



Ernest Albin Reinhard

January 11, 1924 - June 10, 2008

REINHARD

Ernest Albin Reinhard was devoted to his family and community, and his church fellowship was an enduring comfort for him. The native San Antonian was born to Ernest Paul and Frieda Reinhard on January 11, 1924, and passed away on June 10, 2008. He is preceded in death by an infant son; sisters Stella Darilek, Gertrude Reinhard and Helene Rogers; and brother William Reinhard. He graduated from Brackenridge High School in 1942 and attended Texas A&M University for a year. The nation was at war and Ernest traveled from San Antonio to Houston to enlist in the U.S. Army-Air Force. He graduated from Officer's Training, earned the rank of lieutenant and served as a pilot. After the war ended, he enrolled at the University of Texas at Austin to finish his education. He received a degree in Civil Engineering from the university and also met his sweetheart, Betty Conn, there. The couple married and celebrated 59 years of life together.

Ernest began his career in San Antonio with United Gas Pipeline and then joined City Public Service. After 23 years with City Public Service he retired in 1988. He was a member of Castle Hills First Baptist Church and Pacesetters Sunday School Class. He enjoyed playing chess and was an avid stamp collector, hobbyist gardener and enthusiastic sports fan, particularly of Longhorn football. Along with his church fellowship and service to his city Ernest also greatly enjoyed and took pride in his daughters Joan Fulenwider

and Susan Dreier, and four grandchildren, Franklin Holik and wife Kelley, Karen Holik, and Robert and Mark Fulenwider . In addition to his wife Betty, children and grandchildren, Ernest is survived by sons-in-law Fred Fulenwider, Michael Dreier and daughter Amanda and husband Chris Levin, sister-in-law Sadie Bybee, niece Carol Emery, nephew Tom Rogers and wife Chris, and other beloved brothers-and-sisters-in-law and their families. His family will surely miss his quiet strength.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Friday-June 27, 2008 from 6:00PM until 8:00PM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Funeral Services will be on Saturday-June 28, 2008 at 9:00AM at the funeral home chapel, with Reverend David George officiating. Interment will follow at San Jose Burial Park with Air Force Honors. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 7400 Louis Pasteur, San Antonio, TX 78229 or to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 11537, Alexandria, VA 22312. You may sign the on-line guestbook at www.missionparks.com under the obituary section.

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Tribute Wall

RS

“Ernie” was my friend, My HighSchool classmate, My fellow Freshman Aggie, My companion when we went to Houston to join the Army Air Corps together, My room-mate at University of Texas ! How I have come to love him over a period of 66 years ! Please kee

Reita & Charlie Seidemann - July 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ I enjoyed working with Ernie in the Civil Engineering Section for 19 years at City Public Service. He taught me alot, and helped me obtain my professional engineers license and my professional surveyors license, for which I will be forever grateful.

Donald W. Klinzing, P.E., R.P.L.S. - June 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Von will be greatly missed by all his family and friends. I have such fond memories of him during family gatherings. In the days and months ahead, my prayers are now for my aunt, Betty, and my cousins, Joan and Susan.

Love ya dearly, cathy hulsey ho

CATHY HOWLE - June 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Vaughn will surely be missed. Sending our love and prayers.
Dick and Renae

Dick Conn - June 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *My sincere and heartfelt condolences. He was a fine man -- always most pleasant and kind. I'm fortunate to have known him.*

Barbara Fulenwider - June 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ *Extending our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one.*

Directors & Staff at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North - June 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM