



Elias Leo De La Garza

July 20, 1917 - June 13, 2012

Elias Leo De La Garza passed away June 13, 2012 at the age of 94. He was born in Berclair, Texas on July 20, 1917. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Mary Louise, and his son Leo Anthony De La Garza. He is survived by daughters Veronica De La Garza David, and Debbie Cade, granddaughter Amelia Horn-O'Brien Cody, great granddaughter Mazzy and numerous other family members and friends. Leo served in WWII and was on Normandy beach during the infamous D-Day invasion . Upon returning from overseas, he worked at Kelly AFB where he was employed for 30 years. Family was of the utmost importance to Leo. He was always happy, even in his last years, and greeted everyone he met with a smile. He will be dearly missed by everyone who knew and loved him. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Research. Visitation will begin at 6:00 PM on Monday, June 18, 2012 at St. George Maronite Catholic Church with the Rosary at 7:00 PM. Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 also at the church. Interment will follow at Mission Burial Park North.