



## Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

### **KINNIE, LTC IRVIN GRAY `49**

Died 29 October 2011 of cardiac arrest at his home on Hilton Head Island, SC He was 79.

Gray graduated from West Point in 1953 and received his masters in electrical engineering from University of Arizona. He served in Germany, Korea, and Viet-Nam (Bronze Star, 69-69) and taught at West Point. He was Chair of the NATO Electronics Committee and Deputy Director, Computer Systems Command.

Upon retirement from the Army in 1974, he joined IBM in Gaithersburg, MD, and Boca Raton, FL, as a software engineer, systems analyst, and technical planner. He co-founded the West Point Society in Palm Beach County, FL.

Gray and his wife, Louisa, who survives him, were marriage preparation counselors. He is also survived by a son, Yannick; three step-daughters, Louise P. Thompson, Nancy Carlston and Dianne Ranno; and two half-brothers, Richard and Robert.

Buried with full military honors at Beaufort (SC) National Cemetery.

At Augusta four years: 1<sup>st</sup> Sergeant, C Company; Roller Rifles; swim team, track, chess.

(Reported by **Alex Wattay**, `53.)

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