



Charles Ray Raz, Sr.

February 18, 1937 - March 17, 2015

Charles Ray Raz, Sr. was born on February 18, 1937 in Yoakum, TX and went to be with the Lord on March 17, 2015. He retired after 40 years from Pearl Brewery in 2002 and continued to volunteer at the brewery as a tour guide. Charles proudly served in the United States Coast Guard. He also volunteered his time to play taps for veteran funerals. Charles enjoyed his daily walks and enjoyed meeting new people on the walking trails. Charles was a loving father, grandfather and great grandfather, who never met a stranger and will be missed by all who knew him. He is preceded in death by his wife Theresa Raz. Charles is survived by his daughter, Juli Kirkland and husband Kris; sons, Charles Raz, Jr. and wife Susan, Edward Raz and wife Michelle; grandchildren, Charles Joseph Raz, Amber Raz, Krista Kirkland and Megan Raz; 4 great grandchildren; brother, Joseph Raz and wife Agnes. A visitation will be held at Oak Hills Mortuary on Monday, March 23, 2015 from 6:00 – 8:00 PM with a Rosary to being at 7:00 PM. Mass will be held at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at St. Pius X Catholic Church with entombment to follow at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery.