



David Waldo Mendenhall

May 11, 1950 - November 11, 2021

David Waldo Mendenhall, 71, of Texico, passed away on Thursday, November 11, 2021, at his home.

He was born in Mt. Vernon, on May 11, 1950, the son of Owen and Allene (Cagle) Mendenhall. In 2001, he married Teresa Tate, and she survives in Texico.

Mr. Mendenhall was a veteran of the U.S. Army, where he served in the Old Guard. He was stationed at the White House, under President Richard Nixon. He worked for Union Pacific Railroad, and was of the Christian faith.

In addition to his wife, Teresa, he is survived by a step-son, Jason Kelly; a step-daughter, Stacy Bailey and husband Nathan; three grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; and a sister, Linda Hayes.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a son, D. Dwayne Mendenhall; a brother, Edgar Mendenhall; and a niece, Susan Beth Mendenhall.

Private Graveside services will be held at Abner Cemetery, south of Nason, with graveside military honors conducted by American Legion Post #141 of Mt. Vernon. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to the Abner Cemetery, and will be accepted by mail to the Osborn Funeral Home, P.O. Box 130, Dix, Illinois 62830. Online condolences may be made at www.osbornfuneral.com, or on the Osborn Funeral Home Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Abner Cemetery

38.171902, -88.976705
Bonnie, IL 62816

Tribute Wall

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“ *Frank and Donna Thompson
Big Muddy Marine
You will be greatly missed Dave. Enjoyed sitting around the shop
and telling tails and good memories. Thinking of you Teresa, and
the rest of the family. God Bless. Our thoughts and prayers are with
you 🙏*

Frank and Donna Thompson - November 16, 2021 at 01:48 PM

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“ *Dave was our fisherman on Sailfish ,Loved to tease me about those
stinky Oscars .Dave you will be missed by all that had the honour of
being your friend .Teresa and family and little Miss Molly Big hugs to
all Cherish your memories Thank you Dave for your service*

lori and frank peters - November 14, 2021 at 05:38 PM

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“ *Tresa and family; I always enjoyed working with David/Minnie, as a
brakeman and as engineer. He always treated his crew with the
utmost respect. Prayers and thoughts are with you at this time..
Mike Marcum Murfreesboro TN*

Mike Marcum - November 14, 2021 at 12:27 PM