

CSM Arl W Thompson passed from this world on July 18, 2021. One of four children born to Alva and Edna Thompson, May 3, 1932, in Cisco, Texas. He joined the United States Army in 1946, at the ripe age of 14, and served 30 years. He fought in the Korean and Vietnam wars, as well as several tours of duty, in the medical field. He earned many metals for his service, including The Purple Heart, National defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry and the esteemed Legion of Merit Medal. San Antonio has always been his home. He was a Master Mason and 32nd degree with the Scottish Rite, Lodge 1079 for over 40 years. He leaves behind his wife of 70 years, Elfreide (Ellie) Thompson and his daughter Arlene S Ottaway. Services will be at Alamo City Church and Burial with Full Military Honors at Ft Sam Houston National Cemetery.





