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Raymond Robert Tritton, age 90, passed away on January 25, 2016 at the Bailey Family Center for caring. He was born to Frank and Lyda Tritton on December 30, 1925 in Daytona Beach. When he was 17 years old he joined the U.S. Marines and served his country for 4 years. While in service he was involved in 17 island engagements and guarded the scientists in Nagasaki after the bomb was dropped. After leaving the Army he inherited a Shell gas station in Indiana and ran it for many years before moving to St. Augustine in 1967. Raymond was a very hard worker he bought and ran Mr. T's Inn and The St. Augustine House. He also built the most amazing home, dug his own pool and laid thousand of bricks to create a paradise garden, complete with an aviary and waterfall. He was a true hero, loving husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his wife, Louise Tritton; daughter, Christine Sturiale (John); son, David Tritton (Chris); grandchildren, Justin DeAngelis (Evelyn), David Tritton; Stepchildren, Steve Bergner (Sue), Bob Bergner, 11 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, January 29, 2016 at Berea 7th day Adventist Church with Dr. T. A. McNeely officiating. A visitation will be held from 5:00- 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 28, 2016 at St. Johns Family Funeral Home. Interment will be at 2:00 p.m. Monday, February 1, 2016 at Jacksonville National Cemetery. St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.