



## Earl Swanson

July 11, 1916 - August 11, 2010

GRAPEVINE -- Earl Milton Swanson, 94, passed away Wednesday, Aug. 11, 2010.

Funeral: Noon Monday at Hanner Funeral Home, 103 W. Main St., Atlanta, Texas, 903-796-2835. Interment: Queen City Cemetery in Queen City.

Visitation: The family will receive friends 11 a.m. to noon Monday at the funeral home.

Earl was born July 11, 1916, in Arco, Minn. He served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II. After returning from the Pacific theater, Earl married Woodie in 1951. In 1959 Earl and Woodie moved to their farm in Grapevine where they raised cows and horses. During the 1960s Earl was a heavy equipment operator with the Corps of Engineers, working at Lake Grapevine, Lake Benbrook, Lake Texoma and Lake Ray Hubbard, to name a few.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Woodie Swanson, and daughter, Deborah Joan Swanson.

Survivors: Mr. Swanson leaves behind a large extended family.

# Tribute Wall

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“ We have known Earl for the past 57 years and will miss him very much. He was a sincere man of deep Christain faith who was well liked and it was always a pleasure to be in his presence. We extend our deepest sympathy to Earl's family during this time of grief.

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**Huntly and Carol Shelton** - August 14, 2010 at 03:54 PM

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“ He was a good man. That's why my Aunt Woodie latched on to him! I have always thought he was the sweetest man. I never heard him raise his voice. He was a wonderful husband and father. Not to mention goodlooking! I like to think their family is together again! Love to all the family, Martha

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**Martha Truitt** - August 13, 2010 at 02:47 PM