



## Edward Austel Gailliot

September 27, 1929 - February 17, 2017

Edward Austel Gailliot (Age) 87

Ed died on February 17, 2017 at the Westminster at Lake Ridge Senior Center. He was a lifelong resident of Northern Virginia. His loving wife, Shirley, predeceased him.

Ed graduated from George Washington High School and served in the US Navy. After retiring from the C&P Telephone Company, he pursued his true passion...sharing his knowledge of rigid airships. He was Docent Emeritus at the National Air & Space Museum and made numerous airship presentations to historical societies, museums, and schools. His research has been used in books and videos. He loved animals-both large and small.

Ed is survived by his daughters, Ann Comer (Roger) and Terry Cole (Jeff); son, Kenneth Gailliot (Robin) and three grandchildren, Jesse Cole, Danielle Comer and Bryce Gailliot.

Relatives and friends may call at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr. Alexandria, VA on Tuesday, February 21, 2017 from 2-4 & 7-9 PM, where funeral service will be held on Wednesday at 9:30 AM. Interment Mt. Comfort Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to your local animal shelter.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Austel Gailliot*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



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**Jefferson Funeral Chapel** - January 28, 2019 at 10:08 AM



“ *I just wanted to let Eddie's family know that he was very well liked by all of his C & P " family" and will be sorely missed. His sense of humor was always a welcome diversion at " the Phone Factory ". I'm sure he will rest in peace.*

February 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *I have lost one of my best and long-term friends. Eddie and I have shared many great times together from our high school days and many good experiences in later life, and I will miss him terribly. May he rest in peace with the Lord and with Shirley.*

February 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM