

### WARREN SIMPSON



Warren Simpson, 82, of Callahan, passed away on August 19, 2022. He was born March 30, 1940 in Jonesboro, Arkansas to Lonnie Simpson and Gladys Dann Simpson. Warren proudly served his country in the United States Navy for 8 years and in the United States Army for 3 years. He later went on to serve in the Air National Guard. Warren's passion in life was being a pilot, and flying airplanes. A huge accomplishment for Warren was building two airplanes. He was a founding member of the Hilliard Airpark. To say Warren was a brilliant man would certainly be an understatement.

He was a devoted husband, loving father and grandfather who enjoyed spending time with his family. His favorite motto was "Work, Learn, Family" which he lived by every day. Warren was preceded in death by parents; brother Bob Simpson; sisters Leitta Rowell and Lola Fay "Suzie" Stafford.

Warren leaves behind his beloved wife of 61 beautiful years, Grace Kathleen Simpson; daughter Deborah Waters and Brenda (Brian) Rhoden; brothers Bill Simpson, Raymond Simpson, Edgar Simpson, Jackie Simpson and Johnny Simpson; sisters Jeanette Giannini and Irene Parks; grandchildren Heather Waters-Dale, Juliana (Brenda) Allen-Waters, Kara (Nick) Brown, Tara (Andy Mitchell) Middleton and Alex (Jackie) Middleton; and 15 great-grandchildren.

A celebration of Warren's life was held Wednesday, August 24 at Nassau Funeral Home with Pastor James Conner officiating. Interment followed at Jones Cemetery where military honors were rendered. The family received friends prior to the service.

Arrangements under the direction of Nassau Funeral Home, Callahan, 904-879-1770.

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