



Grady J. Pennell

August 1, 1925 - July 20, 2016

Graveside services for Grady Pennell, 90, of Austin and formerly of Lexington, are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 25, 2016 at the Lexington Cemetery with Rev. Trey Comstock officiating. Military honors will be provided by the Giddings American Legion York Post 276. Visitation will be held on Sunday, July 24, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings.

Grady was born on August, 1, 1925 in Statesville, North Carolina to Willie and Lula (Pennell) Poarch. He served our country in World War II from June 1, 1943 before receiving his Honorable Discharge on January 7, 1949. Grady married Odie Crisler on August 10, 1989 in Lexington. He was employed as a bellman for various hotels. He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans Association.

Grady passed away the evening of Wednesday, July 20, 2016 at Heartland Healthcare Center of Austin.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife.

Grady is survived by his three children: Grady Pennell Jr. and wife, Pat of Eagle River, Alaska, Jeff Pennell and wife, Hellen of Austin and Julie Pennell of Caldwell; eight grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; two step

daughters, Sherry Green and husband, Randy and Charlene Ely; one stepson, John Pennell.

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

Cemetery Details

Lexington Cemetery

5900 County Road 326
Lexington, TX 78947

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 24. 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
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Graveside Service

JUL 25. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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Dennis Griffin - September 02, 2016 at 05:30 PM



“ His last tall tale told to me 8 July was how Hank Williams Sr and him drove from the old Edison Hotel in Beaumont, TX, in Hanks Cadillac, drinking all the way. When they arrived at Hanks average house per Dad, Hank sang "move it on Over." Dad couldn't remember how he got back to Beaumont. Many thanks to all and especially my baby brother Jeff who has taken care of Dad so many years and especially these last and toughest months. Love you Jeff

Jay Junior - July 25, 2016 at 12:02 PM

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“ Our prayers are with all
Billy and Carol McGlaun

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“ Always enjoyed spending time with Uncle Grady. He was a very sweet and gentle man. He and Mary arranged the Honeymoon Suite at the Sheraton Crest Hotel for Rick and I when we married in 1978. Thanks for that wonderful memory. May his loved ones find comfort in each other now and going forward

Shirley Collins Craig

Shirley Collins Craig - July 22, 2016 at 08:42 PM