

Remember Them Forever

Name: Jesse Jayson Jennings, Jr.

Birth: 04 Jun 1925
Hollis, Harmon County, Oklahoma

Death: 12 Oct 1986
Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas

Cemetery: Prairie Mound Cemetery
Cemetery Location: 1006 4th Street
Argyle, TX 76226

Section: East, Block J
Plot GPS: 33° 06' 32" N, 97° 13' 33" W

Military: Jesse enlisted in the United States Navy in April 1943 and entered active duty that October. He served as an Aviation Storekeeper, supporting naval aviation units throughout his service. His assignments included the Naval Auxiliary Air Station in Corpus Christi, Texas; the Naval Supply Depot in Oakland, California; and the Civil Administration Unit on Yap Island in the Caroline Islands of Micronesia, where the U.S. Navy assumed administration following Japan's surrender at the end of World War II. Jesse was honorably discharged in 1946 with the rank of Petty Officer.

Civilian: Following his military service, Jesse worked in the gas utility industry installing heating and cooling. At the time of his death, he was living in Fort Worth.

Family: One of 11 children born to Jesse Jayson Jennings, Sr. and Maggie Adcock of the Denton area. Jesse married Edrena Faught in 1946. Together they raised two sons and later welcomed four grandchildren.

Sources:

Find A Grave Memorial ID 22338739; U.S., Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File, 1850-2020; U.S., WW II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949; U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947; Texas, U.S., Birth Index, 1903-1997

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