

Colonel William A. Whitaker (1936-2010)



Colonel William A. Whitaker (USAF-Retired) passed away on Tuesday, December 14, 2010. He was born January 10, 1936.

While at the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), he worked on the Ada Programming Language.

In retirement, he created the Latin-English translation software program, "Whitaker's Words".

Colonel William A. Whitaker was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Kimball Whitaker and a daughter, Laura Lee Whitaker. He leaves his family behind to cherish his memory; Son, Karl Whitaker of Midland.

Full military honors were held at Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, Virginia.

Funeral services were under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home.