



## Harold Denson Lankford

March 20, 1926 - November 27, 2015

Harold D. Lankford, 89 of Milano, passed away Friday, November 27, 2015. Graveside services were held at 2:00 pm, Wednesday, December 2, 2015 at the Liberty Community Cemetery in Hanover with Pastor Roy Dillard officiating. Visitation was prior to the service from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm, on Wednesday, December 2, 2015 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale.

Harold was born March 20, 1926 in Hanover to Joseph Skelton and Annie (Gandy) Lankford. He spent most of his life in the Rockdale and Milano area with the exception of a short time in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Harold served in the US Navy during WWII as an Electricians Mate before being honorable discharged in February 1946. He worked for Industrial Generating Company for 26 years before retiring, where he made many friends. Harold loved all sports, especially golf, which he played well into his eighties. He was a very talented, kind, industrious and generous man who will be dearly missed.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Thelma Faye (Tabor) Lankford; sons, Daniel Lynn Lankford and Michael Lankford; parents, Joseph Skelton Lankford and Annie (Gandy) Lankford; brother, Joe H. "Buster" Lankford; sister, Helen Lankford; childhood friend, Bud Shafer; and long time friend, Ken Mostyn.

Harold is survived by his life-long friend, Avys Locke and the entire Locke family; daughter-in-law Claudia Lankford; nephew, Gary; nieces, Vicky Jamail, Carolyn Jamail-Valek and Deborah Jamail; and great nephew, Cole.

Pallbearers were Jim Lankford, Monte Lankford, Casey Lankford, Jason Lankford, Jacob Locke, and Reese Locke.

Donations may be made to the Liberty Community Church and Cemetery at 4856 FM 3242, Cameron, Texas 76520.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 2. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Vicky Jamail, Carolyn Jamail-Valek, and Deborah Jamail purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Harold Denson Lankford.*



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**Vicky Jamail, Carolyn Jamail-Valek, and Deborah Jamail -**  
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