

Remember Them Forever

Name: William Scotty Potts

Birth: 29 Jan 1922
Henrietta, Texas

Death: 17 Feb 1993
Sacramento, Sacramento County, California

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

Section: East, Block C
Plot GPS: 33° 06' 33" N
97° 13' 34" W

Military: William was an AM3 in the U.S. Navy, which stands for Aviation Structural Mechanic Petty Officer Third Class. These sailors specialize in maintaining aircraft airframes, flight controls, landing gear, and hydraulic systems. He served during both WW II and the Korean War.

Civilian: As a teenager, William was a Golden Glove boxer. He worked in the oil fields, drove cattle, worked for Aerojet and worked on the McClellan Air Force Base. After retirement he raised horses, chickens, and cows. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Grass Valley and Masonic Lodge No. 222. Enjoyed golf, tennis, fishing, hunting, camping, and restoring classic cars.

Family: William's parents were William Alonzo Potts and Winifred Bell. Stepmother: Barbara Angerer. William married Lee Wilson 6 Apr 1974. Their son, Don, died in 1968.

Sources: Ancestry.com; Find a Grave memorial #38162647; U.S., Newspapers.com Obituary Index, 1800s–current; U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936–2007; California, U.S., Death Index, 1940–1997

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