



George Brandon Ellis

May 22, 1926 - August 1, 2010

ELLIS

Ret Maj USAF, George Brandon Ellis, entered into rest on August 1, 2010 in San Antonio, Texas. He was born on May 22, 1926 in Lawton, Oklahoma to Robert G. Ellis and Theresa Cotten Ellis. He was married for 56 years to Doris Mathews Ellis, the love of his life, who preceded him in death in 2002. He is survived by his three daughters and their husbands, Cheryl and Thomas Troup, Deborah and Michael Griffin and Linda and Charles O'Dell as well as 11 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

George enlisted in the USN during WWII serving in the Pacific Theater. He then joined the USAF where after a total of 25 years of military service he retired as a major in 1965. After retirement, George and Doris became successful realtors in the San Antonio area. He also pursued other business ventures with his business partner of 35 years, Allen Hoxie.

George was a Master Mason, Alzafar Shrine Clown and played trumpet in the Alzafar Drum and Bugle Corps winning state and an international championship. He was also a member of the Royal Order of Jesters. George loved hunting and fishing. At age 84, George held a commercial pilot's license with a current medical certificate and enjoyed flying his airplane and helicopter.

SERVICES

Visitation will be from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesday, August 3, 2010 at

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. The Funeral Service will begin at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, August 3, 2010 also at the funeral home chapel. A Graveside Service will begin at 8:30 AM on Wednesday, August 4, 2010 at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery with full military honors.

Tribute Wall

ML

“ *May the Lord preserve the blessed memories of George Ellis, his presence and full life. May each you in the family have a gentle sustaining strength through God's kind grace for comfort to ease this separation.*

Marina Lewis - August 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ *Dear Ellis Family:*

Please accept my deepest sympathies on the loss of your beloved. There are never any right words to express how deeply sad I am for the pain your family is enduring at this difficult time.

Although I did not have the honor an

Senator Leticia Van de Putte - August 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *know that your family is in our hearts and prayers, may God wrap his arms around you all and bring you comfort in knowing that he is home with our Father above.*

Charles & Paula mcDonald - August 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *Linda, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Know that he is at peace with our Lord.*

*Love and Hugs,
Kathy*

Kathy Woodworth - August 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *Debbie, I am so sorry for your loss. Your Dad was such a nice man, and a pleasure to do business with.*
Thinking of you,
Cheri Russell

Cheri Russell - August 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *Linda,*
I am so sorry to read about your dad. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Email me sometime and hopefully we can get together soon.

Julie Timmer - August 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM