Donald A. Deason



Donald A. Deason, 71, of Amarillo died Tuesday, May 29, 2012.

Services were private.

Mr. Deason was born April 30, 1941, in Oklahoma City to Raymond E. and Lillie C. Deason. In 1953, the family moved to Amarillo, where he attended Nixson Elementary School, Bowie Junior High School and Amarillo High School. He served his country by enlisting in the Army at age 17 and spending 27 months in Germany. After returning to Amarillo, He attended Amarillo College for two years. He worked at the Amarillo Globe-News for 16 years and managed clubs for six years, including other interests.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Jean Hollabaugh.

Survivors include two sons, Brent Carter and Brad Carter; three grandchildren, Taryn Carter, Mason Carter and Landry Carter; a sister, JoAnne Peteree; several nieces and nephews; and many friends, all of whom he will miss.