

RALPH BRYAN CARTER

1933-2015

CHICO: Ralph Bryan Carter, 82, a retired Army veteran and oil field worker, died Sunday, November 29, 2015 in Chico.

Ralph was born on July 25, 1933 to Fred and Katie (Karnes) Carter in Corryton, Tennessee. He was united in marriage to Ann Prause on December 29, 1953 in Hammelburg, Germany. Ralph proudly served his country and retired from the United States Army. Ralph worked for Breeze Hot Oil Services until he retired.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife of 60 years, Ann Carter; his son, Michael Carter; his daughter, Linda Blanks; his brothers: Dale Carter and Fred Carter.

Survivors include his daughters: Wendy Denney and husband, Jeff, of Midland; Joyce O'Dell and husband, Wayland, of Balsora; his grandchildren: Kelcey, Jeremy, Jerod, Haley and Leland; his great grandchild, Jakob Alton Warner; his brothers: Lynn Carter and wife, Mattie, of Knoxville, Tennessee; Everett Carter of Montrose, Michigan; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of friends.

Funeral was held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, December 3, 2015 at Hawkins Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Chico Cemetery.

Rev. Gary Sessions officiated. Pallbearers included Military Honor Guard, Captain Leslie Hardin, Pricilla Hardin, Chief Danny Price and Assistant Chief Gabriel Timmons.

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