



Roy Lee Armstrong, Jr. Co F-1

“Brown Boy,” High Fi, and Texas never failed to arouse Roy’s ambitions and keep F Company laughing. When not devoting his time to “poop” sessions and saving lives during turnouts, Roy managed to “muck” out some stars of his own. His constant good humor, perseverance, and initiative have added to the company and will show forth in his coming career

Born – 8 Nov 1938 in Cleburne, Texas.

To USMA – from Cleburne, TX. Appointed as a Qualified Alternate (QA).

Died – 11 July 2023 (age 84) at Wilmington, DE. Buried at Graceland Memorial Park, New Castle, DE.

Military Awards – Army Commendation Medal.

Schooling – Master of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Vanderbilt University.

Family - Wife – Amy Armstrong – 2 children (Megan and Katie) – 3 grandchildren.

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Roy served on active duty in the Army (Artillery) for 3 years, resigning in 1964, with the rank of 1st Lieutenant. His first assignment was with the 13th Field Artillery in Germany.

After leaving active duty, Roy had a successful career in business and manufacturing. He went to work and had a long career with the Dupont Company with increasing levels of responsibility (Quality Control Supervisor, Student at Vanderbilt University, Purchasing Supervisor, Engineering Development Supervisor, Senior Engineering Supervisor, Superintendent of Instrument Manufacturing). He was a leader in product development and had extensive experience in medical devices. He later served with Dade Behring, Inc. (Director of Technology Management), and the RA Consulting Firm (Owner and Consultant). Roy passed away on 11 July 2023, from Parkinson’s disease.

Footnote about Roy – “Roy was kind, wise, hard-working, funny, loving, and easy to love. He was a true gentleman. His adoring family is thankful for every second with Roy, and they will miss him always.”