



Larry Tafelski

August 5, 1944 - September 29, 2013

Graveside services for Larry Tafelski, 69 are scheduled for 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 2, 2013 in the Garden Park Cemetery in Conroe. Pastor Tim Byrd officiating. Larry Tafelski a son of Leon and Stella (Scoba) Tafelski was born August 5, 1944 in Conroe, Texas. From an early age he enjoyed fishing, hunting and working with his father and six uncles. He was a graduate of Willis High School where he was active in FFA and learned animal care and careful record keeping. He raised pigs that won show ribbons. He took college classes at Sam Houston State University and attended the Catholic Church in Conroe as a youth. Larry served in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS Kitty Hawk aircraft carrier off the coast of Vietnam. Larry's career was metal fabrication fitter, producing oil derricks, very large pressure vessels for oil refineries and power industries, utilizing his abilities to visualize a project from the blueprint to finish and to work with "zero tolerance" accuracy. He later enjoyed real estate sales and raising cattle, hay and grain. Larry liked country living and was very caring, honest and forthright. He has lived the past two years in Rockdale and previously lived in Huntsville for 13 years. Larry passed away Sunday, September 29, 2013 in the Richards Memorial Hospital in Rockdale. Surviving are; Marlene Tafelski of Brenham and several nieces and cousins.