



Franklin J. Wong

February 17, 1928 - March 14, 2021

Franklin J. Wong entered eternal rest on March 14, 2021, in San Antonio, Texas after a full 93 years of life. He was born on February 17, 1928 in San Antonio, Texas to Pon Tong Wong and Lee Shee Wong.

Franklin was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Mildred Fong Wong (1990); sister Dora Leung (2013), daughter-in-law, Erin Alane Boade (2018) (Franklin Wong, Jr); brothers-in-law, John Leung, Sr, Sing Gum Ng and Nann Lew.

He is survived by his five children, Franklin Wong, Jr., Gwendolyn Wong Leggett (Paul David Leggett), Darrell William Wong, Calvin Paul Wong, and Dennis Keith Wong; sisters, Lily Wong Ng and Mable Wong Lew; grandchildren, David Wong (Takako Koro Wong), Candace Wong (Sean Mabarak), Julia Alyson-Mil Leggett, Maddison Wong, and Devyn Wong; great-granddaughter, Arisa Erin Wong (David and Takako); and numerous other loving family members and friends.

Franklin graduated from Fox Technical High School in 1946 where he studied electronics and was Head Cheerleader for three years. He lettered in track at Horace Mann Junior High School.

He attended Saint Mary's University before enlisting and serving one-year active duty at Fort Bliss, El Paso before serving an additional three years in

the Army reserves.

Frank and Mildred Fong, (Shreveport, LA), began their life together on August 20, 1950. They were married forty years until Mildred's untimely passing.

He and Mildred operated Liberty Food Store on South Flores, originally opened by his parents in 1942, for over fifty years. He worked in restaurants after closing Liberty Food Store before joining HEB's Deli Department, where he enjoyed the work and time spent with his younger HEB colleagues.

Franklin moved to San Antonio Wellness and Rehab in 2017.

A graveside service honoring Franklin's life and accomplishments will be held on Saturday, April 17, 2021 at 1:00 PM at Mission Burial Park South.

In lieu of flowers, please direct donations in remembrance of Franklin to a charity of your choosing.

In accordance with CDC safety precautions, everyone is required to wear a mask and practice social distancing at the cemetery. We thank you in advance.

Cemetery Details

Mission Burial Park South

1700 SE Military Dr.
San Antonio, TX 78214
<http://www.missionparks.com>

Previous Events

Graveside Service with Military Honors

APR 17. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Franklin J. Wong.*



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“ *I worked for Frankie at Liberty Food Store during several summers and also helped take the store inventory around the end of the year in the mid- and late-50's. It was more than a job because Frankie never treated me like the kid that I was. I learned a lot during these times including how to shoot dice with the stock boys on pay day.*

I have fond memories from the store like when Frankie Junior climbed up a high stack of empty cardboard boxes, which came tumbling down just when I was walking by and I was able to break his fall. When she was only 3 or 4 years old, Gwen was sitting on the small shelf outside the meat case and was falling asleep. I managed to catch her before she fell off. Strange coincidences.

I remember fishing with Frankie, his dad, Sing, and my father. Those were really fun times. Of course, I now realize that one of my learning experiences was getting the lion's share of cleaning the fish.

I will always cherish knowing Frankie and his family.

Roscoe Lee

Roscoe Lee - April 08, 2021 at 09:25 PM

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Dennis, your father's graveside was a perfect tribute of his life. We have you and your family in our prayers. Edward Esquivel and Family

Edward Esquivel - April 17, 2021 at 03:54 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Franklin J. Wong.*



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