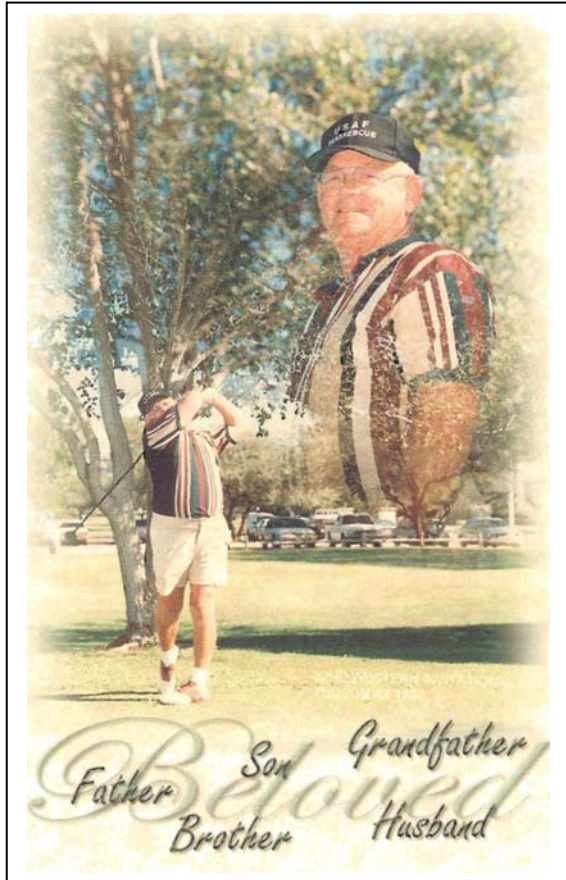


*MSgt Tommy Dee Brooks*  
*5 January 1943 – 5 April 2007*



Tommy Dee Brooks was born January 5<sup>th</sup>, 1943 in Peru, Indiana and passed away April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2007 in Marysville, California. Loving husband to Judy Brooks, and father to Pamela, Angela, Traci, Shannon, Janet, Brian, and Michael. Grandfather of 10 wonderful grandchildren, and son of Norma Brooks.

Tommy served in the 129<sup>th</sup> from 1975 to 1989, and was active in the 129<sup>th</sup> Alumni and Heritage Association. He organized several fund-raising golf tournaments to benefit the Scholarship Fund.

Burial was with full military honors at Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Bruno, California.

*To Those I Love*

*When I am gone, just release me,  
Let me go – so I can move into my  
afterglow.*

*You mustn't tie me down with your  
tears;  
Let's be happy that we had so many  
years.*

*I gave you my love,  
You can only guess how much you gave  
me in happiness.*

*I thank you for the love you each have  
shown,*

*But now it's time I traveled on alone.  
So grieve for me awhile, if grieve you  
must,*

*Then let your grief be comforted with  
trust.*

*It's only for a while that we must part,  
So bless the memories within your  
heart.*

*And then, when you must come this  
way alone,*

*I'll greet you with a smile and a  
"Welcome Home."*