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**LIONEL RICHARD  
BUTLER**

Mr. Lionel Richard Butler, age 68 of Douglass, passed away Monday, September 25, 2006. Mr. Butler was born May 19, 1938 in Driscoll, Texas and was a resident of Douglas for the past 10 years. He was a veteran of the U. S.

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Marines, the U. S. Air Force, and the U. S. Army serving five tours of duty in Vietnam. Mr. Butler was a graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University where he received a Bachelor Degree in Fine Arts. Mr. Butler was a member of the Southern Baptist Church.

Survivors include his children Selina Butler-Labinski, of El Paso, Derrick Richard Butler, of Grand Prairie; grandchildren Briann Butler, and Jarred Labinski, both of El Paso; the children's mother Ida Butler Sawicz, of Fort Worth; numerous nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Preceded in death by his parents Jarvis L. and Pearl (Beard) Butler.

Funeral services for Mr. Lionel Richard Butler were held Saturday, September 30, at 2:00 p.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel.

Military graveside services followed in the New Energy Cemetery.

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