



## Clinton King

January 7, 1920 - February 10, 2012

LTC (USA-R) CLINTON ADALBERT KING, 92, passed away on February 10th, 2012 at the Veranda Memory Care Facility in Roswell, Ga. Clinton was born on January 7, 1920 and raised on a cattle ranch near Rifle, Colo. He enlisted in the Army in 1938. He was a Staff Sergeant with the 7th Infantry Division at Fort Ord, Calif., when he met his future wife, Shirley Sturges in 1941. After graduating from Officer Candidate School and achieving the rank of 1LT, Clinton and Shirley married in 1942, at Fort Benning, Ga.

Clinton is a WWII veteran and served in the Ardennes-Alesce campaign with forces that came in behind General Patton to relieve the Americans trapped during the Battle of the Bulge. He also served in combat during the Rhineland and Central Europe campaigns, receiving numerous awards, including the Combat Infantry Badge and the Bronze Star.

During his 20-year military career he served at numerous posts including Japan, England, Korea, Fort Sheridan, Ill., and Fort Ord, Calif. Following his military career, Clinton worked for North American Rockwell on special projects for the Department of Defense and for the Atlantic Research Co. in Alexandria, Va.

After retirement, Clinton loved to cook for family and friends and his love of travel continued in the form of an RV. He loved to entertain and was known for his outgoing and social nature.

Clinton is survived by his wife of nearly 70 years, Shirley King, his children Patricia Middleton (Doug), Kathleen King, Susan LeVan-Green (David),

Clinton E. King (Susan), 8 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by parents, Myron and Florence King, by his brother and sister, and by a son, Michael King.

Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery with full military honors.

Memorials may be made in memory of Clinton to Journey Hospice at 5871 Glenridge Dr. NE, Suite 110, Atlanta, Ga. 30328 [www.journeyhospice.com](http://www.journeyhospice.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Sikorski Funeral Home

3630 West George Street  
Chicago, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 15. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Clinton King*

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“ *Love you and miss you Dad. You are with Grandma and Mike now and they will take good care of you.##imported-begin##Susan LeVan-Green##imported-end##*

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