



Carl Sansom

October 26, 1935 - February 4, 2014

Graveside services for Carl N. Sansom, 78 of Odessa will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, February 8, 2014 in the Forest Grove Cemetery in the Forest Grove Community with military honors. Pastor Jimmy Braswell will officiate. Carl N. Sansom was born October 26, 1935 in Alpine to Hal Bertram and Viola (Kimball) Sansom. He was raised between Alpine and Marathon and graduated from Marathon High School. Carl served in the U.S. Army and was honorably discharged in September 1964. On November 4, 1961 he and Bobbie Sherrill were married in Midland. Two daughters were born to this union. Carl was a welder and was one of 10 best welders in the country. He traveled doing specialized welding in Alaska, Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas and Texas. He was owner of C.S. Welding in Odessa where he contracted with AMACO and worked in the oil fields. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Odessa. Carl passed away at his home in Odessa on February 4, 2014. He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister Pattijean Chandler and his brother, Hal B. Sansom, Jr. Surviving is his wife, Bobbie Sherrill Sansom of Odessa; two daughters, Julie Sansom Reese of Carrollton and Anita Sansom Brock of Round Rock; his sister, Wanda Simon of Junction and four grandchildren, Morgan Brock, Alexander Brock, Ryan Reese and Kristen Reese. Memorials may be given to the American Cancer Society, a hospice of your choice or to Forest Grove Cemetery Association, 4536 CR 314, Rockdale, Texas 76567.