



Reverend Roy Herbert Wold

October 20, 1915 - August 20, 2014

Rev. Roy Herbert Wold was born in Chicago, Illinois on October 20, 1915 and went to be with his Lord on August 20, 2014, in San Antonio, Texas at the age of 98. He was one of the ten children of Lars and Elsa Wold. Roy was preceded in death by his parents, his previous wives, Laura and Constance, six of his siblings and his daughter Elsa. He is survived by his sisters Marie Pappas, May Sleep and Audrey Besaw and wife, Earline Wold, a son, Michael Wold and wife Erin, stepsons Richard Baldwin and wife Barbara, Roy Baldwin and wife, Caran, and stepdaughter Mary Watson and her husband, Patrick, as well as 8 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Roy grew up in the Boston area during the Depression and worked many odd jobs including shoe making and carpentry. He later served 7 years with the Salvation Army before earning a divinity degree from Perkins School of Theology. Rev. Wold served as a United Methodist minister in Bisbee, Arizona before moving to Texas where he served at Richland Springs-Rochelle, Quemado, Brady, Runge, Christine, Comfort, Browning in San Antonio, Bethany in San Antonio, Sterling City, Cuero, Telefener in Victoria and Los Angeles Heights in San Antonio. Following his retirement from the ministry Roy's passion turned to carpentry and woodworking. He built tables, chairs, cabinets, shelves, bird houses and bird feeders for his home as well as for many friends and family. With a twinkle in his blue eyes, "Papa Roy" was always looking for ways to help others. He enjoyed traveling with Earline and spending time with family and friends. He was loved by many and will be missed by all. In lieu of flowers the family is

suggesting a contribution in his name to the Helotes Hills UMC building fund or the charity of your choice.

Visitation will take place 011 Saturday, August 23, from 10-11 am at Helotes Hills United Methodist Church, 13222 Bandera Road, with a celebration of his life at 11:00. Burial will be at 11:00 am on Monday, August 25, at Sunset Cemetery, 1701 Austin Highway.