



## Coy Allen Spears Sr.

January 30, 1923 - February 7, 2015

Coy Allen Spears Sr., resident of Corsicana and formerly of DeSoto, passed away at Heritage Oaks Retirement Village on Saturday, February 7, 2015 at the age of 92. He was born on January 30, 1923 in Cooper, Texas to William Allen Spears and Emmer Killebrew Spears. Allen served in the United States Coast Guard from September 1942 to September 1945 during World War II. Following his military service he went to work as a Fire Fighter with Dallas Fire Department for 25 plus years and was a member of the Masonic Lodge in the Dallas area. Allen was a member of the Lord of Life Lutheran Church in Ovilla.

Allen is preceded in death by his parents William and Emmer Spears and his wife Melba Dean Spears who passed away in 1993. He is survived by his children; Linda Thorne and husband Roy, Carol Mann, Kemp Spears and wife Kaye and Coy Allen Spears Jr. and wife Ann. Eleven grandchildren, twenty one great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

Visitation will be Monday evening from 5 - 7pm at Griffin - Roughton Funeral Home in Corsicana. Graveside funeral services with Honors by Dallas Fire Rescue will be held on Tuesday, February 10, 2015 at 2pm at Laurel Land Cemetery in Dallas at 6000 South R.L. Thornton Freeway Dallas, Texas 75232 with Ret. Chaplin Denny Burris officiating. Pallbearers will be Trevor Thorne, Trenton Thorne, Tatum Thorne, Billy Mann Jr., Don McDaniel Jr., Kris Spears and Kylen Spears.

In lieu of flowers memorial may be made to a charity of your choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Laural Land Cemetery

6000 South R. L. Thornton Freeway  
Dallas, TX 75232  
1-214-371-1336

# Previous Events

## Family Visitation

FEB 9. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana  
1530 N. 45th Street  
Corsicana, TX 75110  
(903) 874-4774  
info@griffin-roughton.com

## Graveside Funeral Service

FEB 10. 2:00 PM (CT)

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6000 South R. L. Thornton Freeway  
Dallas, TX 75232  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Coy Allen Spears Sr.*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Sorry to hear of Allen's passing. He always held a special place in my heart. When we would go to Aunt Lena's for Christmas I looked forward to seeing him and his smile. We cherish our memories. Prayers and comfort to the family. Love Donna Scoggins Jacobs*

**Donna Scoggins Jacobs** - February 10, 2015 at 04:19 PM



“ *Allen was such a blessing to our congregation. He welcomed everyone who walked through our doors with his smile and genuine friendship. May God grant him his eternal rest. And many those of us who had the honor of knowing him cherish our memories of his presence among us.*

*Pastor Vicki Taylor  
Lord of Life Lutheran Church  
Glenn Heights, TX*

**Pastor Vicki Taylor** - February 10, 2015 at 09:21 AM



“ *We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your father. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Tim and Marcia Brancheau*

**Marcia Brancheau** - February 10, 2015 at 09:20 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Coy Allen Spears Sr..



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February 09, 2015 at 12:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Coy Allen Spears Sr..



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February 09, 2015 at 08:58 AM