



Mr. Marshall James Morton

February 2, 1926 - February 17, 2012

Marshall James Morton of Sandy Creek area died February 17, 2012 at the age of 86. He was born on February 2, 1926 in Jones Creek to the late James C. and Annie Norcross Morton. He was the owner of AAA Water Well Service, a cattle rancher and a life-long rice farmer. Mr. Morton served in the US Army during WWII in the Pacific Campaign where he earned the Purple Heart. He is survived by his wife Virginia "Lorraine" O'Briant Morton of Sandy Creek area, daughter Sandie Roppolo and husband Jimmy of El Campo; sons Kenny Morton of Alvin, Ronnie Morton, Mike Morton and wife Maudie, and Jamie Morton, all of the Sandy Creek area; 7 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and 11 brothers and sisters.

Visitation will begin at noon on Monday at Triska Funeral Home with the family receiving friends from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be held 2:00 PM Tuesday, February 21, 2012, at the First Baptist Church in El Campo with Rev. Rick DuBroc and Rev. Howard Middleton officiating. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Memorial Park with Military Honors under the auspices of the American Legion Post 251.

Words of condolence may be left for the family at www.triskafuneralhome.com.

Triska Funeral Home El Campo, Texas 979-543-3681

Tribute Wall

RD

“ I was so sorry to read about your Dad's passing. I have fond memories of him and his quiet manner that always reminded me of my Dad. After reading this I understand why; both WWII veterans, both served in the Pacific, both returned to farm rice and raise families. my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Rose Clarke Douglass - March 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ My condolences to the family. I'm sorry I was out of town and missed the service. Mr Morton was the first farmer that I did a particular job for when I began working. I'll never forget the prank that he pulled on me. He was quite a jokester.

Dick Ellis - El Campo, TX - February 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ My condolences and prayers for the family. Mr. Morton was a trusted friend to the Fenner Ranch for many years.

Patricia K. Ford, owner, Goldenrod Seven - February 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Ronnie,

Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family, May God bless all of you.

Danny and Mel Novak - El Campo, TX - freind - February 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ We are so sorry for your loss. He was a special person with values and character that were shared with everyone. May God bless each of you and give you peace, at this time.

Red and Rhonda Edmonds

Red and Rhonda Edmonds - February 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ So sorry for your loss. You are in our hearts and our prayers. We love you.

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Kristina Mann Martin - Realitos, TX - friend - February 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM