

Nelson Ezell Aviation Donation Letter



Nelson was born on March 9, 1943 in Thomasville, Georgia to Robert and Hazel Morgan Ezell. He attended Taylor County Schools in Perry, FL. After honorably serving in the US Army from 1966-1968, he received his Airframe & Powerplant license from Lively Vocational Tech in Tallahassee, FL in June 1969. Nelson was later certified as an Inspection Authority. He developed his passion for aviation during A & P school at Lively Vocational Tech. In 1970, he founded Perry Aviation Service based at Perry-Foley airport, where he operated the FBO and performed maintenance on aircraft. Six years later, he built a hangar and airstrip and opened Ezell Airmotive, where he continued to work on aircraft and manufactured airboats with aircraft engines for recreational and commercial fishing. In 1986, Nelson and Dude founded Ezell Aviation, Inc., where he used his artistic talents to guide him through thirty-five years of warbird restoration and maintenance. In 2011, they expanded operations and services by launching Ezell Avionics, Inc. Running his businesses was a priority, but he took pleasure in mentoring young men who had a genuine interest in aviation.

His network of friends, colleagues, and customers grew simply because he was a respectable, southern gentleman who had ambition for preserving aviation history. He was an inspiration to those who knew him, as well as those who knew of him. Nelson will be remembered as a generous and humble icon with a legacy that will continue to be revered for years to come.

At the request of his wife, Helen (Dude) Ezell, we have established Nelson Ezell Scholarship Funds for the Aviation Airframe and Aviation Powerplant Mechanics program at Lively Technical College. We invite you to donate to this scholarship fund and to continue his legacy of preserving aviation history. Donations can be made directly to the Nelson Ezell Scholarship at Lively Technical College.

I, _____ wish to contribute \$ _____ to the Nelson Ezell Aviation Scholarship Fund at Lively Technical College. I understand that my contribution will help defray the cost of aviation fees for the recipient(s) of the award.

Donor Name (Print)

Donor Signature

Date



Nelson Ezell Aviation Scholarship Fund

The following donation is intended solely for the use of funding the Nelson Ezell Aviation Scholarship Fund for the Aviation Airframe and Aviation Powerplant Mechanics programs at Lively Technical College. For more information on Nelson Ezell and his contribution to the aviation industry visit: <http://www.ezellaviation.com/>

DONOR INFORMATION

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Address

City

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Postal Code

Donation Amount

METHOD OF PAYMENT

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