

Elwood Wayne Pittman, 93



Elwood Wayne Pittman, 93, of Bulverde, Texas passed away on Christmas Eve morning, December 24, 2017 at his personal care home, Komfort Haus in New Braunfels, Texas. Born in Marion County, Mississippi, he lived most of his life in the San Antonio and Bulverde areas. He loved the Hill Country of Texas most of all.

He joined the United States Army, while serving with the 36<sup>th</sup> Engineer Brigade during World War II in North Africa, Sicily, and ANZIO. He received the Bronze Star for meritorious combat service at ANZIO 1943-1944.

He worked as a bus driver for most of his life. After he semi retired, he drove a school bus in Comal ISD for several years. He enjoyed life, his family, meeting new people, and dancing. He was a saved born again believer; and, we look forward to the day we will see him again in glory.

He is survived by his family, sister Maxine Blalock, sons Ronald Pittman and Jeff Pittman and Marcia Pittman daughter-in-law. His surviving grandchildren are Justin Pittman and Eleanor Pittman wife, Holly Pittman, Hannah Pittman, and Hunter Pittman. His surviving great grandchildren are Elijah Pittman,

Brayden Pittman, Matthew Holdenwang, Laurel Pittman, and Joshua Pittman. He has many wonderful nieces and nephews that he loved dearly. He also had many wonderful friends he knew and loved.

The family gives a special thank you to his caregiver Grace Asobo who was with him when he passed away. He was especially fond of Grace and they always enjoyed each other's company. Many thanks from the family to Fred, Bo, Nikki, and the other residents at the Komfort Haus for taking such wonderful care of him. He was finally at peace with where he was at the end of his life. He was well cared for and especially loved the home cooked food.

Also thank you to Melissa and the care team of CIMA Hospice in New Braunfels. It was a blessing to know that he was so well cared for in the last few years of his life. Thank you also to the staff of Funeral Caring for all of the arrangements.

A memorial military honors service will be held at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San Antonio, Texas, 78209 at 2:30PM on Friday 12 January. Special thanks to the Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery Memorial Service Detachment for providing military honors. His remains will be laid to rest following the service at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. The family will receive friends shortly following at the home of Jeff and Marcia Pittman, 31111 Oakview Road, Bulverde, Texas, 78163.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memoriam for Elwood Wayne Pittman to the [WoundedWarriorProject.org](http://WoundedWarriorProject.org). As a veteran, he always expressed concern for our military men and women. He would be proud that his friends and family would support the cause of the Wounded Warrior Project in his memory.

The family is grateful for the assistance of Pastor Wright, of Cornerstone Church, for conducting the memorial service.

Funeral and memorial arrangements are provided by the staff of Funeral Caring, 6902 NE Loop 410, San Antonio, Texas 78219, 210-822-4445.

