



## Calvin Brank

February 28, 2011

Calvin Thomas Brank 66, passed way February 28, 2011, at University of Toledo Medical Center. Born on February 4, 1944 in McRoberts, Kentucky to the union of Harry Brank, Sr. and Marie (Norris) Brank. Calvin grew up and was educated in Wheelwright, KY. After he graduated from high school he immediately joined the United States Army where he served for 23 years of active duty and attained the rank of Master Sergeant and while enlisted as a non-commissioned officer Mr. Brank performed two tours of duty in Vietnam where he earned the Purple Heart as well as many other decorations and commendations. While in the military he served as a recruiter and station commander of the recruiting office, drill instructor, infantryman, Jungle expert, green beret, and second in the chain of command of the North West Ohio area recruiting command. After retirement from the United States Army he was employed at the Economic Opportunity Planning Association as a job developer for two years, a housing manager for Lucas County Metropolitan Housing Authority at Ravine Park, and the supervisor in the Transportation Department at Lucas County Developmental Disabilities, retiring in 2004. He leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife of 44 years, Clara M. Brank; son, Kelvin Brank; daughter, Karen Brank-Bennett; daughter, Katonia Brank; son, Kraig Brank, and two brothers, Harry Brank, Jr. (Ann) of Elyria, OH, Henry Brank of Detroit, Michigan, mother-in-law, Beatrice Hodge of Bennetville, SC, brother-in-laws, sister-in-laws, 13 grandchildren, one great-grandchild, and a host of other relatives and friends. Visitation will be on Friday, 5 to 7 p.m. at

Dale-Riggs Funeral Home Chapel, wake services Saturday, at 11 a.m. funeral services at 12:00 noon at the Indiana Avenue Missionary Baptist Church Rev. Dr. J. E. Roberts officiating Interment Toledo Memorial Park Cemetery. The family would like to thank the nursing staff, health aides, pastoral care and physicians at University of Toledo Medical Center. [www.dalefh.com](http://www.dalefh.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your father. I was doing some research on ancestry.com and I found you there. My great-grandfather was Thomas Calvin Brank of Henderson, Kentucky. You and I are cousins. =)

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**Anidra Taylor** - October 27, 2011 at 05:29 PM

JP

“ Behold, I tell you a mystrey, we shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed. 1Corinthians 15:51 We are saddened by the loss of your love one. May God enfold you in His loving arms, Remember this termination on earth is the beginning of a "new life". You all will be in our prayers beyond tomorrow. With every blessing! Yours in Christ, Matthew And Jackie Palmer Clio, South Carolina

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**jackie palmer** - March 04, 2011 at 02:14 PM

AC

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family, Clara.

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**Angela Cassidy** - March 04, 2011 at 08:49 AM

DK

“ Karen & Family—so sorry to read of the loss of your Dad/loved one. I hope you have many memories to help you through this time. Blessings to you all. Dian

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**Dian Kwiatkowski** - March 03, 2011 at 09:31 AM