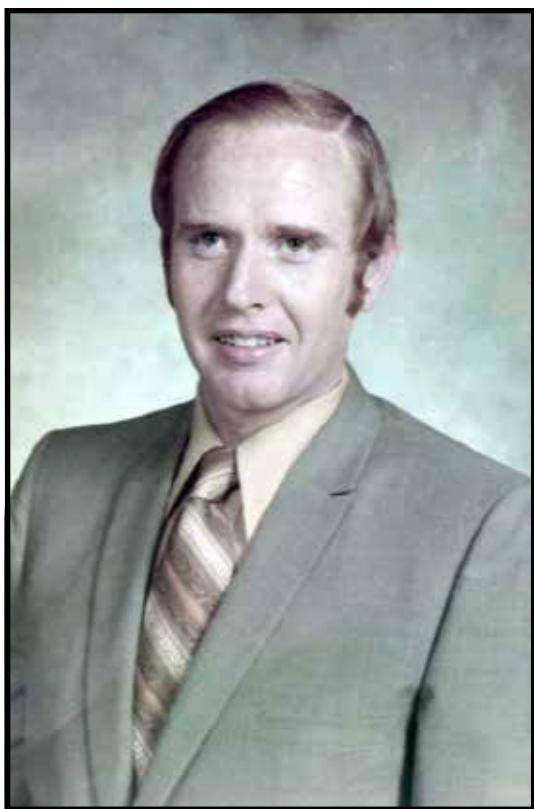


**Henry David “Dave”
Thornton, Jr.**

August 30, 1938 - February 19, 2019



Henry David “Dave” Thornton, Jr., 80, of Port Neches, died Tuesday, February 19, 2019. He was born on August 30, 1938, in Haynesville, Louisiana, to Inez Crocker Thornton and Henry David Thornton, Sr.

Dave served in the United States Army Reserves. He retired from Goodyear as a Lab Operator after 40 years of service. He loved to hunt and fish and was an avid reader, but most of all he loved his family. He was a devoted husband to

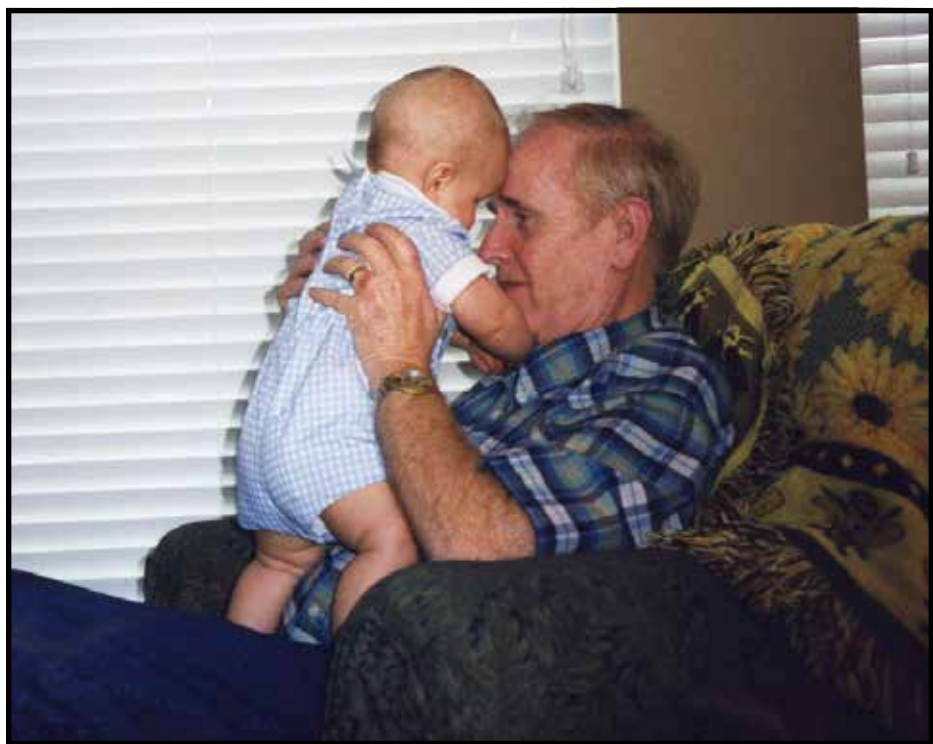
Donna for fifty-three years. His dedication to his family knew no limits. His four grandchildren were the center of his universe; no event was too small or too far away to attend. Their pa-pa was their biggest fan, always there to cheer them on and give positive encouragement, no matter the outcome.

Survivors include his wife, Donna Thornton of Port Neches; son, Ken Thornton and his wife, Stacy, of Cypress; daughter, Kim Garza and her husband, Melchor, of Pearland; grandchildren, Zach Thornton, Cale Thornton, Caleb Garza, and Ainsley Garza; and brothers, Pat Downs and his wife, Tammy, of Magnolia, Arkansas and Luke Thornton and his wife, Iris, of Arlington.

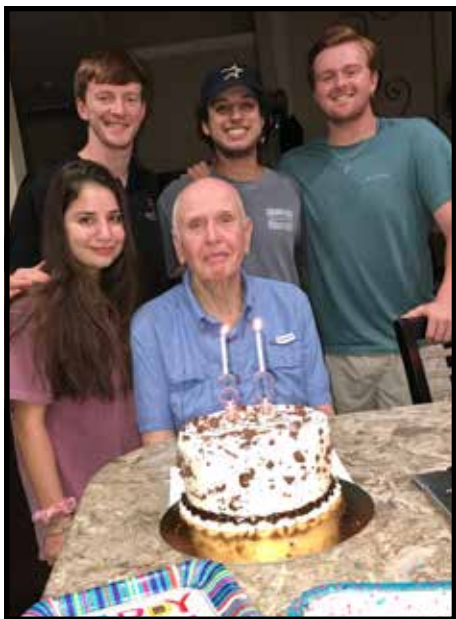
He was preceded in death by his parents; and sisters, Julie Long and Kaye Rockett.

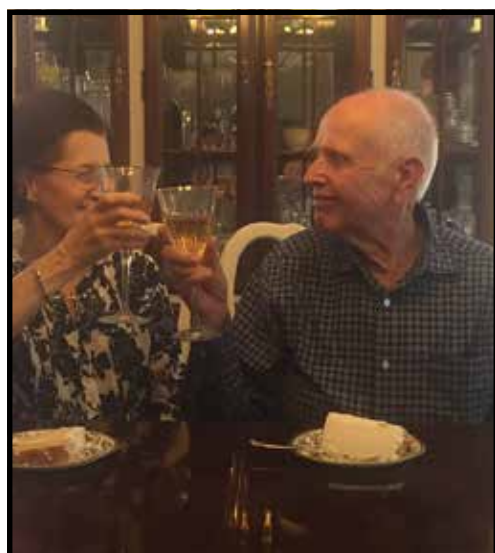


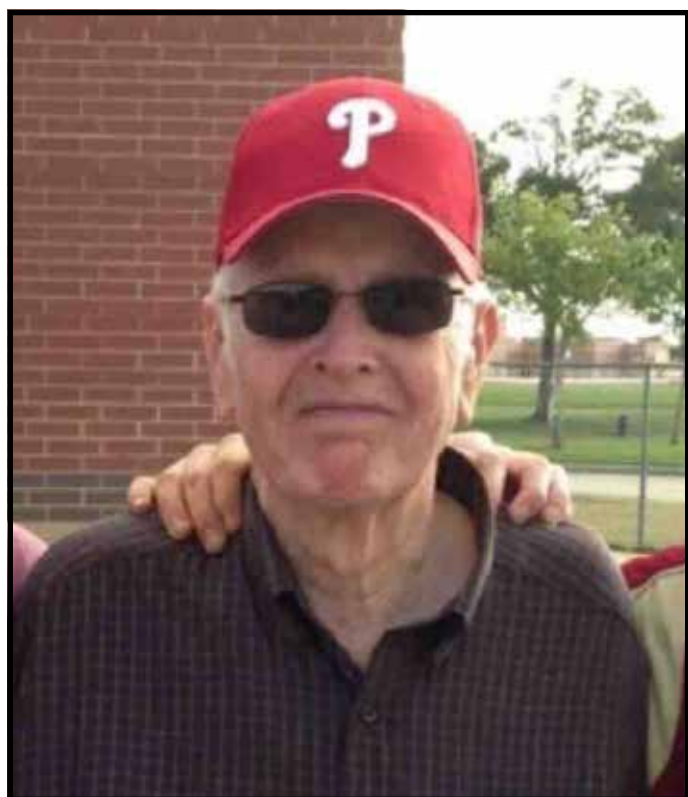
















Pallbearers

Caleb Garza
Melchor Garza
Cale Thornton
Bob Leonard
Zach Thornton
Flavio Garza

Interment

Oak Bluff Memorial Park
Port Neches, Texas



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