



Oscar Ashley Reynolds, Jr.

June 9, 1929 - November 25, 2013

Oscar Ashley Reynolds, age 84, passed away on Monday, November 25, 2013 peacefully at his home in Knoxville, formerly of Loudon County. He was born in Streetman, TX on June 9, 1929 to Oscar A. Reynolds, Sr. and Pearl (Davis) Reynolds. He graduated from Elgin High School in Elgin TX, and then served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He attended the University of Texas at Austin graduating with a degree in Business Administration. He was a retired Foreign Service officer. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 53 years Ruby Lee (Richesin) Reynolds, his sister: Frances Baselski and (Hank), brothers: Joe Davis and Bobby Reynolds, brothers-in-law: Boyce Norwood and Edwin Daris Richesin. Survived by his son: Jeffrey A. Reynolds and wife Linda, grandsons Daniel (Lee Ann) Matthews, and Joshua David Matthews, great-granddaughter: Madison Jade Matthews, all of Knoxville, sister Janie (John) Dameron, of Austin, TX., sisters-in-law: Mary Alice Richesin, of Loudon, Tn., Frances Norwood, of Gatlinburg, TN., Cathryn (Jim) Nook, of Marana, AZ., Carol Richesin, of Lenoir City, TN., and several nieces and nephews, in TN and TX. The family will receive friends on Saturday, November 30, 2013 at Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, from 11:00A.M. until 1:00P.M. with the funeral service to follow at 1:00P.M. in Kyker's Chapel with Dr. Lon Shoopman officiating. Interment to follow in the Sweetwater Memorial Park with full military honors provided by members of the Sweetwater V.F.W. Gold Star Post 5156 and the Monroe County D.A.V. chapter 93. Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater in charge of

arrangements. www.kykerfuneralhomes.com

Tribute Wall

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“ So thankful you got to spend so much quality time with your father in the last couple of years and become his caretaker along with your wife. So many sacrifices and so much love. Those are crowns that will be waiting on you one day. . May the Lord continue to bring you peace and comfort. Always from the heart, Tonya Smith

Tonya Smith - Morristown, TN - co-worker - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ Dear Cousin Jeff and family - I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I'll try my best to live up to the name I share with Uncle Oscar and you. Love, Ashley

Ashley Skinner - Memphis, TN - Great-niece - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Jeff and family, I am so sorry for your loss. In my mind, my Uncle Oscar will always be that glamorous, sophisticated, and brilliant foreign agent who graced us with his physical presence whenever he could and was with us in spirit always. The world has lost a shining star, but the heavens have gained one.

Vickie Baselski - Memphis, TN - Neice - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ We love you....always.

Skip, Debbie and Madison McDonough - Hutto, TX - Niece - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Panpaw, We are so sorry for the loss of your Dad. We hope your memories of him will bring you peace. We love you and will be praying for you.*

Love, Madi Lee Ann and Daniel

Daniel, Lee Ann & Madison Matthews - Knoxville, TN - grandfather - November 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM