



## John Lawrence Rioux

August 22, 1935 - June 13, 2009

### RIOUX

John Lawrence Rioux was born on August 22, 1935 in Brownsville, Texas and went to be with the Lord on June 13, 2009. He retired from the United States Army after 23 years of dedicated service as a Helicopter Pilot. John is survived by his loving wife Ruth Hannelore Westphal Rioux; sisters, Sharon Jo Middleton and husband Morgan, Brenda Johnell Henson and husband James; 4 brothers-in-law, 1 sister-in-law, 2 nieces, 3 nephews, 6 great nieces and 5 great nephews.

### SERVICES

A memorial service will be held at 9:00 AM on Monday, June 22, 2009 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North with interment to follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery at 10:30 AM.

# Tribute Wall

SP

“ Dear Rioux family:

*It is with deepest sadness that I extend my condolences to you on the loss of your beloved.*

*As Chair of the Senate Committee on Veteran Affairs and Military Installations, I am sincerely thankful for his valiant service and dedi*

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**Senator Leticia Van de Putte** - June 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VV

“ *It was a pleasure to know John and Hannah. They were good friends and neighbors.*

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**Verna Venander** - June 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PN

“ *John, my friend you will be missed more than words can say. I love you and will always keep you in my heart. May you rest in peace. God bless you always.*

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**Pam Neuman** - June 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *He was a great joy to know and befriend. We knew him and his wife. He will be missed greatly.*

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**Larry And Jeanne Bergstrom** - June 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *Many of your Army friends & others have been left with treasured memories.*

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**Mary Mallory** - June 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM