



## J. Wayne Scarbrough, Sr.

February 12, 2013 - February 12, 2013

J. Wayne Scarbrough, Sr., 89, of Fort Collins, passed away peacefully February 10, 2013 surrounded by his family in a local nursing home. Wayne was born June 22, 1923 in Miami, Oklahoma to Anthony and Thelma Scarbrough. He played football and ran track for North Texas State while majoring in Industrial Arts. Wayne served in the U.S. Navy during WWII and participated in every major battle in the Pacific. Wayne married Marlene Wilhoit on May 27, 1950, in Archer City, Texas. He worked for Halliburton in the oil fields for 12 years. He helped fight two oil well fires with Red Adair. Wayne then worked for Allstate Insurance as a claims adjuster for 25 years. Wayne and Marlene moved to Estes Park, Colorado in 1987. They moved to Loveland in 2005. He enjoyed observing wildlife and nature, fishing, gardening, barbequing and arrowhead hunting. He also enjoyed woodworking with his own design of bird houses. He especially enjoyed spending time with his family. Survivors include his children, J. Wayne "Bud" Scarbrough Lois of Livermore, Colorado and Mary Rodriguez Roland of Loveland; sisters, Toni Trousdale of Norman, Oklahoma and Betty Gary of Wichita Falls, Texas; two grandchildren, Alice Marler Jim and Brian Scarbrough Julie; two great-grandchildren, Daniel Scarbrough and Kaitlin Marler. Preceding Wayne in death are his parents, beloved wife Marlene, and son David. A Funeral Service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday at Bohlender Funeral Chapel. Interment with military honors will follow at Grandview Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to Mountain States Children's Home, in care of

Bohlender Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive St., Ft. Collins, CO 80524.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I remember going to see my Great Uncle with my granny (Toni Trousdale) we would go there to Colorado and feed the deer and watch the wildlife. He was a good man. And my granny loved him so.

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**Brooke Trousdale-Bentley** - July 17, 2025 at 10:31 PM

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“ So sorry to learn of Wayne's death. Wayne was a great friend and faithful Christian brother. He was my brother in Christ . I will always miss his funny jokes and stories about his childhood. He was a great stand up American! He served his country with great honors. Bro. Dave

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**Dave Logan** - February 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM