



John Clinton Brown

July 13, 2010

Surfside Beach John Clinton Brown John Clinton Brown age 87, died Monday, July 12, 2010 at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center. Born on June 25, 1923, he was the son of the late George Dewey Brown and Opal Atkinson Brown of Hickory, NC. Mr. Brown attended East Tennessee State University in Johnson City, Tennessee. He was a career officer with 32 years of service. He retired from the U.S. Air Force in July of 1975. As a flying officer he flew 30 combat missions in a B-24 aircraft in the European Theater of Operations and 30 combat missions in a B-29 aircraft in the Korean War. In the Vietnam War he was in charge of the Air Force, Army, Navy and Marine stores that served the troops in the I-Corps area of Vietnam. As a military officer he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross with two oak leaf clusters, the Air Medal with 10 oak leaf clusters, the Bronze Star with two oak leaf clusters, the Joint Service Commendations Medal, the Air Force Commendation Medal, and the Korean Order of Military Merit. Mr. Brown was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection in Surfside Beach, SC. Surviving is his wife, Rosemary Brown of Surfside Beach. Funeral services will be private. Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ john was a very dear friend,i saw john every week,when i came by to mow his lawn,we would stand out in the yard with the dog and talk for thirty or fortyfive minutes,john was a great man that i could talk to after a long hard day of work an he could make me fill better,i truly miss john,my family an i are praying for mary,because john is surly in a great place..you are in our daily prayers..the adams###imported-begin###johnny l, adams.{john's yard man}an friend###imported-end##

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