

Guy Edward "Ed" Mullinex, Jr.

Ed was born January 31, 1932, in Liverpool, WV. Shortly after his birth, his family moved to Ravenswood, WV, where they lived until he entered the Air Force as an Air Policeman in 1950. His first assignment was to Wiesbaden, Germany, where he met and married his first wife, Hildegard "Heidi" Weber. Their marriage lasted until her death in 1999. During his Air Force career, Ed had assignments in Great Britain, Florida, France, Germany, and Thailand. His last assignment was at Ellsworth Air Force Base, SD, where he retired from the Air Force after 26 years in 1976. After the Air Force, Ed and Heidi moved to Sturgis, SD, where he continued his career in law-enforcement. In 1980, they moved to Hawthorne, NV, where he worked in plant security for almost 18 years at the Hawthorne Army Ammunition Plant, eventually advancing to Manager of Security. He retired from Hawthorne in 1998 and moved back to Sturgis. In November 2003, Ed married Roberta Martin of Hawthorne, NV. Their marriage lasted 15 years and they lived in Sturgis.

Ed was a member of Lion's International for over 35 years. He was President of the Sturgis Club three times and a Melvin Jones Fellow. He was also a VFW Life Member.

Retired Air Force Master Sergeant Guy Edward "Ed" Mullinex, Jr. passed away on Saturday, March 16, 2019, in Sturgis, SD.

He is survived by his wife, Roberta and daughter, Kellie Fanger of Sturgis, SD; and the children of his first marriage to Heidi: son, Klaus Mullinex (Ginny) of Louisville, KY; and daughters, Cheryl Cantrell (Jay) of Titusville, FL, Caren Korabek (Charlie) of Murphy, TX, and Cindy Rockwood (Jim) of Virginia Beach, VA. Ed was blessed with 10 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

Ed was preceded in death by his first wife, Heidi; his parents, Guy Edward Mullinex, Sr. and Bessie Sayre Mullinex; and his three sisters, Geneva Shockey, Grace Young, and Gertrude Lehew.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.

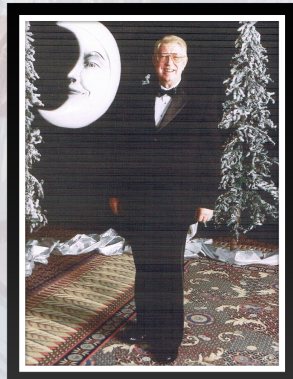


In Loving Memory

Guy Edward Mullinex, Jr.

January 31, 1932 ~ March 16, 2019

The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch at 2550 Belaire Circle in Sturgis following the committal service. We thank you for your presence and condolences.



A Cowboy's Psalm

The Lord is my Trail Boss; I shall be led in all I do:
 He makes my bedroll soft in the Grama Grass.
 The waters of his creeks sing to me;
 He keeps me honest and respectable
 and I give Him the praise. Even though I ride
 into the canyon with the memory of death,
 I am not afraid. You, O lord, are with me.
 Your rope and your saddle, they reassure me.
 You sent the chuckwagon
 with beans and a coffee pot
 when the winds and snow had chilled me to the bone.
 You lead my horse safely, even on the darkest night!
 You sure aren't gonna let trouble
 and pain buck me off now.
 And Lord, call me for that Big Roundup.
 I'll give you a hand as long as
 the sun and the stars are in the sky.

In Memory Of ***Guy Edward Mullinex, Jr.***

Date of Birth
 January 31, 1932
 Liverpool, West Virginia

Date of Death
 March 16, 2019
 Sturgis, South Dakota

Funeral Service
 Thursday, March 21, 2019, at 10:00 a.m.
 Kinkade Funeral Chapel
 Sturgis, South Dakota

Clergy
 Pastor Steve Talley

Musical Selections
 "I'll Fly Away" "Will The Circle Be Unbroken"
 "Take Me Home Country Roads"

Pallbearers
 Charles Korabek ~ Klaus Mullinex ~ Robert Vercruysse
 Nicky Plummer ~ Shawn Cantrell ~ Stacy Cook

Honorary Pallbearers
 Howard Quick ~ Sarah Pataluna

Military Honors
 Ellsworth Air Force Base
 Ellsworth, South Dakota

Final Resting Place
 Black Hills National Cemetery
 Sturgis, South Dakota