



Edward Donovan LaPlace

Edward Donovan LaPlace, affectionately known as "Eddie," was born June 19, 1939, on St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands. He served in the U.S. Army from 1963 to 1965. He served in Korea for 18 months.

Eddie passed away Sept. 29, 2011, in Box Springs, Ga. He lived most of his adult life in Alabama and Georgia.

He was an avid gardener, no doubt, since he grew up on a farm with his family. He enjoyed living in the country and was the owner and operator of Dixie Plumbing and Contracting for 37 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Louise LaPlace.

Survivors include his wife of 44 years, Betty Jean LaPlace; daughter, Tina LaPlace Yazell and her husband Donald; son, Charles LaPlace; and grandson, Kody LaPlace, all of Box Springs, Ga.; brother, Cyril LaPlace; sisters, Ruby Questel, Enid Danet and Gloria Danet all of St. Thomas, Cecelia Greaux of St. Barths and Emelda Magras of San Diego, Calif., and many other relatives and friends too numerous to mention.

Funeral services were held Oct. 4 at Parkhill Cemetery, Box Springs, Ga.