

OBITUARIES

BERT CLARK

**A.F. "Bert" Clark, 88, of Phoenix, a retired airline pilot, died Oct 27, 1998. He was born in Trinidad, Colo., and was a Navy veteran. Survivors include his wife, Jerry; daughters, J.E. Lindner and Linda Davis; and four grandchildren. Services: 7 to 10 am. Saturday, Camelback Bible Church, Phoenix Shadow Mountain Mortuary.
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"BERT" CLARK as he was known from his early flying was born April 22, 1910 in Trinidad, Colorado and left this life for heaven October 27, 1998. He was a man who tackled with enthusiasm any task set before him. Early on in Greeley, Colorado, he yearned to fly and after joining the Navy got his opportunity in 1929. He returned to Greeley to finish high school and then to marry his beloved wife, in 1932.

Flying took them to Oklahoma in WWII where he was a civilian flight instructor at Chickasha Airfield. He flew for 3 airlines; Continental, Monarch and Frontier. It was as a pilot with Frontier that he moved his family to Phoenix in 1950, enjoying the warm winters and beautifying the neighborhood with flowers and a (then-rare) "winter" lawn.

His formal associations were few - he wasn't a "joiner", but his associations with and membership in Q.B.. a brotherhood of pilots, was one he treasured. His life revolved around his family and friends, spending his time in the company of those he loved, who benefited continually from his abilities. He seemed to be able to accomplish anything he set his mind to. He was renowned for his skills as a BBQ Chef and many enjoyed that talent. He could build or fix anything, and if he didn't know how, he read up and observed until he gained the knowledge.

With his retirement from Frontier Airlines in 1975, he continued his active life with Jerry, his daughters and his grandchildren and family times were his favorites. He took pride in achievements gained through good effort and was an encourager to excellence and responsibility to all those near him. He gained spiritual peace when he trusted Christ for his salvation and eternal destiny. He had a profound influence on many. We are the richer for his life and love and influence and the countless, wonderful memories.

Bert was predeceased by parents Fred Clark & Gertrude W. Clark, infant son Albert DeEtte Clark and brother Ed Clark. Jerry his wife & friend of 66 years, daughters Joan-Ellen Lindner (Bill) and Linda Davis; granddaughters Stephanie Davis and Christina Lindner and grandsons Clark Lindner, Kent Lindner and Justin Davis survive and honor him.

A Memorial Service will be enjoyed Sat. Nov. 7th at 10am at Camelback Bible Church, 3900 E. Stanford Dr. November 6, 1998

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