



Robert Lon Farr

December 6, 1923 - December 27, 2010

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Robert L. Farr, born December 6, 1923 in Wilmerding, PA to Fred Lon and Bernice Farr, passed away on December 27, 2010. Mr. Farr was a veteran of W.W. II having served in Europe with the U.S. Army and later attended the University of Pittsburgh. He worked as a Electronic Specialist for 10 years at Goodyear Atomic Energy Corporation and spent 25 years as a Electronics Technician at the Radiological Health Labs at Wright Patterson AFB and Brooks AFB where he retired in December 1988. He was involved in many of the Apollo Space Missions and worked on one Broken Arrow recovery Mission. Mr. Farr developed an instrument for the U.S. Air Force that measured radiation emissions for X Ray Machines. Mr. Farr was a self taught individual who loved building things with his hands. He was preceded in death by his parents and son-in-law, Nolan Beech. . Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Hazel B. Farr who together loved to Square dance. Other survivors include his daughters: Paulette Beech, Cynthia Trackwell Robert and Beverly Farr; a son, Robert L. Farr, II and wife Kim; sister, Shirley Orendi; 2 grandchildren: Jennifer and John; 2 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

SERVICES

Graveside Memorial services will be held at 2:00 PM on Friday, January 28, 2011 at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.