

Omer Evans 'O.E.' Baucom, Jr.

February 6, 1930 - October 5, 2009



Funeral for Omer Evans "O.E" Baucom Jr, 79, Lawton, will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Comanche Nation Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John Cramer officiating. Mr. Baucom died Monday, October 5, 2009, in Lawton. Burial with military honors will be at Ringling Memorial Cemetery.

He was born February 6, 1930, in Ringling, to Omer Evans and Nellie Mae Hoffman Baucom Sr. He attended school in Ringling and Mountain Home, and he also attended various technical schools. He married Elinor Ann Hammond in 1965 in Norman. He entered the Navy, in Oklahoma City, on March 17, 1947, and was discharged on August 24, 1970, in Corpus Christi, Texas, as a senior chief gunner's mate. His awards include Vietnam Service Medal, Republic of Vietnam Campaign, Korea Presidential Citation, and Good Conduct Medal with three stars. After his retirement from the Navy, he worked for Western Controls Odessa, Texas, PPG Wichita Falls, Texas, and Goodyear Tire and Rubber, Lawton.

Survivors include three sons and daughters-in-law: Forrest and April Baucom, Lawton; Marshall and Martha Jo Baucom, The Colony, Texas; and Russell and Nancy Baucom, Lawton; two sisters: Eva Jo Williams, and Donnie Carrell, both of Odessa, Texas; three brothers: Cecil Edward Baucom, Granbury, Texas; Earl Baucom, Hobbs, N.M., Charles Baucom, Brownsboro, Texas; four grandchildren: Anne Englehart, Jessica Baucom, Kara Baucom, and Kaydi Baucom; and a greatgrandchild, Erica Baucom.

He was preceded in death by his wife; his parents; four brothers: Lee, Ashley, Leslie and James Leonard Baucom; and two sisters: Sybil Nolan and Jessie Ellison.