

## **Donald Harold Akin**

Donald Harold Akin was born September 10, 1937, in Amherst, Texas. Don grew up in Morton and attended Morton schools, graduating in May, 1955. While in high school, Don worked for Doss Thriftway. After graduation he joined his father and two brothers building houses in Morton. He married Barbara Lynn May on Feb. 12, 1957. In 1957 he went to work for Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber. They had one daughter, Donna Suzann Akin, born November 7, 1958, in Levelland. In 1959 Don moved to Lubbock where he was involved in a lumberyard and construction. In 1980 Don moved to Abilene, Texas, where he presently lives and has a construction there.

*Submitted by Don Akin*

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