



## **Mr. David A Jackson, Sr.**

- BORN: July 14, 1939
- DIED: February 20, 2010
- LOCATION: Odessa, FL

Jackson, David Allen, 70, of Odessa, FL went home to be with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, 02/20/2010, after a year long, courageous fight against cancer. He served his country in the U.S. Navy-Seabees in the Vietnam War. A graduate of University of Tampa where he earned his Bachelor's degree and retired from the Tampa Police Department after 25 years. He took great pride in being a Police Officer and enjoyed his time with his brothers and sisters of Law Enforcement. He then worked with the Hillsborough County Public Transportation Commission and retired after 15 years. He was preceded in death by his mother Evelyn Jackson, father Norman Woodrow Jackson, brother, Norman Jackson and his loving son, David Allen Jackson, Jr. he was married to and survived by his wonderful wife and best friend Dorothy Hewlett-Jackson for 51 amazing years, his son Dean Jackson (Marcy), his daughter Kimberly Jackson (John Fernandez), 8 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren, 2 brothers, Charles Jackson (Lynn) and Gerald Jackson, Sister-In-Law, Roberta Jones (Jerry), Brother-In-Law Frank Hewlett (T.K.) as well as many nieces and nephews and 8 beautiful cats. He was someone who was always giving a helping hand in his community whether it was a person in need or an animal that just needed a home. He had a wonderful heart and was a very loving and caring husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He was a man who deeply cared about his family and his friends. He will be so dearly missed. A memorial service will be held at Genesis Church, 10925 Tarpon Springs Road, Odessa, FL 33556, Saturday February 27, 2010, at 11 AM. Contributions may be made in his name to the Humane Society of Tampa Bay, 3607 N. Armenia Avenue, Tampa, Fl. 33607-1322.