



Donald R. Moore

July 19, 1937 - January 10, 2016

Donald R. Moore, 78, passed away on January 10, 2016. He was born July 19, 1937, to Martin H. Moore and Maggie Bell (Wilkins) Moore-Kintz in Wink, Texas.

He and his Family moved to Artesia, NM when he was a boy, and he attended Artesia High School. He became an Eagle Scout in his teens. While a young man he worked with his Father in the Oil fields as a trouble shooter. He graduated from high school in 1955, and went on to College at NMSU in Las Cruces. He was a pilot, flying Cessna's with his friend Gene Sherwood. He was a Ham Radio operator and teacher. He spoke to people all over the world, this was his favorite hobble, he would sit a the radio for hours.

Don was known to his friends and co-workers as a smart, intelligent and very well spoken man. In his years after college, he became a Journeyman Electrician, who had many jobs.

He worked for the U.S. Government, Nasa, Lockheed, and had numerous other jobs in the Air Conditioning Business. .

He enjoyed spending time with his Children, teaching them how to work on cars, growing vegetables, hunting, and caring for animals. He had many different animals while his children were growing up. His favorite pastimes with his Children were fishing, shooting, going to the desert, to look for Pecos

diamonds, cactus and finding lizards

Donald is preceded in death by his parents Martin Moore and Maggie Bell (Wilkins) Moore-Kintz; Stepfather, Joseph Kintz; Brother Kenneth and Sister Barbara Jean.

Those left to carry on Donald's heritage are his wife of 38 years, Patricia Ann (Mattson) Moore of Roswell; children: Donna Wallis and (Randy) of Texas, Danny Moore and (Tricia) of Roswell; Dean Moore and (Christine) of Albuquerque; Dianna Moore of Roswell; Joseph Moore and (Samantha) of Colorado; Melinda Burr and (Matt) of Texas; brother, Travis Howle and (Suzie) of Alabama; and is his Ex-wife a close family friend, Grace Moore of Roswell. Also surviving him are 13 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren,

No services are scheduled until the Spring..
Obituary was lovingly written by the family.

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 Mona Stanbrough

“ Our deepest sympathies go out to the Moore family!
Melinda was such a big part of our lives while we lived in Roswell,
being Roy's best friend since kindergarten. She's like a daughter to
us.
May God's angels surround you all at this time giving you comfort
and strength.
Much love and hugs,
The Harvey & Mona Stanbrough Family

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