### **GOD'S GARDEN**

God looked around His garden and found an empty place,

He then looked down on the earth and saw your tired face.

He put His arms around you and lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful He always takes the best.

He knew you were suffering, He knew you were in pain.

He knew that you would never get well on earth again.

He saw the road was getting rough and the hills were hard to climb,

He closed your wary eyelids and whispered "Peace Be Thine."

> It broke our hearts to lose you but you didn't go alone.

Part of us went with you the day God called you home.



## A Special THANK YOU

to everyone who helped with the services (especially friend Ray Hunziker), the decorations, the food, and for all the thoughts, prayers, calls, visits, and just being there in our time of need.

Remember Dell with a smile as he loved life and all you guys.

### IN MEMORY OF

# DELLIVAN (Dell) EDGAR COLE



JUNE 29, 1936 - NOVEMBER 27, 2008

"For GOD so loved the world that HE gave
HIS only begotten son,
that whosoever believeth in HIM should not perish,
but have everlasting life."

John 3:16

Dell was born to Fred and Cynthia (Baker) Cole, on June 26, 1936 in Hope, North Dakota. He was affectionately called "Dub" by his friends and family.

Dell went to be with the Lord on 11/27/08 at his home in Grand Prairie, Texas. He leaves behind his wife Joyce, and children Debby (Andrew) Acosta, Peggy Tarr, Monica (Mike) Sutton, Diane (Donald) Fox, Terri (Duffey) Todd, Tina DuQue, Douglas (Diane) Ward. He is survived by sisters LaMae Lemley, LaNora McCullough, brother Warren (Joyce) Cole, sister-in-law Lois Cole, 17 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers Richard, Reuben, William and Sterling.

Dell served 20 years in the U. S. Army retiring in 1973, after which he worked in road construction and then volunteered at Joe Pool Lake, Loyd Park, for 10 years. He served in various offices including Commander of VFW Post 8561 for 3 years receiving All State Post, All State Post Commander for 2 years, and many other awards. During his military service he received the Purple Heart, Bronze Star Medal, and other military honors.

He leaves behind many friends including those from Post 8561 and Loyd Park, and many nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles and other relatives.

Dell loved God, family and country.

**REST IN PEACE** 

### MEMORIAL SERVICES

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
POST 8561
3221 HOWELL ST.,
ARLINGTON, TEXAS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2009

**COMMANDER GLENTALLEY** 

CHAPLAIN RAY HUNZIKER PRAYER

MILITARY RITUAL

PLACING OF THE ROSES

**REMARKS FROM ATTENDEES** 

MOMENT OF SILENCE

MUSIC BY FLUTIST NANCY HINKLE

CLOSING

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#### **INTERMENT**

DALLAS/FT WORTH NATIONAL VETERANS CEMETERY

2000 MT. CREEK PARKWAY, DALLAS, TEXAS

> MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2009, 11 A.M.

CHAPLAIN RAY HUNZIKER

MILITARY HONORS BY THE HONOR GUARD