

ROGER EDWARD ZEMMIN

1936-2011

DECATUR: Roger Edward Zemmin, 75, a retired teacher, died Sunday, November 27, 2011, in Decatur.

Roger was born July 23, 1936, in Gonzales, Texas to Edward Henry and Doris Francis (Braley) Zemmin. He was united in marriage to Suzanne Rann Zemmin in 1978, in Decatur, Texas, and was married 15 years at her death in 1993. Roger was also preceded in death by his parents, mother-in-law, Maurine Rann and father-in-law, G. C. Rann.

Roger served in the Naval Reserve from 1954 to 1959 as a Radarman 3rd Class. Roger graduated from Stephen F. Austin High School and received a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Texas. In 1982, he received his Master's at Texas Women's University. Roger taught for Decatur ISD for 10 years as a science teacher for the 7th and 8th grades.

Roger was a longtime member of the Texas Retired Teachers Association; a member of the Decatur Lion's Club since 1979, where he served as Vice President for several years.

Survivors include his two sons; Craig Zemmin and wife, Kristin of Grapevine, Michael Zemmin of Decatur; two granddaughters, Rachael and Anna Zemmin; sister, Francis Jeanette Gesheidle of Cedar Park; two nieces, Lisa Holden of Cedar Park and Lori Yuga of Austin; two cousins, Marlene Wooten of Austin and David Braley of Lockhart, Texas.

Funeral service was held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, December 2, 2011, at the First United Methodist Church of Decatur with Reverend Johnny Irish and Dr. Shelly Brooks officiating. Interment: Oaklawn Cemtery.

Pallbearers included Foster Walker, Thomas Kemp, Don McDonald, Jerry Watson, George Yuga and Bob Holden.

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