



## James Damron "JD" Johnston

May 28, 1930 - May 20, 2014

### JOHNSTON

Chief MSGT JAMES DAMRON "JD" JOHNSTON, US Air Force RET born May 28, 1930 in Moody, Texas, passed away on May 20, 2014 at the age of 83. He is survived by his wife, Barbara J. Johnston of 60 years of marriage. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Rhonda Lerette; brothers: RV and Wayne Johnston; a sister, Eva Lee Gerhardt; and brother-in-law, Durwood Woody Hill. Survivors include his son-in-law, Henry Lerette; Granddaughter, Lacey Mundaca & Husband Tony; Nephews: Ralph Gerhardt & wife Mary Ann, Carl Gerhardt & Wife Linda, and Alton Gerhardt & Wife Eva; sister-in-Law: Kathleen Johnston and Cloetta Hill; and numerous Nieces, Nephews, Cousins, Neighbors and Friends. He honorably served his country in the US Air Force Texas Air National Guard Hall of Honor in 1992 at Camp Mabry, Texas, in the Korean Conflict in 1952, National Guard – 149th Fighter Group 41 years and Kelly Airfield – 33 years. He also served on Board of Directors – Credit Union, Senior Master Sergeant – Ground Power Section, Senior Enlisted Advisor and Southern Pacific Railroad for 7 years.