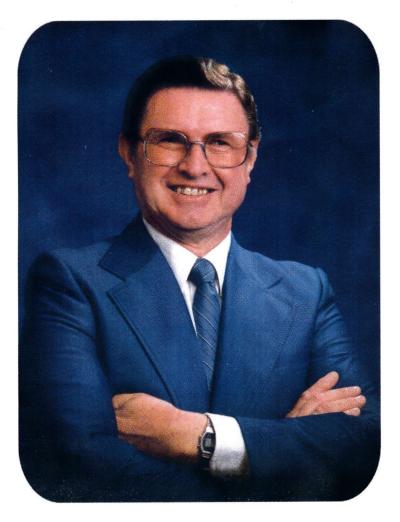


what God has prepared for those who love  $\mathcal{H}_{im}$ .

1 Corinthians 2:9



## In Memory of

Roy Ralph Winstead, Jr.

January 21, 1924 - October 26, 2014

Funeral Service 11:00 am Wednesday October 29, 2014 Peace Lutheran Church Philomath, Oregon Officiated by Jeremy Lucke

Casket Bearers Dave Winstead, Ron Randall, Allan Neer Brian Neer, Dan Rupp, Jeremy Hale

Final Burial 2:00 pm Wednesday October 29, 2014 Twin Oaks Memorial Park Albany, Oregon

> Flag Presentation and Taps Oregon Military Honors and American Legion

## Roy's Favorite Scripture:

For by grace you have been saved through faith; and this is not your own doing, it is the gift of God - not because of works, lest any man should boast.

Ephesians 2:8-9





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Roy Ralph Winstead Jr., 90, of Albany, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Sunday, after his illness. He was born in Tarkio, Missouri to Roy Ralph and Elsie Mae (Hazelwood) Winstead.

Roy lived in Missouri on his grandparent's farm. He had many stories of farm life and the "Depression." He moved with his dad and brother to Oregon in March of 1942. When December 7th (Pearl Harbor Day) happened not much changed in his life. He kept working at the gas station. He received word that his dad bought a house in Lebanon. Dad sent word for mom and brother Bill to come to Oregon. Roy was called up for the draft and was classified as noncombat. He could have waited to be called up but he wanted to go. He trained for the Military Police. Halfway though basic training he was told they needed enlisted men with an IQ above normal.

In 1944 he met Virginia and was married in July 1944. They had two children, Linda and Dave. He joined the United States Army and then went to Okinawa and then to Korea. When the war ended, he was assigned to help out in a hospital in Inchon, Korea. After about 33 months in the army he was discharged and sent home to Lebanon. He went to work in a plywood mill and then recruited as an insurance agent for Prudential. He spent 30 years as an agent.

Roy was divorced in 1978 and then married Fran in 1979. He worked in a contract post office at Williams Drug store. He had a heart attack in December of 1996. He also had cancer and radiation treatments. He then ran a contract post office at Corvallis Hardware. Fran had her own Real Estate office in Philomath. They both worked 20 years.

He retired and Roy and his wife Fran enjoyed traveling to many wonderful places and had wonderful memories. Roy also loved to draw and fish. He went to be with his Lord, his Savior, after his illness on October 26, 2014

Roy is survived by his wife Fran; son Dave and his wife Rhonda; step-daughter Charlotte and her husband Ron; step-son Allan and his wife Debby; many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Memorial service will be 11 am Wednesday October 29th at Peace Lutheran Church 2540 Applegate St. Philomath. Graveside service with military honors will follow at 2 pm at Twin Oaks Memorial Gardens and Mausoleum.

Memorial contributions can be made in his name to Talking Book & Braille Services, Oregon State Library, 250 Winter St. NE, Salem, Oregon 97301-3950. Sweet Home Funeral Chapel is handling the arrangements. <a href="https://www.sweethomefuneral.com">www.sweethomefuneral.com</a>