



Richard Lee Belmont

April 9, 1937 - September 14, 2008

Funeral services for Richard Lee Belmont, 71, of Lexington are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Friday, September 19, 2008 at the Giddings City Cemetery in Giddings with Rev. Tim Van Allen officiating. Visitation will be held on Thursday, September 18, 2008 from 8:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. with the Belmont family being present from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. Mr. Belmont passed away Sunday, September 14, 2008 at this residence in Lexington. Richard was born on April 9, 1937 in Houston, Texas to Ross Edwin and Sally Mae (Traylor) Belmont. He was united in marriage to Dollie Johnson on June 5, 1959 in Houston. Richard served his Country faithfully in the United States Air Force. He was a printer by trade and had been employed with Emmett & Sons in Houston for many years before moving to Lexington. He had been employed with Colorcraft Press in Giddings for the past 20 years. He enjoyed to barbeque, read and watch football. He was preceded in death by his parents, twin infant daughters, Lacey Pearl & Laura Pauline Belmont as well as numerous brothers and sisters. Richard is survived by his wife of 49 years, Dollie Belmont of Lexington; daughter, Anita Kay & Russell Gray of Houston; twin daughter and son, Gale Lynn & Bill Clay of Benton, Arkansas and Dale Lee & Lisa Belmont of Lincoln; 7 grandchildren, Somer Ann Hogue of Houston, Zachary Kyle Gray of Houston, Cory Allan Nelson of Benton, Arkansas, Sarah Kay Gray of Houston, Abigail Ruth Belmont of Lincoln, Eric Lee Belmont of Lincoln and Aaron Dale Belmont of Lincoln; 3 great grandchildren, Hunter

Drake Hogue, Boston Parker Lee Hogue and Skii-Lynne Elanne Menard all of Houston; 2 sisters, Mary Lou Leggitt of Quinlan, Texas and Bobby Sue Wineburg of Houston; a brother, Benny Ray Belmont of Houston as well as numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.