



## Cleophas Finley

June 19, 1924 - May 29, 2019

Cleophas Finley, 94, of Pueblo, CO a retired Army Sergeant passed away on May 29th, 2019, 2-weeks shy of his 95th birthday. He was born in June 1924 in Crawfordsville, AR. Cleophas had 5 children, Alton, Laura, Rudolph, Mark, and Karl; 5 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; numerous extended family and friends from Detroit, MI. Cleophas enlisted in the Army on February 10th 1943 and served overseas in the Philippines, New Guinea, Korea, and Germany. While in the military he received the Korean Service Medal, W/6 Bronze Service Stars, Meritorious Unit commendation, United Nations Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal 3rd Award, World War II Victory Medal, Victory Medal, Bronze Battle Stars, Philippine Liberation Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, and The Marksman Award. Cleophas served in United States Army for 21 years. He resided in Pueblo since 1958 and retired from the Army at Fort Carson, CO. He then went to the Pueblo Army Depot and worked there for 17 years working a total of 38 years with Federal Government Service retiring at the age of 55. After retirement he was also an active member of The Retired Enlisted Association (TREA) for many years and also volunteering for many years at the Bingo Palace. Cleophas will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him dearly.

Private Family Ceremony will be held.



# Tribute Wall

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**Felicia** - August 11, 2020 at 01:22 AM

MS

“ Sorry for the loss of your. dear loved one. Death is truly an enemy.  
Act 24:15 us hope. Sincerely, Mary

**Mary Sanders** - June 02, 2019 at 10:30 AM

DJ

*On behalf of myself and our 377 members of DAV San Isabel Chapter 2, please accept our sincerest condolences. When I learned of cleophas passing I was in the process of trying to locate and. Intact him. I did have address and phone number, but was unsuccessful. Now it all make sense. Nevertheless the reason for trying to contact him was to notify him that we wanted him to attend our state convention to receive his 50 year DAV membership pin. We will try to get it to the family any information would help.*

**David Jiron** - June 06, 2019 at 05:05 PM

PH

*I'm going to miss talking and shouting at Cleo from across the street and just talking to him face too face and lightening to his stories when we got to gather. But between my health for a wile we lost contact . What a man his stories his life HE SHALL BE MISSED*

**Paul Hanes** - August 11, 2019 at 09:14 AM