



## Donald William Lacy

February 15, 1933 - May 7, 2012

Donald William Lacy of Tulsa, Oklahoma departed this life on May 7, 2012 at St. Francis Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma at the age of 79. Don was born on February 15, 1933 in Lindsay, Oklahoma to Isaac Lacy and May (Hook) Lacy. He married Rebecca Jane McElroy on November 7, 1954 in Anniston, Alabama.

Don graduated from Lindsay High School in Lindsay, Oklahoma. He made his career in the military serving as a member of the U.S. Army. During his career he served in Korea, was decorated for his service in Vietnam from February of 1966 to February of 1967 and earned many awards and medals throughout his career. He retired as LTC in 1972.

After retiring, Don lived in Arkansas for five years. He returned to Lindsay for many years; then, he moved to the Tulsa area. He was a lifetime member of the NRA, and he loved hunting and skeet and trap shooting. He was an avid reloader. Don also loved farming and gardening, and he excelled at cabinet making.

Mr. Lacy is survived by his wife of fifty-seven years, Jane Lacy, three sons: Donald Lacy, Jr., Robert Charles Lacy and Alan Wayne Lacy, his daughter, Cynthia Jane Dew, one brother, Harley Lacy of DeLeon, Texas, and two sisters: Lorita Arai and Vivian Lacy, both of Los Angeles, California. Don also

leaves behind his grandchildren: Amber Lacy of Norman, OK, Charles Isaac Lacy of Oklahoma City, OK, Melodi Lacy of Manchester, CT, Sarah Ball of Lakenheath AFB, UK, Becky Lacy of Oklahoma City, OK, Rachael Lacy of Norman, OK, Aaron Lacy of Norman, OK, Jonathon Lacy of Oklahoma City, OK, Jessica Lacy of Oklahoma City, OK and Audrey Dew of Tulsa, OK, and his great-grandchildren: Jaxon Lacy, Dahlia Lacy, Trevon Bond and Cody Lacy, all of Norman, OK and Autumn and Austin Emery of Texas. Mr. Lacy was preceded in death by his parents, Isaac and May Lacy.

Funeral services for Mr. Lacy are set for two o'clock p.m. on Friday, May 11, 2012 at Green Hill Cemetery in Lindsay, Oklahoma with Rev. Ron King officiating with military honors by the American Legion Ball Smith Post 23. Services are under the direction of B.G. Boydston Funeral Home of Lindsay, Oklahoma. Condolences may be made to the family online at [www.boydstonfuneralhome.com](http://www.boydstonfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ I worked for Don when I was about 12 years old on and off for a while. this was roughly around 1994-95. his stories about the military is what made me join. I know live in Tennessee. But he was a great man, I think about him often.

*Ray Steakley USAF*

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**Ray Steakley** - August 16, 2023 at 06:47 AM

JA

“ I have know and admired Don and his whole family all my live. I followed his Army career and he was a hero and outstanding leader. My sisters and I looked at him as family.<br>

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**Jack Archer** - May 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ Cynthia, so sorry to hear of the loss of your Dad. I will always remember him smiling. He seemed to really enjoy life.

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**Holly Smith Belknap** - May 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ (Tribute Text Not Available)

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**(Author Not Available)** - May 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VH

“ I graduated high school with Don and enjoyed our friendship during that time. I last saw him at our class reunion. My prayers are for his family and friends.

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**verna mcdaniel humphreys** - May 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ So sorry to hear of Donald's death. His family were good friends of my family when we all lived at New Hope. Love and prayers to all of you!<br>

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**Louanne (Ward) Trueblood** - May 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ He was a strong farmer, devoted father and army aviator hero.. married to my grandma for 60 years.. rest peaceful.. we'll carry you from here..Miss you dearly granddad

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**rachael** - May 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM