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Molli & Maddyn's Memo

When Nana and Papa were here for Father's Day weekend we were able to visit Papa at their hotel.

First time either of us have been in a hotel room.

First time either us has been in a hotel swimming pool.

We had lots of fun with Mommy and Daddy in the pool and hot tub, but Papa just sat there and watched us.

We did splash water on him a couple time though. That was fun.

*Molli & Maddyn* Nana's granddaughters



### **Family Matters**

When I recently received this picture of our three grandsons, who live in North Carolina, it made me realize how much of their growing up we've missed.

My only regret about moving to Arizona is being away from our children, grandchildren and other family.

This picture was taken by our daughter on the last day of school this year.

Nice to see the youngest, Grant, is catching up to his older brothers in height.

#2 Zachary #3 Grant #1 Andrew

#### **Good Bye to Dad**

The main purpose of our trip to Iowa over Father's Day weekend was to bury my father, who passed in January. He didn't want his daughters to have to come to Iowa in the winter. He was always looking after us girls.

All four sisters and most of our families, along with many friends of my father were able to attend the services and reception. While emotional, it was great to see the entire Troup clan.

The local American Legion Post gave him a military sendoff with taps, a 21-gun salute, and a flag to his wife.

Dad made sure there was a nice breeze at the cemetery, as it was quite warm and humid. Still looking out for his girls, like always.



Until Next Month, Bett, Om

Thank You for Your Referrals Mary & Marion Cosand referred Jim Stryker Gary Hill referred Deb Westendorf Rebath referred Kim Statton & Paul Arthur Referrals are the lifeblood of our business. Thank you for these and all your referrals

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# **Remake Our Home's Master Bath**

Now that Cheri and Brian had moved full-time to Tucson, they wanted to update their home, which had been normally rented during the winter months.

We started with the Master Bath. We didn't change the foot-print, but replaced everything in the Master Bath.



#### Master Bath Remake

- New Flooring with Heat Mat under tile flooring
- Replace Tub with free-standing tub
- New Cabinets with Tower on counter for added storage to get clutter off the counter
- New Quartz Counters
  - Note the small jut-out of counters and cabinets at tower to give a custom touch
- New light fixtures, including the chandelier over the tub
- New mirrors, with wall mounted make-up mirror
- "Cat shelf" at bottom of window for their cat who likes to look out the window
- New window treatment & window
- New closet doors with mirrors
- Added barn-door from Master Bedroom for added privacy (vs. previous curtain)
- New Shower tile, fixtures and frosted glass door







We couldn't make the shower larger due to a closet and a bedroom on either side.

We created a shower that looks and feels larger with the horizontal tile layout from ceiling to floor, including tiling the ceiling.



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LINDSAY, DARRELL R. Graduated Fort Dodge High School 1938 Killed in action in France 9 August 1944 Awarded Congressional Medal of Honor

MOELLER, WILLIS H. Graduated Fort Dodge High School 1940 Earned the Distinguished Flying Cross at the Battle of Kagoshima Bay

DR. WILLIAM E. RYAN Founding member Fort Dodge Dragoons Started the 1st Frontier Days Celebration and led that event for 30 years Not all scars show, not all wounds heal, not all pain is obvious!



For all of the veterans of all branches of the service who have P.T.S.D.



Flag in honor of all who served. Ashes of 24 veterans in paint used on flag.

#### Freedom Rock Update

We've written in the past about the FREEDOM ROCK in my husband's home town of Fort Dodge, Iowa. My husband found out during our Father's Day trip to Iowa that his mother had heard about the Freedom Rock, but had never seen it. So he was able to help her check that off her 'bucket list'.

There has been a nice little park created around the Freedom Rock, and the plaque above has been added. There are Freedom Rocks in 3 states and two other states have Freedom Rocks in planning. You can learn more at <u>https://www.thefreedomrock.com/</u>.