# Robert Ray Ward



72, a resident of Lincoln, Arkansas, passed away February 3, 2007 at his home near Lincoln, Arkansas. He was born May 30, 1934 at LaCrosse, Kansas, the son of Robert W. and Eleanor Vanderlip Ward.

Robert Ray led a very full and active life. He was a very loving and dedicated husband, son, brother, father, grandfather, and family member. He was also a very dedicated active military service man, serving in the Naval Seabees for more than twenty years. He was a lifetime member of the V.F.W. He will be greatly missed by all of his

family and friends left behind and will be remembered and not forgotten by all who loved him.

A part of him will remain always with each and everyone of his family and his many friends.

He was preceded in death by his Mother and one brother, William "Bill" Ward.

Survivors include his wife, Nora Ward; one daughter, Patricia Ann Force of Stilwell, Oklahoma; two brothers, Jim Ward of Prairie Grove, Arkansas, and Jack Ward of Lincoln, Arkansas; one sister, Litha Stilley of Lincoln, Arkansas; His father, Robert W. Ward of Lincoln; three grand children Danny Joe Jr., Amber, and Alissa; two devoted pets Theo and Jazzi.





### APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Ward 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 guest book, visit www.luginbuel.com



Robert Ray Ward May 30, 1934 - February 3, 2007

## **HIGH FLIGHT**

Oh! I have slipped the surly bonds of Earth And danced the skies on laughter - silvered wings; sunward I've climbed, and joined the tumbling mirth

Of sun-split clouds, - and done a hundred things You have not dreamed of - wheeled and soared and swung High in the sunlit silence. Hov'ring there

I've chased the shouting wind along, and flung My eager craft through footless halls of air...

Up, up the long, delirious burning blue I've topped the wind-swept heights with easy grace, Where never lark, or even eagle flew -

And, while with silent, lifting mind I've trod The high untrespassed sanctity of space, Put out my hand and touched the face of God.





### **CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF**

Robert Ray Ward

### **DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE**

Wednesday, February 7, 2007 - 2:00 P.M. Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

### ORDER OF SERVICE

**Prelude Music** 

Obituary

**Paul Woodhouse** 

Chaplain - Washington Regional Hospice

Scripture

Prayer

Words of Comfort

**Closing Prayer** 

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**Family Memories Video** 

"Face of the Heart"

"The Summer Knows"

"The Navy Hymn"

**Postlude Music** 

GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE CEMETERY.

THE FAMILY WILL VISIT WITH FRIENDS FOLLOWING MILITARY HONOR IN THE CHAPEL.

Please Joint the Family for Military Honors following the service at the North Entrance to the Funeral Home

### **FINAL RESTING PLACE**

Sugar Hill Cemetery Lincoln, Arkansas

#### **MEMORIALS**

Washington Regional Hospice 34 Colt Square Suite 1 - Fayetteville, AR 72703

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