A.M. Tuesday September 11, 2012 at Mission Park Funeral Chapel South. The interment will follow at San Jose Burial Park.