

Davis

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M. L. "Marty" Plum

Services for M. L. "Marty" Plum, 77 of Grapeland, were held 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Grace Bible Church of Grapeland, Arthur Betz officiated. Burial was in Davis Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Bailey & Foster Funeral Home.

Mr. Plum died Saturday at Cartmell Home for Aged surrounded by his family. He was born November 14, 1928 in New Jersey to Leroy Harold Plum and Anna May Widerman Plum.

Mr. Plum received his degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Houston. He served in the Air Force as a navigator in air transport during the Korean Conflict and received the Distinguished Flying Cross, Korean Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Air Medal (1 OLC) and the UN Service Medal. He was employed as a region-

al manager supervisor for Fischer-Porter Company in Houston before becoming self-employed as a Mechanical Engineer. He was a member of the Grace Bible Church of Grapeland.

Mr. Plum was preceded in death by his parents, wife Hellen Jobe Plum who died in 1988, brother Barry C. Plum, and an infant grandson. He is survived by three daughters: Leigh Ann Duhon and husband Wayne of Palestine, Carey Trahan and husband Jeff of Grapeland and Tracey Foster and husband Kenny of Lufkin; and six grandchildren: Brand Duhon, Blaine Duhon, Tyler Trahan, Sarah Trahan, Page Trahan and Payton Foster.

Pallbearers will be Brand Duhon, Tyler Trahan, Stanley Pennington, Ted Salmon, Joe Weaver and Bobby Shaw.