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A memorial graveside service for Elwyn Goolsby, 85, of Longview will be held at 1 PM Tuesday, December 16, 2008 at White Cemetery with Dale Hendricks officiating. Mr. Goolsby was born on November 5, 1923 in Gilmer to O.B. and Myrtle Holloway Goolsby. He passed away on Saturday morning, December 13, 2008 in a Longview nursing facility. He was raised in Mt. Pleasant and was a 1941 Graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School. He attended Texas A&M University and joined the United States Navy when the war broke out. He was a member of the Construction Battalion Maintenance Unit 509 in Amchik in the Aleutian Islands off of the Alaskan Shore. He eventually was sent to Southwestern University in Georgetown, TX as a Naval V-12 Officer Candidate. He was discharged on July 21, 1941 and went to work for his father, O.B. Goolsby, until March of 1957. He then went to work for Lone Star Steel Co. where he remained until taking early retirement in 1986. Mr. Goolsby is survived by his sister, Johnnie Brogoitti of Longview; and two stepchildren, Ronnie Jennings of Mesquite, and Carolyn Brunston of Waxahachie.



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Anonymous posted:

Working with you @ Lone Star Steel for many years was a privilege. You were a great friend. See you on the next round. Sincerely, Jack F. & Jo Gainey Henderson, Texas

December 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

We will keep your family in our prayers during this sad time. God bless Jim & Sarah Horn

December 14 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Ronnie and Carolyn, I am so sorry to learn of Elwyn's death. This year has not been good for any of us. My prayers are with you both and the grandchildren. Love, Aunt Kathy Barnard

December 13 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Johnnie & David, Our prayers and thoughts are with you. I hope you remember wonderful times with your brother and family. Peace at this difficult time. Love, Don and Jan

December 13 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Ronnie, Carolyn, Vicky & Lisa, So sorry to hear of your loss. I miss seeing you all. Our family has really reduced in numbers. Love to you all, Patti Ragsdale, Perry Watkins & Mary Jane Watkins

December 13 at 7:00 PM



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