



Earl Richard Robertson

February 18, 1924 - February 26, 2009

Earl Richard Robertson, age 85, of San Antonio, Texas passed away peacefully February 26, 2009 with his loving wife Lorraine at his side. He was born on February 18, 1924 at the home of his parents, also known as "The Home Place", located in Bexar County, Texas. He was the youngest of six children born to Robert Edward Robertson and Mary Veronica Seltzer. Earl grew up on the family farm raising seasonal crops and livestock to support the family. On January 12, 1945, Earl entered the U.S. Army and served honorably in the Pacific theater, earning several awards and citations. Shortly after, his military tour, he met and married his wife, Lorraine. They were married for 61 years. Earl and Lorraine resided on a small portion of the family farm and raised three children. Earl's life focused on farming, ranching, and instilling strong family and lifetime values in their children. Due to the 1955 Texas drought and hard economic times, Earl sought employment with the East Central Independent School District where he retired in 1987 as the Transportation Manager. Earl is survived by his loving wife Lorraine and beloved family including his children: Glenn R. Robertson and his wife Rosanna; Kathy C. Elder and her husband Jay Rodney; Eric R. Robertson and his wife Destie Lynn; Also surviving are grandchildren Amanda M. Robertson; Nicholas R. Robertson; William E. Robertson; and Shelby R. Robertson. Let's not forget Earl's pets, Penny, Dobby and Buddy.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held from 4:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. Monday, March 2 at Mission

Park Funeral Chapels South; funeral service will be at 11:00 A.M. Tuesday, March 3, 2009 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow at Mission Burial Park South. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Earl Robertson's name be made to: American Heart/American Stroke Association, make checks payable to: American Heart/American Stroke Association and mail to: c/o Kathy Elder, P.O. Box 782425, San Antonio, TX 78278-2425, or for online donations go to: <http://honorary.americanheart.org/goto/Earl.Robertson>; for online donations please send acknowledgement cards c/o Kathy Elder to the above listed address; or make checks payable to The Earl Robertson Memorial Scholarship Fund, Account No. 0918283, Broadway Bank, P.O. Box 17001, San Antonio, TX 78217 to benefit the La Vernia High School FFA Future Farmers of America program.

Tribute Wall

JP

“ Kathy,

I am so sorry to hear about your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Joy Pendleton - March 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Earl and you are in my prayers. May his memory be eternal.

Kathleen Bachus - March 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Kathy, I am so sorry to hear about your Dad, remember that God is in control, I will continue to pray for you guys for comfort and to give you peace beyond all understanding during this time. Janis

Janis Madewell - March 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Eric and family, my thoughts and prayers go out to you all. May God bless you and comfort you at this time of need.

Racquel Ethridge - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Dear Eric & Robertson family,
Our prayers go out to you and your family. May you be embraced in Gods arms to carry thru this time.
God Bless you always,
Love you,
Bob & Doris

Bob & Doris Taylor - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ Dear Eric & Family
Mr. Robertson was a wonderful friend that just knew how to make you smile, always so easy to talk to and a joy to be around. We will miss you. Our prayers are with you all.
Curtis and Adam Eisenhauer
Gunnison, Co.
Joe Eisenhauer

Curtis, Adam & Joe Eisenhauer - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ER

“ Dear Eric & Robertson Family,
We wish to express our heart felt sympathy to you and your family. Our prayers are with you all.
Most sincerely,
Everett & Josephine Riedel
Converse

Everett & Josephine Riedel - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ We send our condolences to Mrs. Robertson and family. May God keep you in His prayers.

Randy & Anna Honn - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ We are thinking about you and you are all in our thoughts and prayers.

With our deepest condolences,

Your Friends at S & S Truck Parts

Christy Hayes - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ Kathy and the Robertson family, Please accept my deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. God allows us to enjoy the life of our love ones for an undetermined period of time. Have comfort in knowing that he will spend eternity with the heavenly fat

Betty Joshua - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ I know that your memories and fondness will stay with you always. keep smiling and know you are loved and missed. I am very sorry for your loss. Please call me if you ever need to talk ok? 613 967 5962 love you lots Patty

patty Bedard - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ God Bless the family of Earl Robertson....All my love, nephew Sam Clark

Sam Clark - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Our sympathy goes out to you and your family, prayers to you & your mom. God bless.

Diane & Richard Fetsch - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ My deepest sympathy. My thoughts & prayers are with you & your family. I worked with Mr. Robertson's daughter, Kathy Elder & I find her to be one of the most loving, warm, hard-working, & compassionate person. I'm sure her Dad was proud to see that his daugh

SYLVIA LINARES - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *Kathy, I am sorry for your trials, heartbreak and loss. I hope you and your family will be able to find peace soon. I have been thinking about you throughout and will continue to do so.*

Connie Bertetti - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Earl was an honorable man and I had a great respect for him. God bless all of you*

Jim Highbanks - March 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dear Aunt Loraine, Eric and Family, Glenn and Family and Cathy and Family, Our most sincere condolences go out to each of you in the loss of Uncle Earl. We pray that God keep you and comfort you in the days ahead. We are forever grateful to God for havi*

Ronald Robertson Family - March 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *Mrs. Robertson, Glenn and Rosanna, You are all in my prayers for the Lord to give you Comfort and Peace. I have some very funds memories of my children hood with the Robertson family. I always remember the friendship my dad and Mr. Robertson shared. I rem*

Gloria Gonzales Woods - March 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *Kathy, I am so sorry to hear about your loss. May the Lord keep you in His care and give you peace. Nothing I can say will take away the pain but you are in our prayers.*

Monica Molpus - March 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *All our prayers are with you. God is holding you all close now.*

Roberta Cover de Waal - February 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM