



Clinton Willie Bushacker

October 28, 1926 - January 12, 2019

Graveside services for Clinton Bushacker, 92, of Winchester, Texas are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 5, 2019 at St. Michael's Lutheran Cemetery in Winchester, Texas with Rev. Nate Hill officiating. Military honors will be provided by the Fayette Memorial VFW Post 5254 of La Grange, Texas.

Clinton Willie Bushacker was born on October 28, 1926 in Danbury, Texas to Emanuel Harry & Allie (Ling) Bushacker. Clinton was baptized on June 26, 1936 and confirmed December 1, 1946 in the Lutheran faith. He enlisted in the United States Navy after Pearl Harbor in 1942. After a couple of years, he was Honorably discharged after they found out he was 16 when he enlisted. Clinton worked with the Army Air Corps and was stationed in New Guinea. He went on to re-enlist with the Air Force, went to aviation mechanics school and was stationed in Korea. Clinton received his honorable discharge on January 4, 1952 and continued his service at Bergstrom AFB in Austin and then as a civil service engineer using his aviation mechanic training at Kelly AFB.

He was united in marriage to Gladys Lydia Kasper on October 29, 1949 at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Austin. They were blessed with two daughters, Linda and Gloria Jean.

Clinton was a member of the St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Fayette Memorial

VFW Post 5254, Winchester Volunteer Fire Department, Disabled Veterans of Foreign War, La Grange Farm Bureau and the Cattleman's Association. He retired to his hobby farm in Winchester, Texas. He enjoyed raising cattle, volunteering with many local organizations, gardening, mechanic work on all the equipment, hunting, going to conventions and assisting with St. Michael's Lutheran Church functions.

Clinton passed away Saturday, January 12, 2019 in Converse, Texas.

Clinton is survived by his daughter, Linda Dierking of Windcrest; five grandchildren, Aaron and wife Jennifer Dierking of Converse, Rebekah and husband Mark Mensing of Illinois, Luke and wife Christine Dierking of Nebraska, Stephen and wife Alicia Dierking of Nebraska, and Megan Mensing of San Antonio; twelve great grandchildren as well as numerous extended family members and friends.

Clinton was preceded in death by his wife, Gladys Bushacker; parents, Emanuel and Allie Bushacker; brother, Eugene Bushacker; daughter, Gloria Jean Bushacker; and son-in-law, Rev. Mark Dierking.

Memorials may be made to the to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

St. Michael's Lutheran Cemetery

700 Frio Street
Winchester, TX 78945

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 5. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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