



Jack R. Schneider

October 27, 1919 - October 3, 2014

Jack R. Schneider, age 94, a long-time resident of Albuquerque, passed away on Friday, October 3, 2014 after a long life. He was born in Muskogee, OK on October 27, 1919 to Ralph and Myrtle (McVay) Schneider. He was a World War II Fighter Pilot assigned to the Second Squadron, 52nd Fighter Group, flying Spitfires and P-51 Mustangs in the Mediterranean Theater. He received the Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal. He also served during the Korean War after World War II as part of his career in the USAF Reserves. He retired in 1960 at the rank of Lt. Colonel. Jack married Lowbyane "Sis" Rooker on September 10, 1944 – four days after he returned from World War II. He graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering. He worked for Texaco, Inc. for 31 years and retired in 1983 in Houston, TX where he was the Manager of National Accounts. Mr. Schneider was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Ralph Schneider. He is survived by his wife of 70 years, Lowbyane "Sis" Schneider, two sons: Stephen Schneider and wife Peggy of Escondido, CA and Brian Schneider and wife Penny of Albuquerque, NM. He was very fond and proud of his two grandchildren, Carson Schneider and Kendall Schneider of Albuquerque. He has a niece, Lisa Downey and husband Mark; two great nephews Zaide Downey and Matthew Downey and a great niece Angela Downey, all of Jones, OK. Graveside services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 7, 2014 at Sunset Memorial Park, 924 Menaul Blvd. NE, with military honors by the United States Air Force. Please

visit our online guestbook for Jack at www.FrenchFunerals.com

Previous Events

Graveside Services

OCT 7. 2:00 PM (MT)

Sunset Memorial Park
924 Menaul Blvd NE
Albuquerque, NM 87107
(505) 345-3536
info@sunset-memorial.com
<https://www.sunset-memorial.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“Losing a parent under any circumstances is very hard. Your father was and always will be a hero to all of us and the whole nation. And I wanted you to know although I did not know him personally I'm certain that he was very proud of all of you. I and my family pray for you and your families during this difficult time. Also we pray that you find console in the realization that as we let him go, that he'll be arriving at the gates of heaven to a hero's welcome that he richly deserve.

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Janaka Morandage - October 07, 2014 at 10:00 AM

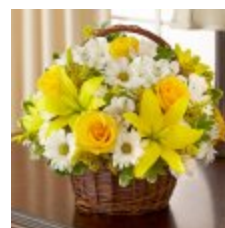
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“My sincerest apologies for your loss. What an honor to read about a true american hero who served our country. All of you must be very proud and I hope that you can find peace in the wonderful memories of such a great man. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Joletta Knight

Joletta Knight - October 07, 2014 at 08:13 AM



“Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Jack R. Schneider.



October 05, 2014 at 09:06 PM

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“ *On behalf of the French Family of Companies, we express our deepest condolences.*

Brandon Morrison - October 04, 2014 at 05:05 PM