



Matthews, John Clinton 'Skip'

1944-2022

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John Clinton "Skip" Matthews of Alvord, was born March 2, 1944, and went to join the Lord Sept. 4, 2022.

John grew up in the Dallas area and attended W.W. Samuel High School. He graduated from Era High in Cooke County. He joined the Army and spent two years in Vietnam. He collected watches and knives and was a TV buff. He played golf and liked to shoot pool. He was good at Scrabble and had many online friends that played Words With Friends. He attended church at New Vision Ministries, in Alvord. He was preceded in death by his parents, Doc Matthews and Ruth Matthews Maples and stepfather Charlie Maples; brothers, Mickey Matthews and Jesse Presley; brothers-in-law, Glenn Boyers and Gary Presley; stepsister, Linda Maples.

He is survived by his children, Michael and Brooke Matthews, Michele Matthews and Barry Martin; sister, Darla Boyers; and brother, Tim Matthews and wife, Jan; sister-in-law, Cheryl Matthews; step-siblings, Anita Maples, Cindy Maples Wynn, Wayne Maples and wife, Sheila; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; Quint and Cherri Burks and Persephone and Matt Shelley; great-niece, Brandi Sells and husband, Cody, and their children, Clay and Kade; as well as numerous nephews, nieces and friends. He was very loved and will be greatly missed.

A memorial service will be held at New Vision Ministries in Alvord, 11 a.m. Saturday Oct. 15.

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