



## Eddie S. Brantes

March 9, 1933 - January 16, 2016

Eddie passed from this world early Saturday morning, January 16, 2016 at the age of 82. He was born at home in Ouachita County, Arkansas to Edward S. Brantes, Sr., and Carrie Allen Brantes. He graduated from Fairview High School. Eddie served our country in the United States Navy on the Destroyer, McGowan during the Korean War. During this time, the McGowan traveled around the globe on a Good Will Tour. After his Navy service, Eddie attended the University of Arkansas. He was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity. At this time he met and married Jessica, his wife of 57 years. For 2 years he did geological work in the mid-west and then began a life-long career in the agricultural industry. When an opportunity to manage a small town farm store became available, Eddie and Jessica decided to move from Irving, Texas to Fort Cobb to raise their children. Eddie especially loved hunting and fishing. The family loved outdoor activities, camping, fishing and waterskiing. Eddie valued public service throughout his life. He was an India Temple Shriner and a 32nd Degree Mason for 47 years. He was a member of Rotary and Ducks Unlimited. Eddie served the local community for one term as the Mayor of Fort Cobb. After retirement, Eddie and Jessica enjoyed traveling with their camper and going on cruises. Eddie is survived by his wife Jessica, their children, Michael, Jaye and her husband Ray Acker and Roxane. At 6:30 pm, Thursday, January 21st, in the Fort Cobb First United Methodist Church, the family invites you to attend a Come As You Are, Casual, Candlelight Celebration of Life. Light refreshments will be served after the short service.

Services are under the direction of the Fort Cobb Funeral Home, Fort Cobb,  
OK.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Our greatest sympathy to you and your family Jessica. So sorry for your loss!*

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**Summers Family** - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I am sorry to hear the passing of Eddie. May you be comforted by God's word in John 5:28, 29 and Acts 24:15 that there will be a resurrection to life of all our dear loved ones.*

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**AJ** - August 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM