

Anthony Wayne Riepma was born May 10, 1928, in the farmhouse where his mother grew up on the Olerich family farm near Hull, Iowa. Tony is the oldest and has three sisters. Tony obtained a degree in Veterinary Medicine from Iowa State University in 1950 at the age of 22. Shortly after joining the Army in 1953, Tony met Helen DeJong at a dance in Chicago. They were married on September 25, 1953. They had 3 daughters, the youngest of whom died shortly after birth.

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He lost his wife in 1996 and his middle daughter in 1998. Tony has 5 grandchildren and 2 greatgrandchildren. During his 20 years in the Army, Tony was stationed in Germany twice and also spent a year each in both Korea and Vietnam. After leaving the Army in 1973, Tony joined the US Department of Agriculture as a Veterinary Inspector in Amarillo, Texas. Tony retired from the USDA in 1997 and lived in Amarillo until 2018 when he moved to Katy near his oldest daughter. Travel was always a big part of family activities. While the kids were growing up and after they left home, there were many trips to visit family and to see much of the US and Europe. Camping, fishing, bowling, water skiing and snow skiing were also some of Tony's favorite activities to share with the family. In fact, Tony continued to snow ski into his 70s. Tony also enjoyed crossword puzzles and playing bridge. After recently reaching the age of 96, Tony has his sights set on reaching 100!







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#### **VETERANS**

On Veterans Day we honor who answered to a service call. Soldiers young, and soldiers old who fought for freedom, brave and bold. Some have lived, while oth died. And all of them dese our pride. We're proud of the soldiers who kept thinking of red, white, and blue. They fought for us an all our rights, they fought through many days and nights. And though we may not know each name, we thank ALL veterans just the same.

## Happy Thanksgiving

"Wishing you a warm and wonderful Thanksgiving, surrounded by love, laughter and all your favorite traditions."

## Stay Healthy This Season

During cold and flu season, bolster your immunity by practicing the basics of good health: Wash your hands often, eat a nutritious diet, exercise regularly and get plenty of rest.

"Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart." —Eleanor Roosevelt

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"Grateful for fall's simple Joys."







Friday Shenanigans!



## Resident Birthdays

11/09 Sandra Larsen11/17 Marvin Franklin11/23 Donna Parker

## The Reserve at Katy Veterans

Alvin Lindsey	Army
Anthony Reipma	Army
Bill E. Brown Air	Force
Jack Bishop	Navy
Jerry Brewer	
Kathleen Tucker	Navy
Louis Primm	Navy
Marvin Marek	Army
Raymond Murray	Navy
Robert Sigmund	
Roy Fairrington	Navy
Thomas Ross	

### Reminder

 Clocks will "fall back" one hour at 2:00 a.m. local time on Sunday, November 3rd, 2024.

### **Veterans Day**

 Please join us to Honor our Veterans on November 11th at 10:00 a.m. in the dining room.

# Thanksgiving Family Night

 Thanksgiving Family Night will be held on November 14th at 5:00 p.m. in the dining room.





