



Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

CHEZEM, LTC JAMES A. '48

Died 18 October 2004 in Titusville, FL, of pancreatic cancer, aged 76. Career Army officer and inventor.

Born in Missouri, he grew up in Florida. After he graduated from Augusta in 1948, he graduated from the University of Florida in 1952. He entered active duty with the US Army and served in the Korean War and later in France, Belgium, and Africa. Received his Masters with honors in African Studies from American University. He was a member, Disabled American Veterans, and a Mason.

Jim was a Principal in Innovative Products and was the owner of 37 patents. He created a new scientific scale to quantify gravitational force (Gf) to be named the Armstrong Scale in honor of Neil Armstrong, first man to set foot on the moon.

At AMA three years: Master sergeant, staff; President, YMCA; intramural boxing; wrestling; track; head cheerleader; Roller Rifles; Honor Roll.

He is survived by his wife, Charlene; a son, Robert; and a sister, Anne Corbett.

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