Jay Dean Eash

February 2, 1932
June 10, 2013

His Legacy… Jay Dean Eash was born on February 2, 1932 in Hollsopple, Pennsylvania to George Eash and Cora Ella Keafer where he grew up in Somerset County on a quaint country farm in “God’s Country”. Jay passed away on June 10, 2013 in Oroville, California. Jay or “Dean” as he was known to others served his country for 30 years. He first enlisted in the Navy where he served 4 years. In the following 2 years he re-enlisted in the Air Force and provided service to our country for another 26 years. His tenure carried him thru two wartimes; the Vietnam War and the Korean War. Serving as Master Sergeant he was stationed in vast areas throughout the United States and abroad; including the Mediterranean, Germany, Alaska, and Iceland. Dean resided in Oroville, California where he retired on a rustic 20 acres where he enjoyed the tranquility of his property; from running stream, wildlife abundant and his favorite was nightfall when he could observe the various stars and constellations in the galaxy. He also enjoyed going out on his boat and fishing. He looked forward to turkey hunting. Incidentally, he always fed the wild turkeys during the off season. As a favorite pastime he enjoyed watching football, especially the Steelers games and auto races. We will forever miss his stern but witty personality. He will be remembered as a loving husband, father, brother, uncle and friend to all who knew him.

His Family… Dean is survived by his loving bride of 45 years Mae Eash, son Billy Eash, grandson, Tyler, granddaughter Danielle, great grandchildren Torrie, Andrea, and the youngest 2 year old Hunter. He is preceded in death by his parents, his son Larry Eash, grandson Shane Eash, all his siblings, brothers, Jake, Ernie, Clair, Henry, Warren, and Merle, his sisters, Edith, Ertie, Gertie, Francis, Marie and Ann who died as a child.

His Farewell Service …
Graveside Service will be held on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at 2:00 pm at Sutter Cemetery 7200 Butte Ave., Sutter, California. Arrangements are entrusted to Ramsey Funeral Home 530-534-3877.