



LESTER ALBERT JEFFRIES

July 27, 1931 - March 30, 2017

Obituary for Lester Jeffries

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Lester Jeffries was born to Charles William Jeffries and Yancey (Dunning) Jeffries in Lake Charles, Louisiana on July 27, 1931. He was the youngest of five siblings that he adored. His siblings were Charles (CW), Carson, Peggy and Douglas. Lester attended Louisiana State University where he earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Physics in 1952, and a Masters of Science Degree in Physics in 1954. Lester was in the Air Force from 1954-56. In the Air Force he served as a Physicist in the Research Division. He became a 1st Lieutenant in 1955.

While attending LSU, Lester met Martha Abigail Richards. They were married on June 15, 1955. Lester and Martha had three children, Danny, Anne and Paul. Lester and Martha lived in Palos Verdes California for many years while raising their children. Lester worked in the Aerospace Industry as a physical engineer at General Dynamics, Northrop Corporation, and Hughes Aircraft. During his career, Lester contributed to the inventions of the flat screen picture tube, a "digisplay" to be used in computer applications and he worked on infra-red cameras for the NASA satellite program. After Lester and Martha retired they moved to Atascadero, CA and later to San Diego County. During his retirement years, Lester enjoyed photography, gardening, reading, visiting family and traveling with Martha. Lester and Martha were married for 61 years.

Lester was known for his intelligence, sense of humor, love for his immediate and extended family, and his generosity. Lester very rarely talked about himself. Instead he enjoyed listening to others so that he could learn about them and from them.

Lester is survived by his wife- Martha Jeffries, Children-Dan Jeffries, Paul Jeffries and Anne Kern. Grandchildren-Jenna Kern Domingo, Katie Kern, Daniel Jeffries, Sean Jeffries and Connor Jeffries. Great grandchildren-Caden Domingo and Elenie Domingo. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Resting Place

APR 12. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (PT)

MIRAMAR NATIONAL CEMETERY
5795 NOBEL DR
SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

Tribute Wall



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