



Mr. Thad A. Allen Jr.

March 22, 1922 - October 3, 2019

A visitation for Mr. Thad A. Allen Jr., 97, of Royse City will be held 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday, October 4, 2019 at Crawford - A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson. Funeral services with military honors will be held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, October 7, 2019 in the chapel of Lynch Funeral Home, 4238 TX-34 S, Greenville, Texas 75402. Interment will follow at Restland Cemetery in Dallas.

Mr. Allen passed from this life on October 3, 2019 in Henderson. He was born March 22, 1922 in Tyler, Texas to the late Thad A. Allen Sr., and Affie Tarbutton Allen. He was a rancher and of the Baptist faith. Mr. Allen became a Platoon Sergeant while he served his country in the United States Marines from 1940 to 1946 during World War II. During his service he fought in the Battle of Tarawa, the Battle of Saipan, and the Battle of Tinian in the Marianas Islands and was awarded The Purple Heart and Bronze Star medals.

Mr. Allen was preceded in death by his parents, Thad A. Allen Sr. and Affie Tarbutton Allen; wife Doris Allen; son, Thad A. "Sonny" Allen III; brother, Ralph Allen; sister, Grace Allen Scoggins; and nephew, Davis Lee Scoggins.

Survivors include nephews, Ralph Scoggins and wife Kay of Henderson, Robert Scoggins of Henderson; niece, Clara Scoggins Braswell of Waco; and a host of other family and friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Cemetery Details

Restland Cemetery

13005 Greenville Avenue
Dallas, TX 75243

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home
1414 South Main Street
Henderson, TX 75654

Service

OCT 7. 2:00 AM (CT)

Lynch Funeral Home
4238 TX-34 S
Greenville, TX 75402

Tribute Wall

RC

“ *Semper Fi ! You were a good man and I was blessed to have known you.*



Richard Caldwell - March 27, 2020 at 12:57 AM

CC

“ *Chris Cross lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thad A. Allen Jr.*



Chris Cross - October 04, 2019 at 07:19 PM

PP

“ *Pud Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thad A. Allen Jr.*



pud patterson - October 04, 2019 at 06:19 PM

PS

“ We are lighting a red candle to symbolize the crimson color in the US Marine Corps Flag. Thad Allen loved his country and his Corp. We are blessed to have had the opportunity to know and to Love him. Our deepest condolences to the family.
The Shields Family



Patricia Scoggins Shields - October 04, 2019 at 05:15 PM

PS

“ We are so proud and blessed to have had the opportunity to know and love Thad Allen. He was a loyal Marine and loved his country. We thank him for his sacrifice and his dedication to our great nation. We know you are dancing in Heaven with all your loved ones.
I am lighting this red candle to symbolize the scarlet in the US Marine Corps flag.
The Shields Family



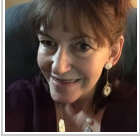
Patricia Scoggins Shields - October 04, 2019 at 11:35 AM

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“ Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thad A. Allen Jr.



Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb - October 04, 2019 at 11:03 AM



“ Thank you for your service. Prayers for the family.



Elizabeth Fulton - October 04, 2019 at 09:39 AM



“ So very sorry for your loss. He is what has made our country strong. We are thankful for the service he gave. He has now joined his loved ones. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Paula Sweeney - October 04, 2019 at 09:29 AM



“ Randy & Angela Scoggins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thad A. Allen Jr.



Randy & Angela Scoggins - October 03, 2019 at 08:11 PM