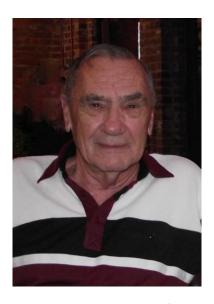
## **Larry Orsatti Revels**

17 September 1935 – 23 May 2018



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Larry Orsatti Revels passed away peacefully on May 23, 2018, at the age of 82. Larry was born in Union County, South Carolina on September 17,1935, to Havis and Florence Connor Revels. Spending his childhood in the Carolinas, Larry graduated high school in 1952 and joined the United States Marine Corps. Continuing his service, Larry spent twenty years in the United States Air Force, retiring in 1974 from Lowry Air Force Base in Aurora, Colorado. During his service, he met his wife Edna Jane Sydorak of Syracuse, New York, to whom he was married for 49 years until her death in 2010.

He and Edna raised their family in several duty stations, finally settling for an extended period of time in Aurora, where he continued his career in the private sector. Larry and Edna moved to Texas in 2001 to be near their grandchildren and escape the Colorado winters. Larry enjoyed traveling, was a certified Master Gardener, and undertook many projects as hobbies. Larry also generously shared his time with St. Paul's Episcopal Church and in the Cinco Ranch community.

Larry is survived by his son Kevin Michael Revels and his wife Rae Lynne, of Katy, Texas; his son Craig Stephen Revels, of Ellensburg, Washington; and granddaughters Katherine and Samantha, of Katy, Texas.

A memorial service was held on Saturday, June 2, 2018 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, in Katy, Texas. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests those wishing to celebrate Larry's life make a donation in his name to a charity of your choice.

Funeral services held under the direction of Schmidt Funeral Home, 1344 W. Grand Parkway South, Katy, Texas 7749; (2811391-2424.

[Larry began working at Denver's (Littleton) Honeywell Test Instruments Division's calibration laboratory soon after retiring from the Air Force. Honeywell TID, prior to its closing, was a company that specialized in a broad spectrum of electronic design and manufacturing, including that of numerous medical scanning instruments, data tape drive/storage systems, as well as hosting a few DoD projects. During his employment with TID Larry reached out to Lowry AFB's Metrology (PMEL) community for additional staffing for TID's Calibration Lab. George Smith, Gerry Davis, and Larry Persing, all instructors and/or staff members at the Metrology School, were amongst those whom Larry hired to work as full-time/part-time employees of TID. They would augment the regular day lab crew by working in the calibration lab during evenings from 16:00 hrs. through 20:00 hrs. M-F. Larry was a mentor to all of us. He will be missed. George Smith]