



North Texas Patriot Guard Riders

Raymond Colston, Jr.

Mission Summary

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| Classification | Military Veteran |
| Military Branch | United States Air Force |
| Military Service | Aircraft Electronic Navigation Equipment Repairman, OCT 1958 to MAY 1963. |
| Campaigns | Vietnam War (1962 - 1975) |
| Mission Segments | Celebration of Life |
| Obituary | Link to Obituary |
| Photo Permission | Yes |
| MRC | Mark Ingersoll bluhog@gmail.com (817) 938-3544 |

Part 1

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| Segment | Celebration of Life |
| Mission Date | 08/11/2018 |
| Staging Time | 0900 |
| Briefing Time | 0915 |
| In Position/KSU Time | 0930 |
| Starting Time | 1000 |

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| Staging Point | JE Keever Funeral Home |
| Staging Address | 408 North Dallas Street Ennis, Texas 75119 |
| Map Link | Map to Staging |
| GPS | 32.329896, -96.629588 |
| Details | <p>We have been invited by the family of Raymond Colston, Jr., to join them in honoring the life and military service of their loved one. We will honor this request by standing in the flag line at his Celebration of Life service.</p> <p>We will stage at the funeral home and assist the support team with the placement of the flags, if needed. The mission brief will be given then we will establish a flag line and receive the family and guests of Mr. Colston. Once the service begins, the flags will be retrieved and returned to the support vehicle where they will be furled and secured. Following a post mission brief, all riders will be dismissed.</p> |
| Support | Randy & Nicki Smith |
| Posted | Mark Ingersoll |
| MRC Notes | <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> |

***** SAFETY NOTICE *****

Before volunteering and/or attending any North Texas Patriot Guard Riders missions we encourage you to review all safety information below.

Included are some potential safety concerns to be aware of, however this does not include the full scope of all potential hazards.

Anyone attending any North Texas Patriot Guard Riders mission understands that they do so at their own risk.

Funeral Processions/Escorts

EVERY RIDER IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE for their own safety at all times while riding in a funeral procession.

At NO TIME are any riders authorized to block any intersection or otherwise block or impede traffic laws in any way. Only Law Enforcement officials are authorized to block and/or impeded the lawful flow of traffic.

If you choose to fly a flag on your bike you are SOLELY RESPONSIBLE for ensuring it is secured and not a danger to any other rider or traffic.

High Temperatures

It's every RIDER'S PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY to hydrate prior to attending a mission.

Begin drinking water the night before. Drink water when you wake up and continue drinking water all day to ensure your body stays hydrated.