



Garry Bradbury Hodgson

Born.....16 Jul 1936, Chewelah, WA
Parents Jasper & Jean Hodgson
EducationWest Linn (OR) High School
Enlisted Gladstone, OR
Rating Radarman 2nd Class
Spouse..... Gwen Hodgson
Children.....Four Sons & One Daughter

Before the Navy, Garry worked as a golf caddy and bowling pin setter. Garry first went to sea in March 1960. After completing his first tour, he left the Navy, and then reenlisted after a few months. By 1964, Garry had been promoted to Radarman 1st Class. He and his wife Gwen adopted two sons, then had two boys and one girl of their own. He was dedicated to his family & the Navy. Garry served aboard EVANS twice: 1963 - 1967, and 1968 - 1969. RD2 Hodgson was on watch in CIC when the collision occurred. In his memory, the family placed a headstone in Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, OR.