



Edlee T. Ward

August 8, 1932 - January 23, 2012

Edlee Ward, 79, passed away on Monday, January 23, 2012. He is survived by wife Janet Ward; sister, Lena Terrell; daughters, Cheryl, Charlotte, Laura; and son, Thomas. He has seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren. He is the son of Ida Ward and William Thomas Ward, both deceased. Edlee was also preceded in death by his oldest son David Ward. He had a 23 year long career in the Coast Guard, was Master Chief and later was in charge of boating safety. He lectured and gave instruction on boating safety on Cable TV while stationed in Alabama. He became deputy Sheriff in Tupelo, Mississippi after his retirement from the Coast Guard. He moved to Florida in 1979 and held various jobs in security, auto repair and as a vendor in a flea market. He loved fishing, hunting, boating and gambling. He had a fierce determination to live as he battled many health problems, time and again. He touched many lives and will be sadly missed by all who knew him. As St. Jude was his protector, contributions may be made in Edlee's memory to St. Jude Children's Hospital. Visitation will be held from 5 - 7pm, Friday, January 27, 2012 at the Anderson Patterson Funeral Home 2701 Lee Blvd Lehigh Acres, FL 33971. A Celebration of Life will begin at 7pm. A memorial mass at St. Raphael Catholic Church will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Edlee T. Ward*

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