Robert Earl Crudup

80 a resident of Lincoln passed away March 7, 2015 at Willard Walker Hospice Home in Fayetteville. He was born September 7, 1934 in Fayetteville, the son of Robert Clyde and Mary Adeline Turner Crudup.

Earl served in the United States Navy aboard the carrier USS Hornet CVA-12 during the Korean War on an around the world cruise. He was awarded the China Service Medal, Navy Occupation Service Medal Europe and the National Defense Ribbon.

He was an active member of the Presbyterian Church and served many years as an elder.

Earl enjoyed hunting, gun collecting and traveling in his RV. He was an

over-the-road truck driver and mechanic for Northwest Arkansas Truck and Equipment. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother John W Crudup.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years Beverly Holt Crudup; two sons Barry Crudup and wife Cheryl of Kansas City and Brad Crudup and wife Janet of Houston; four grandchildren Megan Macy and husband Colter, Lauren Crudup, Justin Crudup and Kayla Crudup; two great grandchildren Castan and Cutter Macy.

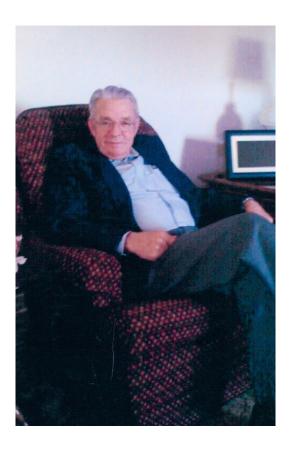


APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Crudup family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home Prairie Grove, Arkansas

online quest book, visit www.luginbuel.com



Earl Crudup September 7, 1934 March 7, 2015

FOOT PRINTS IN THE SAND

ONE NIGHT I HAD A DREAM ...

I DREAMED I WAS WALKING ALONG THE BEACH WITH THE LORD AND ACROSS THE SKY FLASHED SCENES FROM MY LIFE.

FOR EACH SCENE I NOTICED TWO SETS OF FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND, ONE BELONGED TO ME AND THE OTHER TO THE LORD.

WHEN THE LAST SCENE OF MY LIFE FLASHED BEFORE US, I LOOKED BACK AT THE FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND. I NOTICED, THAT MANY TIMES ALONG THE PATH OF MY LIFE, THERE WAS ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS. I ALSO NOTICED THAT IT HAPPENED AT THE VERY LOWEST AND SAPDEST TIMES IN MY LIFE. THIS REALLY BOTHERED ME AND I QUESTIONED THE LORD ABOUT IT. "LORD, YOU SAID THAT ONCE I DECIDED TO FOLLOW YOU, YOU WOULD WALK WITH ME ALL THE WAY, BUT I HAVE NOTICED THAT DURING THE MOST TROUBLESOME TIMES IN MY LIFE THERE IS ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS. I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY IN TIMES WHEN I NEEDED YOU MOST YOU SHOULD LEAVE ME." THE LORD REPLIED, "MY PRECIOUS, PRECIOUS CHILD, I LOVE YOU AND I WOULD NEVER, NEVER LEAVE YOU DURING YOUR TIMES OF TRIAL AND SUFFERING. WHEN YOU SAW ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS, IT WAS THEN THAT I CARRIED YOU.



CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF

Robert Earl Crudup

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Friday, March 13, 2015 11:00 A.M. Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music

"How Great Thou Art"

Scripture: Ecclesiastes 3

"Amazing Grace"

Words of Comfort Dan Wooley

Pastor - First Presbyterian Church - Lincoln, Arkansas

Closing Prayer

Family Memories Video
"Instrumental Selections"
"Navy Hymn"

Folding & Presentation of the American Flag

Military Honor Guard

Postlude Music

GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE CEMETERY.
THE FAMILY WILL REMAIN AFTER THE SERVICE TO VISIT WITH FRIENDS.

FINAL RESTING PLACE

National Cemetery - Fayetteville, Arkansas

MEMORIALS

Willard Walker Hospice Home or First Presbyterian Church