



Gregory Verne Short

December 2, 1949 - August 7, 2016

Gregory Verne Short, 66, of Denton, TX, passed away Sunday, August 7, 2016 in Dallas, TX. Gregory was born December 2, 1949 in Fort Worth, TX to Raymond William Short and Mary F. Quinn. Gregory served in the United States Marine Corps and later retired from the California Department of Corrections as "Coach". As a retired veteran he became the author of two books concerning his experiences and observations of the human condition in every environment imaginable, *Ground Pounder* and *Titan's of the Forest*. Gregory is survived by his son, Jacob Levi Brockett of Denton, TX and brother, David Quinn Short of Austin, TX. Gregory was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Raymond William Short. There are no services scheduled at this time. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com. Services are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Still missing you*

June 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM



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Cory George,

Nevada City, California

Contact Me

Cory George - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *I kept telling you life is Short, Short. Gonna miss ya old buddy! We kept each other sane in the insanity.*

Cory Corbett - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *goodby old friend* ”

don caldwell - August 11, 2016 at 12:00 AM