



The sad news that former Continental Captain Gene Smith has flown West was just received from Golden Eagles member Charlie Brame. Charlie`s email is reproduced below.

The Golden Eagles sends its condolences to Captain Smith`s family. Gene was not a Golden Eagles member but this information is being shared with our members as a courtesy to him, his family and those who knew him. Additional information will be provided as it is received.

*Charlie`s notification email:*

I was just notified that Eugene (Gene) Smith passed away this morning. He was a resident of a senior care facility in Ft Worth. No further details are known at this time.

Gene was a retired USAF and ANG Colonel, having flown the F-84, F-100, F-101 and the F-4. He was also a former Braniff Airlines Captain, a former Continental Airlines Captain, and an RV-4 builder and owner.

Charlie



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